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Christmas

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Exam Schedule

Fall, 1976

| Block | Examination Date | Time |
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| I | Wednesday, December 14 | 8:30-11:30 |
| II | Monday, December 13 | 8:30-11:30 |
| III | Friday, December 17 | 8:30-11:30 |
| IV | Thursday, December 16 | 8:30-11:30 |
| V | Tuesday, December 14 | 12:00-3:00 |
| VI | Friday, December 17 | 12:00-3:00 |
| VII | Wednesday, December 15 | 3:30-6:30 |
| IX | Thursday, December 16 | 12:00-3:00 |
| X | Tuesday, December 14 | 8:30-11:30 |
| XI | Monday, December 13 | 12:00-3:00 |
| XII | Wednesday, December 15 | 12:00-3:00 |
| XIII | Saturday, December 18 | 8:30-11:30 |
| XIV | Tuesday, December 14 | 3:30-6:30 |

Evening Classes Regular meeting time during
Off-campus classes week of December 13-17

Classes end Friday, December 10

NOTE: For an instructor to change the time of an examination in an individual class, it is required that he secure the recommendation of the chairman of the department in which the course is located, and the approval of the Dean. Similarly, for a student to change the time of an examination from that which is scheduled, he must have the recommendations of the instructor in the course and the chairman of the department of the course, and the approval of the Dean.

All requests must be made in writing with reason given for the request.

Don't Forget, Phi Sig Holly Ball Tonight

"Tonight's the night" for the annual Holly Ball which will be held in the Fred B. Greear Gymnasium beginning at 8:30 P.M. and lasting until 12:30 a.m. The band featured is Brother Buford from Johnson City, Tennessee. This band has cut one album and will be heard from more and more as time goes on. The admission is \$5.00

in advance, \$8.00 at the door per couple, couples only. The Holly Ball is semi-formal and is open to CVC students, alumni, and dates. Phi Sigma Kappa would like to wish all students, professors, and all people at CVC a very merry Christmas and a Happy New Year and hope to see everyone next semester.

Regional Science Fair Scheduled For April 2

The 8th Annual Regional Science Fair at Clinch Valley College will be held Saturday, April 2, 1977, it was announced today.

"Now is the time for many students to start thinking about and working on their science fair projects," said Dr. William Hooper, Fair Director. Some students may already be

working on theirs, he noted, but the Christmas vacation is often a convenient time to get projects started.

"The Fair is open to all students in the seven counties and two cities of Southwest Virginia," Hooper stated, "regardless of whether their local high schools have a science fair." "The preferred way for a student to come to the Regional Fair at CVC," Hooper said, "is for them to be sent by their high school as winners of their high school fair. However, students at schools not holding fairs may enter the Regional Fair by simply getting a note from their science teacher or other responsible person recommending that the exhibit

be accepted."

Dr. Hooper suggested two sources for ideas and help in designing science projects. A free booklet entitled "Your Science Project" (Bulletin 9847) is available from Edmund Scientific Company, 402 Edscomb Building, Barrington, New Jersey 08007. Also, a package of hints on the use of photography in exhibits is available free from Kodak, Department 941, Rochester, NY 14650.

The Fair, officially known as the Southwest Virginia Regional Science Fair, is fully affiliated with Science Service and the 28th International Science and Engineering Fair. It is sponsored by Clinch Valley College and numerous civic clubs and businesses in Southwest Virginia. High school students from the cities of Bristol and Norton, Virginia, and the Virginia counties of Russell, Washington, Scott, Buchanan, Lee, Wise, and Dickenson are eligible to enter. For additional information, contact: Dr. William Hooper, Science Fair Director, Clinch Valley College, Wise, Virginia 24293.

Educational

Co-Op To Offer

Video Course

Among the dramatic uses of electronic technology in recent years has been the development of small, relatively inexpensive video-tape recorders, capable of reproducing high-quality images and sound with a minimum of expertise required on the part of the producer. These units, generally known as "portapak" have found ready application in the fields of education, industry, journalism, and the arts.

