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Ellsworth chosen as Vice Chancellor

Clinch Valley College Chancellor Jim A. Knight announced February 1 that Dr. Lucius F. Ellsworth has accepted the appointment as Vice Chancellor and Dean, effective April 1, 1990.

As chief academic officer, he will be responsible for the college's academic and student life programs. He also will have an academic appointment as Professor of History.

"CVC is fortunate to secure the services of a man of Dr. Ellsworth's experience and talent," Knight said in announcing the appointment. "He will bring an understanding of state and national issues in higher education as well as a keen interest in returning to the campus."

Ellsworth comes to CVC from the Tennessee Higher Education Commission, where for the past three years he has been Associate Executive Director for Academic Affairs.

His earlier career includes two years as Associate Vice Chancellor for Academic Programs in the State University System of

Florida, which has nine comprehensive public universities enrolling nearly 135,000 students. He also was associated for 17 years with the University of West Florida, which is organized into three colleges, as Dean of the College of Arts and Science, Provost of Alpha College, Assistant to the Provost of Gamma College, and Professor of History.

He was a Fellow in Academic Administration for the American Council of Education at the University of Minnesota, where he conducted an extensive study of the tuition system and developed a structure for faculty and student participation in budgetary matters. Other positions were Acting Coordinator of the Hagley Graduate Program and Adjunct Instructor of History at the University of Delaware and Eleutherian Mills-Hagley Foundation in Wilmington, Visiting Honors Professor at Villanova University, and Residence Hall Director at the University of Delaware.

Ellsworth earned a B.A. in economics and history from the College of Wooster, the

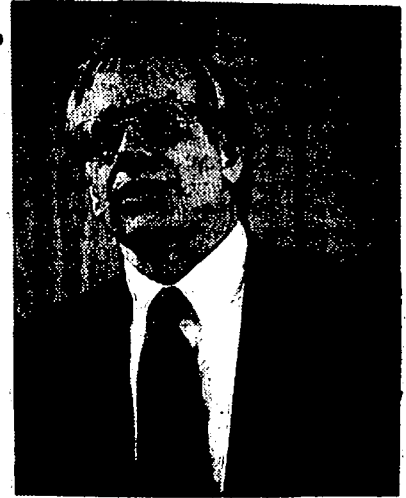
master of arts degree in American History and Historical Agency Administration at the University of Delaware, and the Ph.D. in American History at the University of Delaware.

He is author or co-author of eight books on early American technology, the American leather industry, American economic history, and the Gulf Coast. Other publications include articles in professional journals and an entry in the *Dictionary of American History*.

Ellsworth produced two programs on the American industrial revolution for WSRE-TV, Florida, and a documentary for public broadcasting entitled *West Florida's Forgotten People*, which was distributed in Alabama, Florida, Nebraska and Louisiana.

Works in progress are a study of the lumber industry along the Gulf Coast and an artists' view of West Florida in the period 1820 to 1940.

He and his wife Betty have three children and two step children.



The search for a vice chancellor and dean at Clinch Valley began in last spring 1989. Ellsworth was selected from 92 candidates who applied for the position.

He succeeds Jerry D. Cardwell who resigned last summer to accept the position of Provost at Livingston University in Alabama.

UVa at Wise: Will a name change our image?



Kennedy introduces name to state General Assembly

John Martin
Staff Writer

"University of Virginia at Wise". This is the proposed name for Clinch Valley College as outlined in a resolution introduced to the state General Assembly by Delegate Jack Kennedy.

If passed, the resolution would require the University of Virginia to conduct a feasibility study and present their findings to the legislature by October 1, 1990. Kennedy explained to members of the SGA in a recent meeting. The Norton delegate went on to state that support for his proposal was high and that he felt confident the issue would pass through both houses of the assembly.

The SGA, which had been attempting to change the CVC name to "Darden College" without legislative aid, unanimously voted to support Kennedy's efforts in a January 30 meeting. The SGA sought the

name Darden over UVa at Wise for fear that the latter would be rejected by the Board of Visitors. With stronger support, the SGA feels that UVa at Wise would be preferred by students and alumni, SGA president Erick Bowman stated.

