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BACK ^{THE} BARRISTERS ^{BALL}

Plans for the first annual Barristers' Ball, to be held Friday, May 5, from 9:00 p.m. to 1:00 a.m. at the Virginia Room of the Williamsburg Lodge, are nearing completion. Steve Harris, Law Day Committee Chairman, states that reservations are being received daily, but hopes for an upswing in ticket sales within the next two weeks.

Engraved invitations have been sent to more than 700 people, including all students, faculty members, alumni and local dignitaries. However, so far only about 40 replies have been received. This means that sales have only reached the one-third mark toward the break-even point of 125 tickets. Thus, all students are urged to make their reservations within the next two weeks, so that final plans can be completed.

If 125 tickets are not sold, the SBA, which is sponsoring the dance, may be faced with a severe financial deficit, which could impair its activities in the near future. Affairs of this type have been held all too seldom at the law school and in the college community generally. If we are to see more of them, it is imperative that the student body lend its support to the Barristers' Ball, which promises to be a fine evening's entertainment.

Tickets for the evening's activities cost only \$10.00, and include all refreshments, especially liquor, mixes and set-ups, as well as other refreshments. Meyer Davis' Society Orchestra will play continuously

LASOK SPEAKS FRI.

Dr. Dominic Lasok, Visiting Professor of Law, will deliver an address to the student body on Friday, April 21 at 10:00 a.m. in the Campus Center Little Theatre. His topic will be: "Communist Law." This is the second in a series of lectures by Dr. Lasok. In the fall of this term, the professor from Exeter University in Great Britain delivered an address to the law student body on the practice of law in England.

throughout the evening. Its repertoire will include all types of music, from swing to big beat to rock and roll and progressive jazz.

Tickets may be obtained by mailing the reservation fee with the self-addressed envelope which all law students have received; they may also be purchased from Steve Harris personally, or next week from representatives in each of the law school classes.

SBA NOMINATES CANDIDATES FRI.

The next Student Bar Association meeting will be held on Friday, April 21 at 11:00 a.m. in Bryan A. The SBA nominating committee will at that time present a slate of nominees for offices for the 1967-68 term, after which the floor will be thrown open for nominations for the offices of President, Vice-President, Secretary-Treasurer and for membership on the Student Bar Council. Elections will be held on May 9, from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

To qualify for any of these offices, one must be a full-time law student for the entire year in which he will serve. By custom, nominees for President and Vice-President have come from the rising senior class, while nominees for the Secretary-Treasurer post have come from the rising second year class. Three members of the Council will be elected from the combined second and third year classes. One additional member of the Council will be appointed next fall from the incoming freshman class.

According to the SBA Constitution, all three officers will be elected by a majority of the votes cast, while Council members may be elected by a plurality.

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In the event that one or more of the offices is not filled by majority vote on May 9, a run-off election between the two leading candidates will be held on Thursday, May 11.

Prior to nominations, Professors John Donaldson and Emeric Fischer will speak to the Association in regard to tentative plans for the proposed William and Mary Bar Review Course to be conducted next fall.

STOCKBROKER LECTURES SAT.

Mr. Larry Phillips, a stockbroker with Mason and Company, a Newport News stock brokerage firm, will give a five hour course this month on "Stocks and the Stock Exchange". The program will consist of two two and one-half lectures, which will be given on two successive Saturdays, April 22 and April 29, beginning at 10:00 a.m. in the Lord Botetourt Theatre of the Earl Gregg Swem Memorial Library. These lectures are a condensed version of the well-received series on the stock market which Mr. Phillips presented to many area residents through the Peninsula Bank and Trust Company last fall.

O'BRYAN RECEIVES ALSA AWARD

Four Marshall-Wythe law students, Sam Tall Beale, Vincent Ewell, Alvin B. Marks, and D.W. O'Bryan attended the recent American Law Student Association Fourth Circuit Conference in Durham, North Carolina. The gathering was held April 7, 8, and 9, at which time Charles Houston of North Carolina College School of Law at Durham was elected Fourth Circuit National Vice-President to succeed Ewell.

Judge J. Braxton Craven of the Fourth Circuit Court of Appeals was the featured speaker at the conference.

Two of the nation's fourteen recipients of annual ALSA Silver Key Awards for Outstanding Service and Leadership were presented. One was bestowed upon Marshall-Wythe Student Bar Association President D. W. "Flub" O'Bryan, and the other was presented to Dwight Wheelless of the University of North Carolina School of Law.

D.W. O'Bryan got a haircut on Wednesday, April 5 at 1:00p.m. at the National Barber Shop, met a Mrs. Stone on Monday, April 10 at 11:00 a.m., embarked on a diet on Tuesday, April 11 at 8:00 a.m. and weighs 245 lb

CALENDAR

Thurs., April 20--Speech by Dr. Lasok "Communist Law"	10:00 a.m. CC--Little Theatre
Thurs., April 20--Law Review Banquet	6:00 p.m. Holiday Inn
Fri., April 21--PAD Trip to Fed. Reformatory-Rich.	12:00 a.m. Meet in front of Bryan Hall
Fri., April 21--PDP Initiation	5:00 p.m. Wren Great Hall
Fri., April 21--PDP Banquet	6:00 p.m. Lobster House
Sat., April 22--Larry Phillips on Stocks	10:00 a.m. Botetourt Th. Swem Library
Fri., April 28--PDP trip to Richmond	10:00 a.m. Meet in front of Bryan
Sat., April 29--Larry Phillips on Stocks-II	10:00 a.m. Botetourt Th. Swem Library
Fri., May 5--Space Law Conf.	10:00 a.m. Wmsbg. Lodge
Fri., May 5--BARRISTERS' BALL	9:00 p.m. Va. Room-Lge
Sat., May 6--W&M Law School Assn Luncheon	12:30 a.m. Wmsbg. Ldge
Tues., May 9--SBA Elections	8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
Thurs., May 11--SBA Runoffs (if necessary)	same time
Fri., May 12--SBA Meeting New Officers	10:00 a.m. Bryan A
Tues., May 23--CLASSES END	
Fri., May 26--EXAMINATIONS BEGIN	
Sun., June 11--GRADUATION	

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