In order to meet the need for a more thorough understanding of this exciting new field, Mountain Empire Community College, in conjunction with the Diversified Educational Cooperative, will offer the course on "Introduction to Video Communications" beginning this January 18 at 7:00 p.m. The class will continue for 10 weeks and will be taught at the offices of the Diversified Educational Cooperative in Norton.

The class will cover the operation of various video tape units and electronic cameras, and will also involve essential production techniques, such as lighting, sound, and editing.

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ICC Announces

Tentative

Homecoming Plans

The Interclub Council recently announced changes in plans for the 1976-77 CVC homecoming. Departing from the old tradition of centering homecoming activities around returning alumni, the ICC has made plans for homecoming which allow more CVC student participation.

On January 28 there will be a buffet style dinner in the Jefferson Lounge, with admission price at \$2.00 in advance, \$2.50 at the door. That night there will be a double feature movie. At this time the first feature is unknown, but the second feature will be "The Nine Lives of Fritz the Cat."

The following day the Women's Basketball meet Hollins College at home at 2:00 pm. The Mens' game against King College will begin at 7:30. That night the Snow Ball will be held in the gym, with music provided by "Another Tyme".

Snow Queen

Nominations

Friday, Dec. 10

Nominations for the Snow Queen will be held Friday, December 10, 1976. There will be a table set up in front of Jefferson Lounge where you should place your nominations, between 10:00 - 2:00. Each student is allowed to make three nominations. The five girls receiving the highest votes will be eligible to run for the Snow Queen, which will be chosen later.

Some Provoking Thoughts . . .

God's Hide And Seek

"There was never a time when the world began, because it goes round and round like a circle, and there is no place on a circle where it begins. Look at my watch, which tells the time; it goes round and so the world repeats itself again and again. But just as the hour-hand of the watch goes up to twelve and down to six, so, too, there is day and night, waking and sleeping, living and dying, summer and winter. You can't have any one of these without the other, because you wouldn't be able to know what black is unless you had seen it side-by-side with white, or white unless side-by-side with black.

"In the same way, there are times when the world is, and times when it isn't, for if the world went on and on without rest for ever and ever, it would get horribly tired of itself. It comes and it goes: Now you see it; now you don't. So because it doesn't get tired of itself, it always comes back again after it disappears. It's like your breath: it goes in and out, in and out, and if you try to hold it in all the time you feel terrible. It's also like the game of hide-and-seek, because it's always fun to find new ways of hiding, and to seek for someone who doesn't always hide in the same place.

"God also likes to play hide-and-seek, but because there is nothing outside God, he has no one but himself to play with. But he gets over this difficulty by pretending that he is not himself. This is his way of hiding from himself. He pretends that he is you and I and all the people in the world, all the animals, all the plants, all the rocks, and all the stars. In this way he has strange and wonderful adventures, some of which are terrible and frightening. But these are just like bad dreams, for when he wakes up they will disappear.

"Now when God plays hide and pretends that he is you and I, he does it so well that it takes him a long time to remember where and how he hid himself. But that's the whole fun of it - just what he wanted to do. He doesn't want to find himself too quickly, for that would spoil the game. That is why it is so difficult for you and me to find out that we are God in disguise, pretending not to be himself. But when the game has gone on long enough, all of us will wake up, stop pretending, and remember that we are all one single Self - the God who is all that there is and who lives for ever and ever.

"Of course, you must remember that God isn't shaped like a person. People have skins and there is always something outside our skins. If there weren't, we wouldn't know the difference between what is inside and outside our bodies. But God has no skin and no shape because there isn't any outside to him. The inside and the outside of God are the same. And though I have been talking about God as 'he' and not 'she', God isn't a man or a woman. I didn't say 'it' because we usually say 'it' for things that aren't alive.

"God is the Self of the world, but you can't see God for the same reason that, without a mirror, you can't see your own eyes, and you certainly can't bite your own teeth or look inside your head: Your self is that cleverly hidden because it is God hiding.