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What kinds of change might the new name bring? When asked to explain the reasoning behind his resolution, Kennedy expressed a desire to bolster the image of CVC for recruiting purposes and eliminate the regional stigma that some associate

with the current name. Kennedy, a CVC alumni himself, stated that a number of graduates have expressed to him a willingness to extend the CVC reputation outside the Southwest Virginia area and that he viewed this measure as a means of doing so.

Some alumni, faculty and students favor keeping the current name in order to build tradition. They point to the fact that CVC is 35 years old and claim that not enough time has elapsed to firmly establish a strong academic tradition.

Other alumni express resentment against the name change because they graduated under the CVC name. Even though any change would allow graduates to receive new diplomas, they feel a loss of personal tradition.

In a telephone interview with *The Highland Cavalier*, President of the Student

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Spiritually Speaking:

Baptist Student Union offers tradition and fun

Jim Collie
Baptist Campus Minister

If two years in a row makes a tradition, then we have a new one established at the Baptist Student Union. The first Spring semester meeting last year, Bob Dize made chili. This past week we had chili a la Chef Dize again. It was delicious. Ask Bob for his recipe.

Before, during and after the meal we talked chili. You would probably never guess all the ways there are of fixing this popular dish. In Southern Indiana, chili is always served over thin strand spaghetti. Some Hoosiers skip the beans, too. In Cincinnati they make five-layer chili: a layer of spaghetti, a layer of beans, a layer of sauce, a layer of grated cheese and a layer of chopped onion. Of course there is always good old chili con carne by Chef Dize.

All of this goes to say that good things are not always done the same or are they immediately recognized. The manna that God used to feed the Hebrews in the wilderness is a good example. The very word "manna" means "what is it?" in the Hebrew language.

God is at work to surprise us with blessings. Sometimes it may take some work, some probing, some questioning to savor the true meaning.

Thirty-six students receive degrees in December

Thirty-six Clinch Valley College students completed degree requirements at the end of the 1989 fall semester. Degrees will be conferred at commencement exercises on May 27.

Those who completed bachelor of arts degrees are Vickie L. Barton, Haysi; Karen Sparks Chafin, Big Stone Gap, magna cum laude; Pamela Diana Dowdy, Richlands, magna cum laude; Cynthia Whitaker Ferguson, Leesburg; Judith Carty Gibson,

Castlewood, cum laude; Tamas Rodder Glover, Castlewood, cum laude; Bertie Sue Lester Hale, Vansant, magna cum laude; Lisa Jo Harmon, Lebanon, magna cum laude; Lea Ann Kalina, Clintwood; Michael Dwayne Maggard, Pound; Melissa Ruth Milton, Castlewood, cum laude; Betty Marshall Rose, Nickelsville, magna cum laude; Jeffrey Allen Sergeant, Mayking, KY, cum laude; Jimmy Ray Smith, Exeter; Cathy Sue Stanley, Vansant, magna cum laude; Carla Jean Burroughs Stone, St. Paul, magna cum

laude; Charlie Ritchie Turner, Clinchco; and Austin Deaniston Weiss, Sag Harbor, NY.

Those who completed bachelor of science degrees are James Scott Bise, Coeburn; Susa Deneen Blevins, Clintwood; Sharon DeBusk Byington, Pennington Gap, magna cum laude; Curtis Claude Collins, Jonesville; Christopher Joe Edwards, Dryden; Wendell Leigham Gibson, Norton, cum

laude; Amy Lenore Goff, Gainesville, FL; Judy Carol Harman Housker, Keen Mountain, magna cum laude; Charlie Wiley Hutson, Jr., Abingdon; Edwin G. Kinser, Pound; Thomas Roscoe Matney, Bluefield; Kevin Dean Minion, Clintwood; Robert Shawn Pickett, Clintwood; Bryan Curtis Richards, Abingdon, cum laude; Edward James Ritterbusch, Fredericksburg; Vickie Annette Rodder, Goodview; William Edward Shuss, Coeburn; and Regina Lynn Smith, Coeburn.

of the blessing. Bon Appetite!

