

It was announced that only 36 registrations at the Farmville State Teachers College are from without the state, while 79 of 100 Virginia counties and 16 of 20 Virginia cities are represented.

President Julian A. Burruss, speaking at convocation at the Virginia Polytechnic Institute on the so-called "rat system," is quoted by the *Times-Dispatch* as saying: "What V. P. I. needs more than additional buildings, or additional professors, or students, or additional funds is a development of a genuine school spirit, a heart-felt pride in the institution, a refined campus life, an unflinching loyalty to the best standards of conduct, and an ever present sense of the responsibility connected with it, for maintaining it as a high-grade college for gentlemen, worthy of respect and esteem throughout the state and nation."

### THE READING TABLE

WASHINGTON—FRONTIERSMAN AND PLANTER. By Florence E. Bamberger. Richmond: Johnson Publishing Company. 1931. Pp. 58.

This workbook is strong in the activities presented and in the outline maps included.

MUSIC OF MANY LANDS AND PEOPLES. Edited by Osbourne McConathy, John W. Beattie, and Russell V. Morgan. New York: Silver, Burdett and Company. 1932. Pp. 268. \$1.52.

In this junior high school song book, one of the finest I have seen, is a variety of folk songs—just the type children of this age enjoy.

All the songs are well-arranged and suit the voices of children at this age. Boys' voices have received consideration.

The book is completely indexed. The pictures and songs, because of their interest and appeal, are making this series very popular in our schools.

L. M. H.

LITTLE STORIES TO READ. By Eva A. Smedley and Martha C. Olsen. Illustrated by Matilda Brewer. Chicago: Hall and McCreary Company. 1932. 12 cents a copy.

Here is a primer which tells an in-

teresting story from the very first page. Other distinctive features are the clever introduction of new words in meaningful phrases, the use of pictures to enrich the content, and frequent pages which contain no new words and thereby increase the child's sense of power in reading.

K. M. A.

SUPERVISORY YEARBOOK, 1930-1931. By D. W. Emerson and Lector Hackworth. Talequah, Oklahoma: Northeastern Teachers College. 50 cents.

This booklet outlines the Supervisory Program by which Northeastern Teachers College guides instruction in a designated area of fifteen adjoining counties.

AN ANALYSIS OF THE SUPERVISORY ACTIVITIES AND TECHNIQUES OF THE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL TRAINING SUPERVISOR. By Harry N. Fitch. New York: Bureau of Publications, Teachers College, Columbia University. 1931. Pp. 130.

This study "determines and analyzes" the activities of the elementary supervisor in working with student teachers. It also "determines and analyzes" the techniques the supervisor uses in carrying on these activities. It should be suggestive for supervisor both in service and in training.

### NEWS OF THE COLLEGE

The 1931-32 SCHOOLMA'AM, yearbook of H. T. C., received first prize in Class B, for annuals smaller than 225 pages, at the sixth annual meeting of the Virginia Intercollegiate Press Association held at Farmville with the Farmville State Teachers College and Hampden-Sydney as joint hosts. This was the only award to be captured by a state teachers college.

Margaret Moore, Norfolk, '32, and Catherine Bard, Norfolk, '33, were editor-in-chief and business manager, respectfully, of the publication.

Those who attended the convention from H. T. C. were Catherine Bard, Lois Drewry, Catherine Manke, Virginia Jones, Christobel Childs.

Dr. Sidney B. Hall, State Superintendent

of Public Instruction, in a speech before the faculty and student body on October 5, said that he and his co-workers are attempting to "map out a state-wide program of education." He discussed the "study course" and the "productive course of study" as leading on to a "printed course of study," which will be the next step in the State Curriculum Program.

Dr. John W. Wayland, professor of Social Science of this college and now on leave of absence, on October 12 discussed the traditions and memories of the early days of the Harrisonburg State Teachers College.

Dr. Wayland was a member of the first faculty of H. T. C., then a state normal school, and has witnessed the growth of the school from its earliest days.

Dr. Lewis Wilson Jarman, president of Mary Baldwin College, Staunton, Virginia, on October 19, gave a brief resumé of the life and influence of Mahatma Ghandi upon the civilization of today. In a most interesting and instructive manner, Dr. Jarman discussed Ghandi's policy of passive resistance and the vast influence he has exerted.