"You may ask why God sometimes hides in the form of horrible people, or pretends to be people who suffer great disease and pain. Remember, first, that he isn't really doing this to anyone but himself. Remember, too, that in almost all the stories you enjoy there have to be bad people as well as good people, for the thrill of the tale is to find out how the good people will get the better of the bad. It's the same as when we play cards. At the beginning of the game we shuffle them all into a mess, which is like the bad things in the world, but the point of the game is to put the mess into good order, and the one who does it best is the winner. Then we shuffle the cards once more and play again, and so it goes with the world."

Excerpts From The Book by Alan W. Watts



Letters To The Editor

Who's Who: Why And How?

Dear Editor, There seems to be a question on the CVC campus as to whether the "honor" of being among those "elite persons" to be selected to Who's Who is indeed such a high honor. Since this conflict has arisen, the SGA has bound it their duty to investigate the matter. This does not imply, in any way, that the SGA is "sanctioning the belief that the honor should be reduced to an exercise of intellectual arrogance." After all, it has not yet been the aim of anyone concerned with the investigation to exercise intellectual arrogance.

We assure you, Ms. Wilson, that the Committee is well aware of the criteria set forth by the national organization. It is for this very reason that we find it impossible to accept this year's Who's Who selections. We remind you, Ms. Wilson, of the third requirement, scholarship. We do agree that this requirement should not be regarded as more important than the other two. We also submit that neither should it be totally disregarded. It is good that a person is a student leader and school servant. However, it seems that in his studies he has missed the whole point of attending college. Has CVC decided to give up the goal of education in exchange for glorified student leaders and school servants?

However, it is not only for these reasons that we have contested this year's Who's Who selection. The main reason for our questioning the

selections is that we feel, along with most of the student body, that there are students who are as deserving as those who were selected.

Also, under the present selection procedure, many deserving students who are working toward majors in departments which are small in comparison to other departments do not have as great a chance of being selected as those who are in the larger departments. This is discrimination. Ms. Wilson's assertion that we contestants would have been content if we had chosen to be "honored" has absolutely no truthful basis. At least six of those who were selected have expressed opinions that the selections were unfair, and are among some of the strongest protesters.

We are now in the process of outlining a new procedure for the selection of Who's Who so that the honor of the position will not be diminished by undeserving students and most of all that those truly deserving students might receive a reward for their dedicated leadership, scholarship, and service. It is our ultimate goal to devise a system which the majority of the students and faculty at CVC can accept and, as a result, honor the truly honorable.

- Mariene Swiney
Joetta R. Holbrook
Diana Faye Collins
Randolph Scott Taylor
Timothy A. Miller
Maggie Steel
Brenda Ely
M. Bowen

The Fun Is There: Find It!

The constant gripe at Clinch Valley College is: "There's nothing to do here!" Well, that comment comes from those who sit and stare at the walls in their room. That is not the way to find out about what 'is' going on.

Among the things that are going on, one of the most common is a Basketball game. It's an absolute shame that Clinch Valley College students will not fill the stands at their home games. The players work hard, and fan support can make the difference in spirit and score. A quiet gymnasium is detrimental to a team's attitude and destroys the "home court advantage." And, this year especially, the CVC Cavaliers play better with a supporting audience. So, if you are wanting something to do, the home ballgames are free to students. Get out and cheer!

Also, the clubs are constantly sponsoring dances, films, and concerts. Though most of these cost a few coins, they do give people a chance to get out of their rooms and do something. That's what it's all about anyway - getting out and doing something.

However, everyone seems to forget that the average college student is under a financial strain - after buying books, paying tuition, and all of the other incidentals including the student activity

David Allio

McCrary Hall Holds Annual Christmas Party

by Sandy Cannaday

On December 9, Emma McCrary Hall held its annual Christmas Party. The usual refreshments of punch and cookies were served. Chancellor Smiddy with his fiddle, Dallas Tanner with his guitar and Dexter Ramey with his hammer dulcimer enhanced the evening with Christmas songs. Also the doors to the girls rooms

were decorated and judged for originality. Surprisingly this was the most interesting and revealing part of the evening. Unconsciously, the three doors tying for first place demonstrated the differing ideals and values of Christmas. Cathy Anderson and Mary Jo Teglas created the child's ideal with the door dressed as a window with a peering Santa Clause, a fireplace, and a Christmas tree.