The Baptist Student Union has begun an exciting series of programs for the CVC Spring semester. Based on the theme "Personal Commitment" each week one aspect of the Christian life is explored by an area Baptist Pastor. Topics being treated are: Salvation, Assurance of Salvation, Baptism, Church Membership, Reaffirmation of Lordship, Commitment to Church Vocation, and Toward Christianity Maturity. Each of these terms will be explained and discussed. Most of them are held in common by all Christians. It is intended that any one could come and be informed about the Christian faith. These programs are for everyone: new Christians, old Christians, non-Christians, and Christians of all denominations. A study guide for the program series is available free of charge.

The Baptist Student Union meets each Wednesday in the Baptist Student Center at 4:30 P.M. for a snack supper and a program. A \$1.00 donation for BSU Summer Missions is asked of everyone attending.

The Baptist Student Center is open to all CVC students, faculty, and staff from 9 A.M. until 10 P.M. daily. There is a fully equipped kitchen, a TV lounge, study, Prayer Room, classroom, and large meeting room with a ping pong table. You are invited to the Baptist Student Center.

For more information about BSU, please contact Jim Collie, Baptist Campus Minister, or our BSU officers: Laryssa Shepherd, Craig Short, Kim Mayse, and Lisa Bevins. Dr. Peter Yun is Faculty Advisor and Dr. Ray Jones, Pastor of the Wise Baptist Church, is Pastor Advisor.



Dania Bilal joins Clinch Valley library staff

Aaron F. Schnore
Staff Writer

Dr. Dania M. Bilal joined the CVC staff as the new Associate Director of the John Cooke Wylie Library on January 16.

Dr. Bilal will "supervise day-to-day operations and provide reference assistance." Most notably, Dr. Bilal will help pioneer the library's planned automation project. This new system will further facilitate the information retrieval process for students and faculty and can provide up-to-date information on the more obscure topics to which the library's current systems may not have immediate access. "The system," says Dr. Bilal, "will signal a shift in the school's technology."

Dr. Bilal will also teach a class to train upper level library science students how to monitor the system. Unfortunately, recent budget-cuts have further delayed installation.

Dr. Bilal came to CVC from the University of South Florida in Tampa, where she served as business librarian. She has also held positions at Florida International University and Florida State University.

Dr. Bilal received her Bachelor of Science in Information Science and Library Studies at the Lebanese University in Beirut. She was then awarded her Masters and Ph.D. degrees in Library and Information Science by Florida State University.

The new director has published articles in professional library journals and in two books, *Integrating Library Use Skills into the General Education Curriculum* and *Translating an International Education to a National Environment*.

"I find the campus and town community very peaceful and very friendly," remarked Dr. Bilal, whose last school's student body was over 28,000. "At this point," she added, "I enjoy being in a small town like Wise."

Finally, Dr. Bilal observed that the faculty and administration at CVC seem to be very supportive of the school's library system and emphasizes to the students that the library's principal role is to serve them directly and to provide them with all

sports CVC Football team in early planning stages

Anthony Vestal
Sports Editor

CVC- "Football is feasible at Clinch Valley College," announced members of the football advisory committee during a meeting late in the fall semester of 1989. The advisory committee constructed a newsletter on the possibility of football at CVC and listed some of the positive effects that a successful football team could have on a small college such as Clinch Valley. The major influence would be a total galvanization of the campus with increases in enrollment and student morale. Information on the financial situation of the proposal was also provided during the meeting. The council stated that the funds can be raised and that independent and private sources would be the major contributors. The fund would provide for necessary equipment, construction of a playing field, travel expenses, and, finally, for the addition of a quality coaching staff.

Even though private sources would provide the funds they would not necessarily control the team. "The football team would be controlled entirely by the college," Chancellor Knight stated during the faculty meeting. Most importantly, Knight added that no academic funds would

be used in support of football.

The players would be recruited mainly out of the southwest Virginia area. Virginia High School League Districts such as the Lonesome Pine, Highland, Southwest, and the Black Diamond do not always get the recognition of having quality football players. In fact, just this past season southwestern Virginia produced three state champions, Appalachia and Powell Valley High Schools from the Lonesome Pine district in group A and Graham High School from the Southwest district in group AA.