Standards Day was instituted as an annual affair under the direction of Virginia Jones, Gordonsville, chairman of the Standards Committee, and Mrs. Anne B. Cook, associate dean of women and director of social activities.

All during the day tables were in Harrison Hall on which were displayed all phases of the work undertaken by the committee this year. After the formal dinner Wednesday evening a fashion review was given before the Queen and her court.

The Harrisonburg chapter of the American Association of University Women has organized a group for the study of modern world literature under the direction of Mrs. Otto F. Frederickson. Upper classmen at H. T. C. have been invited to attend this discussion group.

The Old Girls defeated the New Girls by

33-6 in the annual fray held on October 1.

The line-up included:

<i>Old Girls</i>		<i>New Girls</i>
MacDonald	R. F.	Hoffman
Pittman	L. F.	Bernstein
Neblett	J. C.	Holder
Steele	S. C.	Finnegan
Van Landingham	R. G.	Mentzinger
Coyner	L. G.	Burnett

Old Girl substitutes: Haga for MacDonald, Todd for Pittman, Milnes for Neblett, Courter for Steele, Peterson for Coyner, Calfee for Haga, Smith for Milnes, Coyner for Peterson.

New Girl substitutes: Mairs for Hoffman, Holder for Bernstein, Grogan for Holder, Clark for Finnegan, Bernstein for Burnett, Hoffman for Holder, Moody for Grogan, Burnett for Bernstein, Holder for Moody.

Referee: J. Turnbull.

Umpire: W. Doan.

Scorers: D. Martin, J. Lowrie.

Time-keepers: A. L. Sullivan, V. Carmines.

Going down in defeat in both of her intercollegiate hockey contests, Harrisonburg dropped the first game to Sweet Briar by a score of 5-1 and lost the second 4-1 to the "Squaws" of William and Mary.

The hockey squad is comprised of the following: M. Haga, Danville, captain; K. Finnegan, New York; E. Peterson, Lake City, Florida; M. Bernstein, New York; L. Dickstein, New York; E. Rice, New York; J. Baker, Columbia; D. Mentzinger, New York; V. Carmines, Hampton; F. Neblett, Victoria; M. Melson, Machipongo; E. Wilkins, Capeville; J. Lea, Massie's Mill; L. Allred, Winston-Salem, N. C.; P. Parkins, Norfolk; E. Todd, Richmond; D. MacDonald, Statesville, N. C.; E. Pittman, Gates, N. C.; J. Courter, Amelia; M. Van Landingham, Petersburg; A. Fultz, Butterworth; E. Bryant, Whites Depot.

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Four students from H. T. C. attended the annual convention of the Baptist Student's Union at V. P. I. on November 4-6. The delegates were Frances Whitman, Purcellville; Rachel Rogers, East Falls Church; Alberta Stevens, Richmond; Margaret Fitzgerald, Chatham.

#### DIRECTORY OF STUDENT OFFICERS FALL QUARTER, 1932-33

##### STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION

Katye Wray Brown, Roanoke, president; Sarah Face, Hampton, vice-president; Laura Melchor, Winston-Salem, N. C., secretary; Lois Bishop, Norfolk, recorder of points; Sarah Lemmon, Atlanta, Ga., editor of *Handbook*.

##### Y. W. C. A.

Emma Jane Shultz, Staunton, president; Virginia Ruby, Lynchburg, vice-president; Elizabeth Tudor, Roanoke, secretary; Rebecca Comer, Roanoke, treasurer.

##### ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION

Emilyn Peterson, Lake City, Fla., president; Margaret Campbell, Richmond, vice-president; Marietta Melson, Machipongo, business manager.

##### PUBLICATIONS

*The Schoolma'am*—Lois Drewry, Clifton Forge, editor-in-chief; Catherine Manke, Hampton, business manager.

*The Breeze*—Christobel Childs, Orange, editor-in-chief; Virginia Jones, Gordonsville, business manager.

##### SOCIETIES

*Kappa Delta Pi*—Dorothy Harris, Carson, president; Virginia Richards, Winchester, recording secretary.

*Scribblers*—Sarah Lemmon, Atlanta, Ga., chief scribe.

*Stratford Dramatic Club*—Prudence Spooner, Chester, president; Janie Shaver, Harrisonburg, vice-president; Catherine Bard, Norfolk, secretary; Madeline Newbill, Norfolk, treasurer; Elizabeth Carson, Lynchburg, business manager.