Standing beneath the tree were caroling children and a howling dog. Susan Tester and Sandra Burden captured the racy view of Christmas. Plastered on their door was a holed and gartered leg with a candy cane placed between the toes. Written in big red letters was, "Come on in and have a very merry Christmas." Finally Maureen Reynolds and Susan Perkins rebelled against the commercialization of Christmas - including flashy doors. On plain brown paper held by masking tape was written, "Bah, Humbug! Christmas is not only in foil and flashing lights, but in the giving and receiving - not of gifts - but of love... Merry Christmas, Love Maureen and Susan.

Dr. Vicars Speaks At Regional Meeting

Dr. Bob Vicars presented a paper to a group attending the 1976 annual meeting of the Southern Business Administration - Management Association, held November 17-19 in Atlanta, Georgia. The title of the presentation was "An Analysis of Management Trends in Higher Education." The presentation and the subsequent discussion centered around the increasing adoption of business management tools by college and university ad-

ministrators. Dr. Vicars' paper was taken from his dissertation entitled "Changes in College Presidents' Role Under A Centralized State Board." Several of the professors and administrators attending the meeting have requested copies of the dissertation.

The SBAA is a regional group for the improvement of business education in the colleges and universities of the South. Membership in the organization is now well over two hundred business colleges, schools, departments, and private business firms. Although most of its members are drawn from a broad Southern region ranging from Virginia to Texas, there are some members from states outside this region.

Dr. Vicars is an Assistant Professor of Business at Clinch Valley College.

CLINCH VALLEY CANES NEXT TO CVC

JERRY'S 7-11 MARKET Main Street - - Wise Cheapest Off-Premise BEER in Town!

Leather Crafts Display

The John Cook Wylie Library now has Fred Rowe's leather crafts on display. A versatile and skilled craftsman, Fred has made belts, wallets, moccasins, boots, purses, sandals, sun visors, and key rings, which he

hand-painted. Fred picked up his leather-making skill while still in high school. He said he got tired of paying high prices for wallets and other leather goods and found it was much cheaper to make his own. Many of these items would make excellent Christmas gifts, and Fred is quite willing to sell them. See him about prices, alterations, and having your name put on the item. This leather crafts display will be on exhibit until December 17th.

THE END ZONE Main Street - - Wise Where the Liveliest Crowd in Town Gathers LIVE ENTERTAINMENT Wednesday Nights

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Library Info For Exam Pron... In order to accommodate all busy-eyed crammers, the Library will be open 18 extra hours exam week. Friday, December 10 8 a.m. - 9 p.m. Saturday, December 11 8 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. Sunday, December 12 1:30 - 10 p.m. Monday, December 13 - Thursday, Dec. 16 8 a.m. - 10 p.m. *Friday, December 17 8 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. *All Books Are Due By Friday, December 17. Arrangements can be made to check books out over the holidays. Please Note: We will Be Open Saturday and Until 10 P.M. Sunday - Thursday.