Some of the faculty expressed their views and gave comments on the situation during the meeting. "It has to work well in a variety of ways" stated professor of Political Science Joe Scolnick. With four intramural sports, two women's and four men's intercollegiate sports the question of whether a football team will do what CVC wants it to do was posed by Ron Heise, professor of English, "Even in a situation such as Carson Newman College where the football team is annually successful, there is a considerable lack of student support." Obviously for the team to be successful it has to receive support from students, faculty, alumni, and the surrounding community. Knight commented that he is constantly hearing positive remarks about the project from alumni members and residents of the surrounding area.

Knight is really positive about the venture and is almost certain that football will be played at CVC in the future. Even with all of the progress that is being made at this time the exact starting date can't be projected until the necessary funds have been raised and all of the preliminary procedures are taken care of.

Highland Cavaliers in bid for playoff spot

Mark Roberts
Sports Writer

the most important to the Cavaliers from here on out.

The team is currently on a three game losing skid, but all three games were against good teams on the road. Being this as it may, Hall feels this could be bearing too much on his team's mind, "I think to some degree we are too conscience of losing. We're playing to keep from losing, instead of playing to win."

Hall also noted that the teams remaining on the schedule are also fighting for that eight team playoff field.

Also worth noting are some personal achievements thus far. Jeff Miller is presently second in district scoring with a 22.36 average and his .893 percentage from the charity stripe is fifth best. Trey

CVC- With seven games remaining on their schedule, the Cavalier basketball team is in the midst of a heated battle for playoff eligibility.

Coch Barney Hall and Company, at 12-11 overall, are fighting with four, maybe five other teams for a chance to play in the N.A.I.A. District 32 Playoffs, which accepts the eight best overall records out of the district's 12 teams.

At the present, CVC's record is ninth best and only a few percentage points behind eighth best Berea.

So with this in mind, there is no doubt as to which letter in the alphabet is

Wilburn is currently fourth in rebounding with 9 per game, while Keith Ingram's 4.8 assists per game is tenth best.

With seven games left, the Cavaliers will have their hands full scraping for those precious w's. CVC could get back on track at home Saturday night against Virginia Intermont.

- How the Cavs have fared since January 6:
- 6 CVC-58 Roanoke-92
 - 11 CVC-72 Bluefield-75
 - 13 CVC-74 -Virginia Intermont-73
 - 15 CVC-105 Milligan-93
 - 18 CVC-79 Alice Lloyd-84
 - 20 CVC-62 Tusculum-60
 - 22 CVC-54 Emory & Henry-82
 - 27 CVC-67 Union-71
 - 29 CVC-70 King-82

Lady Cavs win one, lose one last week

The Clinch Valley College Lady Cavaliers posted a big win over the Virginia Intermont Lady Cobras Tuesday night by a score of 80-69.

Cindy Blao led all scorers with 23 points, including five three-point goals. Lisa Crabtree had 21, Tommie Peace added 14 and Mendee Davis connected for 10 points on the evening. With both teams tied at 36 at

halftime, CVC's pressure defense took control of the game in the second half and aided the Lady Cavs to a commanding eleven point lead and the victory.

The Lady Cavs were not as prosperous on Monday evening as they were handed a 98-58 setback by the Lady Tornadoes of King College.

Diane Arrington and Mendee Davis led in scoring for CVC as each had 14 points apiece. Cindy Blao had 12 and Jackie Davis added 10.

The Lady Cavs are now 5-11 overall and will be traveling to Washington D.C. for a tournament during the weekend of February 2-4.

Intramural Basketball
Hosts the Feb. 12 & 13 cap the meeting Feb. 15 at 12pm in the GYM. All team captains must be present.

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Council at UVa, Ron Howhauer, expressed approval for the resolution as an individual student. Howhauer cited the projected student increase in Virginia over the next ten years and the potential recruiting benefits to CVC as reasons to adopt the new name. He stated that rapid student growth at UVa might damage the existing academic environment there due to already large numbers of students, whereas CVC might be more suited to accommodate a rising student population.
Kennedy added that there is no specific time frame for the issue to be voted upon, but that he expected it to reach the appropriate committee within two weeks and be voted upon soon thereafter.

The Highland Cavalier Staff

In Memory



Family, students, faculty, and staff gathered in the Chapel this past Thursday in memory of Jeffrey Brown, who died Jan. 17, 1990.