*Lee Literary Society*—Dorothy Williams, Norfolk, president; Evelyn Watkins, Norfolk, vice-president; Jacqueline Baker, Columbia, secretary; Hattie Courter, Amelia, treasurer; Sarita Byrd, Charleston, W. Va., chairman of the program committee; Julia Courter, Amelia, sergeant-at-arms.

*Lanier Literary Society*—Catherine Bard, Norfolk, president; Florence Holland, Eastville, secretary; Dorothy Merryman, Lynchburg, treasurer; Anna Colvert, Raleigh, N. C., chairman of the program committee; Kathleen Carpenter, Norfolk, critic; Mary Van Landingham, Petersburg, sergeant-at-arms.

*Page Literary Society*—Eleanor Cook, Charleston, W. Va., president; Courtney Dickinson, Roanoke, vice-president; Pamela Parkins, Norfolk, secretary; Dorothy Martin, Norfolk, treasurer;

Gladys Farrar, Lynchburg, chairman of the program committee; Anna Larrick, Round Hill, critic; Helen Meyer, Richmond, sergeant-at-arms.  
*Alpha Literary Society*—Virginia Richards, Winchester, president; Bernice Bowden, Red Hill, secretary-treasurer.

*Aolian Music Club*—Mary Coyner, Waynesboro, president.

*Glee Club*—Elizabeth Bush, Long Island, N. Y., president; Inez Graybeal, Christiansburg, vice-president; Mary Coyner, Waynesboro, secretary; Evelyn Watkins, Norfolk, business manager; Eleanor Moore, Gastonia, N. C., librarian.

*Frances Sale Club*—Frances Maloy, Highland, president; Rowena Brill, Richmond, vice-president; Lillian Flippo, Richmond, treasurer; Martha Bailey, Windsor, secretary; Rebecca Bennett, Salisbury, Md., chairman of the program committee.

*Cotillion Club*—Elizabeth Carson, Lynchburg, president; Dorothy Williams, Norfolk, vice-president; Marrietta Melson, Machipongo, secretary; Florence Holland, Eastville, treasurer; Catherine Bard, Norfolk, business manager; Virginia Orange, Exmore, sergeant-at-arms.

*Le Cercle Français*—Hilda Hisey, Edinburgh, president; Hazel Wood, Chester, vice-president; Mildred Foskey, Portsmouth, secretary; Hattie Courter, Amelia, treasurer; Gladys Myers, Harrisonburg, chairman of the program committee.

*Art Club*—Dorothy Martin, Norfolk, president; Rebecca Snyder, Waynesboro, vice-president; Virginia Ruby, Lynchburg, secretary; Frances Pigg, Washington, D. C., treasurer; Anna Colvert, Raleigh, N. C., business manager; Lois Bishop, Norfolk, chairman of the program committee.

*Debating Club*—Ruth Behrens, Timberville, president; Hazel Wood, Chester, vice-president; Alice Kay, Waynesboro, secretary; Frances Whitman, Purcellville, treasurer and business manager.

##### CLASSES

*Senior*—Mildred Henderson, Williamsburg, president; Mary Haga, Danville, vice-president; Lillie Tucker, Crewe, secretary; Nelle Taylor, Big Stone Gap, treasurer; Elizabeth Bush, Long Island, N. Y., business manager; Bernice Bowden, Red Hill, sergeant-at-arms.

*Junior*—Mildred Simpson, Norfolk, president; Evelyn Watkins, Norfolk, vice-president; Elizabeth Sugden, Hampton, secretary; Rachel Rogers, East Falls Church, treasurer; Virginia Carmines, Hampton, business manager; Helen Meyer, Richmond, sergeant-at-arms.

*Sophomore*—Marion Smith, Philadelphia, Pa., president; Mary Elizabeth Deaver, Lexington, vice-president; Anna Larrick, Round Hill, secretary; Sarita Byrd, Charleston, W. Va.; treasurer; Eugenia Trainum, Louisa, business manager; Alma Fultz, Butterworth, sergeant-at-arms.

*Freshman*—Frances Wells, Suffolk, president; Mary Parker, Cuba, vice-president; Elizabeth Thweatt, Petersburg, secretary; Charleva, Crichton, Norfolk, treasurer; Lois Meeks, Baltimore, Md., business manager; Willene Clark, Petersburg, sergeant-at-arms.