Jimson Weed Ready! The latest issue of CVC's literary magazine Jimson Weed will be ready for sale and distribution on Thursday, December 16. This is your unique opportunity to discover what the avant-garde really means! To actually witness real live poetry breathing before you on the page, making love to what you had thought all this time was an irreconcilable hatred for literature, you sly little devil! The Winter 1976 issue of Jimson Weed is guaranteed to warm your cold appendages, and fan the fire of your hot ones. Just think, you can own and read at leisure your won copy of tomorrow's classics, without having to worry about writing a term paper on them. No but seriously folks, all silliness and delusions of grandeur aside, this issue has some real gems, some authentic human family jewels. Poetry by Ben Rasmie, Robert Baber, John McCutcheon, Richard Peake, Theresa Mullins, Robert Kuhlken, and more, including works of Betsy Sholl, who made such a profound and lasting impact at the last poetry reading. This issue also features a new short story by Tom Crowe, the widely acclaimed starboard bulwark of Clinch Valley's own peculiar brand of Beat Bohemia. And graphically speaking, there is the fine photo work of Mark Humphries and Mary Ann Tucker, as well as a generous offering from the pen and ink drawing legacy of Eugene Ham. Jimson Weed is available from the following easy-to-find outlets: East Side Book Store, 34 St. Mark's Place, New York, New York; Lawrence Ferlinghetti's City Lights Book Store, Grant Street, San Francisco, California; and Nic's Bookstore, Southard St. just off Duval St., Key West Florida. But save yourself some gas and get your copy right here in Wise! Yes, we are pleased to announce our new distributor - none other than Brent Kennedy's Eclectic. Of course, if you find it impossible to reach any of these four locations, despair not! You can get your copy of Jimson Weed through the mail by sending fifty cents to: Jimson Weed, Circulation Dept., Box 488 CVC, make sure to include your address so we can rush out your copy without delay. And just remember, that no matter what you do, no matter what god you pray to, that each year the Zen Buddhist's week of intense meditation, known as Rohatsu, is always terminated by celebrating the Feast of the Immaculate Conception.

An Ending . . .

A Beginning

Dear Friends, I am writing this letter to everyone at Clinch Valley College because as of January 1, I will begin working as Baptist campus minister at Virginia Commonwealth University in Richmond. I want to attempt to express to you what CVC has meant to me and to Elizabeth. We know many of you very well and others of you we know only by name or when we see you on campus. But we want to express to you all our love and concern for you and for CVC. You have made us a part of you and this has been our home. The warmth and naturalness and openness that is CVC is very important and precious to us. We are better people for having lived and worked among you! We pray that the love of God will be real to each of you. We shall always thank God for our friends here and for our opportunity of sharing a part of life at Clinch Valley College. This is a very special place!

Peace, Dean Trickett Baptist Campus Minister

A Christmas Wish 1618 NOV 76 M.P. 54 Every day... In every way... we hope you experience the joys and wonderment of this festive season.

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Bronwyn J. Comes To CVC

Miss Bronwyn Jones, a UVA costume designer, will be joining the faculty for the spring semester. She will have completed her M.F.A. program in Theatre Arts at Charlottesville and will be joining us through the recently established Theatre Intern Program.

She will be teaching several courses, including a three hour course in costuming (Theatre

302). Covered in the course will be a brief history of costuming, pattern making, costume design, and construction. The content will be tailored to suit the desires and needs of both theatre and non-theatre students.

She will also be teaching a one-hour course in stage make-up (Theatre 302) and a three-hour course in oral interpretation (Theatre 102).

Both the costume and makeup classes will be held at an hour to be arranged for the convenience of those who enroll.

Another theatre course that should be of general interest will be taught by C.W. Lewis: Acting II (Theatre 202). It is a three-hour course in stage dialects. Covered will be three varieties of British speech (Public School Standard, Irish Standard, Scots Standard, and Cockney); at least two varieties of American speech (New England Standard and possibly -- should we be able to prevail upon Mr. Ham -- Mississippi/Delta speech); and three foreign dialects (Italian, French, and German). Although Theatre 201 is listed as a prerequisite for the dialects course, students will be able to enroll with the permission of the instructor.

Note: Students interested in participating in theatre during the spring semester -- either as actors or members of stage crews -- are reminded that they can receive two hours of credit for such activity by signing up for Theatre 250.

From C.W. Lewis

CVC Women's Basketball Team Beats ALC

Clinch Valley's Lady Cavaliers opened their 1976-77 basketball season with a 71-47 win over Alice Lloyd College. Through aggressive defensive play the Lady Cavaliers pulled

51 rebounds off the boards and were able to contain Alice Lloyd's 6'6" forward to eight points. J. Meade of Alice Lloyd was high scorer for the game with 18 points, while

CVC placed four players in double figures. Kathy Kilgore was high scorer for CVC with 16 points and an even more impressive 19 rebounds. Kathy Mahan and Robin Ollinger