Reverend Jim Collie conducted the memorial service, while Sharon Neece, a student, spoke of Brown's involvement in CVC's Psychology Club.

Brown, a 21-year-old resident of Gate City, graduated from Gate City High School in 1986. He then graduated with honors from Mountain Empire Community College and was currently a junior at CVC. Brown was a member of the Roadside Mission Baptist Church in Gate City.

Deadline for submitting copy to The Highland Cavalier is WEDNESDAYS at 2:00pm.

Pro-Art

February 14, 1990
Amaryllis Productions in
MA RAINEY'S BLACK BOTTOM a play
7:30 pm
Powell Valley High School, Big Stone Gap, Virginia

February 22, 1990
PLUNKY AND ONENESS
7:30 pm
Clinch Valley College Theatre,
Wise, Virginia

March 6, 1990
LIONEL HAMPTON AND HIS ORCHESTRA
7:30 pm
Clinch Valley College Greear Gymnasium
Wise, Virginia

March 12-30, 1990, TBA
From the Virginia Museum of Fine Arts
BLUTE: ILLUSTRATIONS BY EDWARD LASHOCK, an exhibition
Clinch Valley College, C206, Wise, Virginia

March 19, 1990
The Barter Theatre in **STEEL MAGNOLIAS**
7:30 pm
Powell Valley High School, Big Stone Gap, Virginia

March 28, 1990
The Virginia Opera in **THE BARBER OF SEVILLE**
7:30 pm
J.J. Kelly High School, Wise, Virginia

classifieds

Last minute registration open for Photo Journalism course

Registration will continue through February 5 for photo journalism offered in the spring semester at Clinch Valley College.

Tuition and fees for the 1-semester-hour class is \$75.

The instructor is Werner Mertz, assistant professor of art at Clinch Valley College whose photographs have been published in books, magazines, catalogs, calendars, and brochures. He was the official photographer of the 1968 U.S. Wheelchair Olympics and the 1966 NCAA Gymnastic Championship.

For information call the Office of Adult Studies and Continuing Education, Clinch Valley College, at (703) 328-0134.

Miners' Family Scholarship applications being accepted

Clinch Valley College is now accepting applications for the Miners' Family Scholarship.

The Miners' Family Scholarship was established in 1987 by the CVC Alumni Association to provide financial support on the basis of merit and need to a coal miner or dependent of a coal miner from Southwest Virginia who attends or plans to attend Clinch Valley College as a full-time student.

Priority will be given to miners or families of miners who are unemployed, disabled, or retired.

Students may apply for the Miners' Family Scholarship by completing the Financial Aid Form (FAF) as well as the Miners' Family Scholarship application. Both forms may be obtained from the Financial Aid Office at CVC. Deadline for applications is April 1, 1990.

For more information, contact Sheila Cox, Director of Financial Aid, at 703/328-0139.

Former Atlanta Mayor to speak at Roanoke College

Former Mayor of Atlanta Andrew Young will speak at Roanoke College on Wednesday, February 21, at 7:30 p.m., in the Best Center. His visit to the Roanoke College campus is sponsored by the Henry H. Fowler Public Affairs Lecture Series and C&P Telephone Company. Young's lecture, "Civil Rights in America: Reflections on Achievements and Unfulfilled Goals," is open to the public at no charge, but complimentary tickets are required and will be available through the Olin Box Office beginning February 1.

To receive complimentary tickets, please send a self-addressed, stamped envelope to Olin Box Office, Roanoke College, Salem, VA 24153.

Minority conference to cover newspaper field

The Mid-Atlantic Regional Job Conference for minority students and young minority professionals interested in all aspects of the newspaper business will be held March 1-3 at the Holiday Inn-Midtown, 3200 West Broad Street, Richmond.

The fair—sponsored by the American Society of Newspaper Editors, the Task Force on Minorities in the Newspaper Business, the American Newspaper Publishers Association and Richmond Newspapers, Inc.—will bring together newspaper professionals, journalism educators and minority students and young minority professionals from Delaware, the District of Columbia, Maryland, Pennsylvania and Virginia, as well as some from points more distant. Its theme will be "Opportunities 1990."

