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Bette Davis and Joan Crawford in the chilling *Whatever Happened to Baby Jane*. Bette Davis has a homicidal field day as a frustrated ex-film star whose only pleasure seems to be torturing her sister Banchie (Joan Crawford). The film will be shown on Sunday, March 20, in the CVC Science Lecture Hall at 3:00 and 8:00 p.m. A Laurel and Hardy film, *The Music Box*, will also be shown.

Virginia Museum Theatre Commedia Dell'Arte Troupe To Be Featured At CVC

A traveling troupe of actors and actresses from the Virginia Museum Theatre in Richmond will bring to Wise County the performing arts-style known as *Commedia dell'arte*.

The group will perform here March 23, according to an announcement made by Dr. Charles E. Dickson, president of the Pro-Art Association, a chapter of the Virginia Museum, local sponsors for the event. The performance will be presented free of charge and will be open to members of the Virginia Museum chapter who must present their membership cards at the door.

The company consists of participants in the VMT Resident Apprenticeship Program who will be performing in 19 Virginia localities during the tour. The program has been made possible through a grant from the Mobil Foundation in cooperation with Mobil Chemical Company in Richmond, with matching funds provided by the Virginia Commission of the Arts and Humanities and Mr. and Mrs. E. Claiborne Robins of Richmond.

Commedia dell'arte developed in Italy during the 16th century and flourished in that area for some 200 years, spreading its influences out into all of Europe and into England where it served as the basis for the development of the Harlequinades and the *Perambulatory Punch and Judy* shows.

Improvisation is the key to *Commedia* performances. The performers are placed in a situation with a pre-arranged synopsis and make up at least

some of their speeches as they go along, giving rise to a free-wheeling, rollicking production that combines slapstick, mime and music.

The scenarios feature the antics of such delightful clowns as the famous Harlequin, the foolish old man, Pantalone, the braggart soldier, *Il Capitano*, the clever, zany servant Pedrolino, the pompous and pedantic *Il Dottore*, set against such captivating beauties as Columbine and Flaminia. The performances are designed to delight both young and old.

The Virginia Museum Theatre's *Commedia dell'arte* troupe will perform at 8:00 PM at the J. J. Kelly High School Auditorium in Wise.

A reception for all those in attendance will be held immediately following the performance. Mrs. Jack Hatcher, Pro-Art Entertainment Chairman, will be assisted by Mrs. Carl Hamilton, Mrs. W.A. Thompson, Jr., Mrs. Jim Brown, and Mrs. Ronald Clark.

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Special Educational Memberships for students, faculty and school staff members are available at \$19.00 through the non-profit student travel

organization, CIEE (Council on International Educational Exchange), 777 United Nations Plaza, New York City, 10017.

Important Changes In Parking Regulations

The parking system, which was initiated in September of 1976, has been operating reasonably well but has three major problems to date. With your cooperation the system can be corrected when inequities are discovered.

The following changes will be effective March 13, 1977, as soon as we return from the spring break.

1) Presently, parking regulations are effective between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday. In keeping with the premise that each person should be able to park nearest

his/her primary place of business or abode, it is necessary to allow only those cars with blue decals (dormitory students) to park in lots with blue designations. This will be a 24-hour regulation, seven days per week while school is in session. Outside visitors and commuting students with green decals cannot park in blue parking lots. Residents of the dorms should inform their visitors of this regulation.

2) Another major problem deals with the fact that many students have not registered their car. A concentrated effort will soon be made to determine who the offenders are. Regulations state that registration of a motor vehicle

is considered part of academic registration. You are asked to cooperate and register your vehicle immediately if you have not done so. There are stiff penalties for non-registered cars.

3) New parking tickets are being printed to change the visitors' policy. Presently, the ticket states that visitors should disregard ticket. The new one will state "Visitors Must Void Ticket Within 48 Hours in Room 115 Of The Administration Building."

We will continue to look at these policies and hope these changes will make the system better for all concerned. If you have suggestions, please let us know about them.

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Last Day To Drop

The last day to drop individual course is Thursday, March 24.

Help Wanted

The Self-Serve located on 1639 West Main Street in Norton, Va. needs applicants for part-time employment. Mainly cashier work. Call 679-4504 and ask for Ron.

Attention: 1977 Graduates

Since many of you have not completed a placement file, I would like to invite you to do so before graduation. This service is free and could enhance your chances for employment. Please stop by the placement office in A-238 or A-239 and see Mr. Ely or Carol Still.

College To Consider UVA Break

At the February meeting of the faculty a resolution was proposed that CVC consider a new name for the college and that our relationship with the University of Virginia be terminated. A committee was appointed by Dean Low to study the matter and make recommendations. This committee is seeking input from all interested parties, and would especially appreciate learning how the students, faculty, and administration feel about the matter. Everyone is invited and encouraged to answer the following two questions, and make any comments that you wish.

1. Do you think that Clinch Valley College should retain its current relationship as a university college of the University of Virginia, or should it be separated and allowed to form its own Board of Visitors?

2. Do you think that Clinch Valley College should retain its name, or should the name be changed?

These are separate questions and should be considered independently. You are encouraged to respond to this important matter. Please send your responses to J. Rex Baird, Chairman of Committee, Science Building.

Convocation Schedule

Wednesday, March 23, 1977

Block			
I	8:40		9:25
II	9:35		10:30
Lecture*	10:30		11:30
III	11:40		12:25
IV	12:35		1:20
V	1:30		2:15
VI	2:25		3:10
VII	3:20		4:05
VIII	4:15		5:00

International Club Dinner

On Sunday evening, March 27, the International Club is sponsoring a dinner that will feature Indian cuisine and entertainment. All those interested in attending please fill in the invitation (one per person) and drop it into campus mail and you will be notified of the time and place of this extravaganza through campus mail.

To: Usha Arunachalam
Box 1052

Name:

Box/No.

Please check one of the following:
 campus resident
 off-campus resident.

Summer Employment

This is to advise students at Clinch Valley College of the summer college work-study program at our institution. Employment will be available for qualified applicants both on and off campus.

There will be an unlimited number of job opportunities on our campus for the summer months beginning immediately

following the graduating exercises on May 15, 1977. Many persons are needed to make our campus attractive and to serve the students at CVC. If you are interested in this kind of employment please apply soon.

For those of you who qualify and would like to work in your home town, there will be an opportunity for approximately

twenty-five (25) students to earn money and stay at home. Special forms need to be completed soon and no later than April 1, 1977, to be considered for off-campus employment.

Please inquire in the Student Affairs Office and place your name on the summer employment list soon.

Representative Elections To Be Held

Elections for all Student Government, Honor Court, and Student Disciplinary Board positions will be held on April 6, 1977. Any student wishing to run for an office may pick up a petition in Dean Allen's or Dean Humphrey's office. These petitions with the necessary signatures, must be turned in to the Dean of Students' office or to the President of the Election Commission, Tony Graham, no later than April 1, 1977.

La Casa Blanca

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who share their Spanish backgrounds: Henry B. Gonzalez and Eligio de la Garza from Texas, Manuel Lujan Jr. from New Mexico, Edward R

Roybal from California, and Mr. Lujan are Democrats. Numerous non-Hispanic congressmen represent substantial Hispanic minorities,

ranging to more than 40 percent, making a knowledge of the language an increasingly important qualification for office.

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