

# 90 Deaf Persons Attend Second Annual Banquet

The second annual banquet sponsored by the Martinsville Club for the Deaf was held Saturday evening in "The Lavender House", Collinsville. Approximately 90 persons from throughout Virginia were present.

Edward Howell is president of the local club.

T. C. Lewellyn, retired athletic

director of the Virginia School for the Deaf and Blind in Staunton, was honored.

Joseph Shinpaugh, superintendent of the Staunton school, was also a guest.

Toastmaster was T. V. Cherry Jr., of Norfolk, president of the Virginia Association of the Deaf.

Fred P. Yates Jr., a teacher at the Virginia School for the Deaf and Blind, was speaker for the occasion.

Obie A. Nunn was chairman of the banquet committee in charge of arrangements for the evening.