Registration for the fair, an opening banquet and a social get-together will be held the evening of Thursday, March 1. Outstanding minority professionals will speak at the opening banquet and at the luncheon on Friday.

Deadline set for Scott County/Kingsport Scholarship

Clinch Valley College is now accepting applications for the Scott County/Kingsport Alumni Scholarship.

The Scott County/Kingsport Alumni Scholarship was established in 1969 by the Scott County/Kingsport Chapter of the CVC Alumni Association to provide financial support on the basis of merit and/or need to a student from Scott County, Virginia, or Kingsport, Tennessee, who attends or plans to attend Clinch Valley College as a full-time student.

Students may apply for the Scott County/Kingsport Alumni Scholarship by completing the Financial Aid Form (FAF) as well as the Scott County/Kingsport Alumni Scholarship application. Both forms may be obtained from the Financial Aid Office.

Office of Career Counseling and Placement

As graduation approaches, it becomes increasingly important to initiate the "job search." In the weeks to come, the Office of Career Counseling and Placement will be sponsoring a series of events to assist your employment search.

Watch for further notices concerning placement files, Career Fair '90, and resume writing workshops.

SGA Update

It was announced Wednesday that a referendum vote has been scheduled for February 14 so that students can decide the outcome of two issues currently facing the SGA.

The students will decide the outcome of the awarding of the disputed Homecoming games disputed prize money to five out of six campus organizations involved.

The students will also vote on a proposal to raise the number of student signatures required for petitions to the SGA. Under the new proposal, 25% of the student body will be required to sign petitions for student referendums as opposed to the present figure of 5%.

Kiser to present science lecture

Darita Kiser will present a seminar on "The Science of Chaos" on Friday, Feb. 9, 1990, at 1:30 p.m. in the Science Lecture Hall.

CVC Admissions Office announces hours

The Admissions Office at Clinch Valley College will be open on Saturdays from February through May, 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Visitors are asked to schedule appointments by calling the Admissions Office.

Peace Contest

The Standing Up for Peace Contest invites young people, 15-23, to talk face to face with someone who has refused to fight in war, pay taxes for war or build weapons for war, and then express themselves through writing, art or music. Deadline: May 1, 1990. \$500 and \$100 PRIZES! For a Contest Booklet, contact the Standing Up for Peace Contest, Fellowship of Reconciliation, Box 271, Nyack, New York 10960, (914) 358-4601.

Forms for declaration of major available at Registrar

DECLARING A MAJOR: When a full-time student has completed at least 54 semester hours and is classified as a third-year student, he/she must declare a major from the majors offered by the College and have a faculty advisor in the department that offers the major. A student may declare a major or change his/her major by completing the appropriate form in the Office of the Registrar.

CAMPUS CALENDAR

Revised SGA Dance Schedule

Due to the opinions of the students here at CVC the SGA and Interclub council have unanimously decided to change the dance dates. Below is a revised schedule.

DATE	ORGANIZATION
8 Feb. (Thurs.)	Phi Upsilon Omega
14 Feb. (Wed.)	Phi Sigma Kappa
22 Feb. (Thurs.)	Phi Beta Lambda ACM
1 March (Thurs.)	Phi Sigma Sorority
8 March (Thurs.)	Alpha Delta Chi
14 March (Wed.)	Pi Beta Kappa
29 March (Thurs.)	Int'l Club
5 April (Thurs.)	Sigma Zeta Circle K
12 April (Thurs.)	Chi Delta Rho
19 April (Thurs.)	Spring Formal
26 April (Thurs.)	Alpha Delta Chi Little Sisters
5 May (Sat.)	
10 May (Thurs.)	

Organizations will still be responsible for providing a weekend activity.

Free Yearbooks

The Alumni Office has yearbooks, mostly from dates in the 1980's, to give away. Call Valerie Stanley at 328-0128.



DANCE, DANCE, DANCE, DANCE

A dance sponsored by the brothers of Pi Kappa Phi will be held in the Gymnasium on Saturday, Feb. 10 from 2:00pm to 12:00am. "Thyas", who performed at Homecoming last year, will be the entertainment. Everyone is urged to attend.

DANCE, DANCE, DANCE, DANCE