

"Religious intolerance is one of the cruelest, most destructive forces in human emotions. It has established in foreign countries war, disorder, and exile. Germany's false accusations against the Jews would charge them with undermining German ideals."

Of all the Nobel awards given up to the time of the World War, Rabbi Calisch pointed out, Germany led all other nations with 37 awards, of which 12 were received by Jews.

The question, "Resolved: that the United States should cease spending public funds (including credit) for the purpose of stimulating business," was examined by the Madison College Debating Team in two non-decision debates recently.

The first, with Hampden-Sydney, was held in Wilson Auditorium February 25; the second, with Bridgewater College, was at Bridgewater February 28. Geraldine Ailstock, Clifton Forge, and Aileen Brillhart, Troutville, upheld the affirmative side of the question against Hampden-Sydney, and on the same evening, Maria Bowman, Staunton, and Marjorie Pitts, Smootz, represented the negative side against Hampden-Sydney. Jane Lynn, Manassas, and Earle Hitt, Heywood, composed the affirmative team against Bridgewater.

Approximately one hundred and fifty honor roll students were guests February 16 at a tea given in Alumnae Hall by Kappa Delta Pi, honor society in education. In the receiving line were Jane Lynn, Elizabeth Alexander, Janet Miller, Dot Sears, Mildred Garnett, club officers, and Miss Katherine M. Anthony and Dr. W. J. Gifford, sponsors.

### ALUMNAE NOTES

Miss Sue Ayres, '31, supervisor of the Prince William county schools, was chosen to serve as secretary of the Virginia Coun-

cil of Administrative and Executive Women in Education at a recent meeting in Richmond of the board of directors of the council at the Hotel John Marshall.

Elizabeth Greaves Page, of Coke, Gloucester Co., president of the class of '16, writes: "I wish I could be back at 'Blue Stone Hill' for Home-coming, but I can not yet. Cecil, Jr., is a freshman at V. M. I. I am proud of him, as he made the Honor Roll for the first term. Betty Nelson, 10 years old, is also doing well at school in Gloucester. Give my best love to all the old girls who knew me."

### MARRIAGE

#### CLASS OF 1935

Helen Irby, of Blackstone, to John M. Pilcher, of Petersburg, on February 11 in the Crenshaw Methodist Church, Blackstone.

Mrs. Pilcher taught in the public schools in Covington, Virginia, and in Capitol Heights, Maryland. Mr. Pilcher, after receiving B.S. and M.S. degrees from V.P.I., engaged in research work at Batille Memorial Institute, Columbus, Ohio, where both are now.

The engagement of Marion Elizabeth Huffman, '38, of City Point, to Charles Edward Powell, of Petersburg, was announced recently. The marriage will take place in April.

Announcement has also been made of the approaching marriage of Helen Willis, '38, to Joseph Howerton, of Lynchburg, in June. This year Helen has taught in the Amherst elementary grades.

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