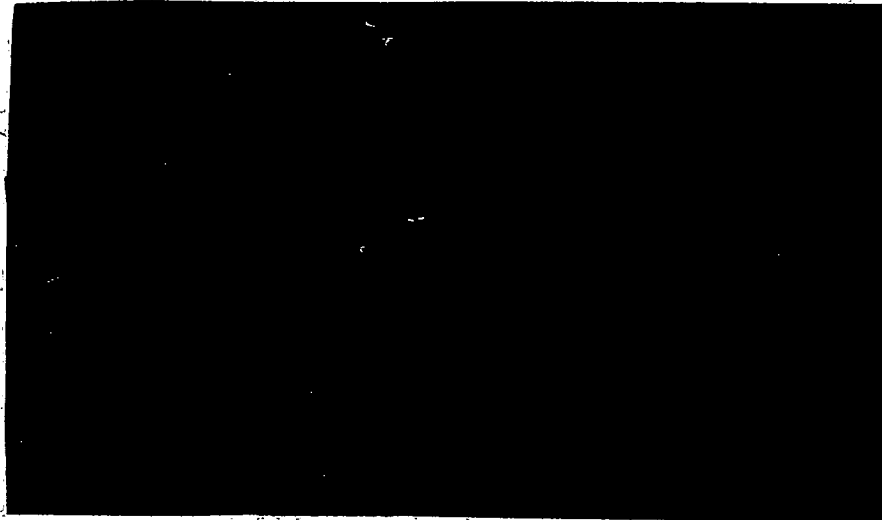
each hit 14 points and Carol Reazor added 12.

The women's team next home game will be with Sue Bennett College at 5:30, Thursday, December 9. This game will precede the men's game with Emory & Henry at 7:30.

Scorers: CVC: Kilgore 16, Ollinger 14, Mahan 14, Reazor 12, Carter 7, Reeder 3, Cox 3, Rife 2, Adams, Wallace Potter.

Alice Lloyd: Allen 12, Meade 18, McCall 8, Holbrook 6, Joints 3.

Halftime Score: CVC 37 - Alice Lloyd 21.



Lady Cavaliers in action against the Gray Panthers in opening night benefit game.

CVC Prof Attends Metric Conference

Dr. William Hooper, professor at Clinch Valley College, attended a national conference on metric education in Dearborn, Michigan, November 22 through 24.

In numerous meetings and workshops over the three-day period, Dr. Hooper shared with other participants information and experience on the quickening conversion of the U.S. to the metric system of measure. Speakers and other participants included college teachers of education from Michigan and as far away as Maryland, Florida and Nova Scotia. Also, speaking or leading workshops or discussions were classroom teachers, gov-

ernment officials and astronaut John Thornton of NASA. Several of the speakers were from nearby Canada which has recently converted completely to the International System (IS) as the modernized metric system is officially known.

Although Dr. Hooper is primarily a professor of physics, he has recently taught courses, held workshops and spoken to school and community groups on the metric system as it will effect the average consumer. Dr. Hooper is a member of the U.S. Metric Association and part of the U.S.M.A. speakers bureau.

Classical Film Series-1977 Spring

Spring 1977 Season:

- Feb. 7- The Grapes of Wrath
- Feb. 14- Wuthering Heights
- Feb. 21- Bringing Up Baby
- Feb. 28- Night of the Hunter
- Mar. 14- The Westerner
- Mar. 21- The Wild Child
- Mar. 28- On the Town
- April 4- Hiroshima Mon Amour
- April 18- It's a Wonderful Life
- April 25- Shane

- Henry Fonda
- Laurence Olivier
- Gary Grant, K. Hepburn
- Robert Mitchum, S. Winters
- Gary Cooper
- Francis Truffaut
- Gene Kelly, F. Sinatra
- Emmanuelle Rivé
- Jimmy Stewart, D. Reed
- Liv Ullmann

Educational Co-Op

To Offer Video Course

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Both black & white and color video will be covered and studio set-ups as well as field operations.

The course will offer three quarter hours of credit and the fee is \$94.00 (plus \$5.00 for first-time enrollees at Mountain Empire.)

Those wishing further information may contact the office of Continuing Education at the college, or Paul Congo at the Diversified Educational Cooperative.



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