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Senior Vesper Service To Be Held Sunday

A Cappella Choir Featured

In keeping with college tradition, the Senior Class will hold its annual Vesper Service in the College Auditorium on Sunday, June 7, at 4 o'clock. Friends and relatives of Seniors are expected to attend.

Dr. Lucius A. Whipple will deliver the address to the graduates. Three clergymen will take part in the service. The invocation will be delivered by Rabbi Aaron Tofield of Temple B'Nai Israel, Woonsocket. Reverend Walter B. Green, of the Woodlawn Baptist Church, Pawtucket, will give the scripture reading, and the Reverend Cornelius J. Holland of St. Charles Church, Woonsocket, will pronounce the benediction.

The A Cappella Choir, under the direction of Mr. Archer, is preparing special music which will include "Sanctus" and "Glorious Is Thy Name" by Gounod, and "America" by Bloch.

The ceremony will close with the singing of the Senior Alma Mater. Immediately after the service, the graduating class will hold an informal reception for the faculty members, relatives, and guests, on the esplanade in front of the college building.

Mr. Lawrence McGuire is in charge of arrangements.

Commencement Ball On Thursday, June 11

Members of the Senior Class will culminate their college social activities with the Senior Commencement Ball which will be held Thursday evening, June 11th, at the Rhode Island Country Club. Artie Booth and his orchestra will furnish the music for the affair. The dance is closed to all students except Seniors, their guests, and class officers. Attractive, novel favors will be given at the dance.

The guests include Governor and Mrs. J. Howard McGrath, Mr. and Mrs. Louis M. Ream, Mr. and Mrs. Reuben C. Bates, Mr. and Mrs. John F. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. A. Livingston Kelly, Jr., Major and Mrs. C. Gordon MacLeod, Dr. and Mrs. James F. Rockett, Mr. John B. Dunn, President and Mrs. Lucius A. Whipple, Dean Catherine M. Connor, Dr. and Mrs. Frederick J. Donovan, Professor Alice L. Thorpe, Dr. Grace E. Bird, Professor and Mrs. Eugene Tuttle, Professor and Mrs. Benjamin G. Sinclair, Professor Amy A. Thompson, Professor Bertha M. Andrews, Mr. and Mrs. Edward M. McEntee, Professor and Mrs. Charles C. Ethier, Miss S. Elizabeth

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SENIORS TO SAY FAREWELL MID IVY, VERSE, AND SONG



—Oki Seizo
WILLIAM McKENNA



—Oki Seizo
ELENA A. CALABRO



—Oki Seizo
EILEEN DEERING

Margaret E. Holden Elected Anchor Editor

At a meeting of the entire newspaper staff held yesterday afternoon, Margaret Holden, '43, was unanimously elected Editor-in-Chief of the *Anchor*. A member of the staff since her freshman year, Miss Holden served as News Editor during her Sophomore and Junior years and as Associate Editor of the 1942 *Helicon*. Also elected to the editorial positions were the following students: Associate Editor, Marie Gawrada, '44; News Editors, Annette Archambault, '43, and Phyllis Glasener, '43; Feature Editor, Margaret Sullivan, '44; Exchange Editor, Estelle Goldin, '43; Business Manager, Jennie Majka, '43; and Circulation Manager, Viola Bousquet, '45.

Last Class Sing On Senior Steps

The time-honored ceremonies of Class Day and Ivy Day, which include the receiving of degree pins, will take place June 12th at 2:00 o'clock on the Campus. President Lucius A. Whipple will greet members of the graduating class and visitors. Traditional Senior exercises will include: Class History, Miss Anne McDonald; Class Ode, Miss Elena Calabro; Class Day Oration, William McKenna; Address to Graduates, William Macomber; Address to Undergraduates, Robert McCambridge; Ivy Oration, Miss Eileen Deering. Miss Evelyn Prince will lead the class in the singing of the Class and College Alma Mater and Class Cheer Song.

After the planting of the ivy by the class officers, the Seniors will gather on the Senior steps for their last class sing.

The Seniors will be presented with their degree pins by the following members of the faculty: Professor Eugene Tuttle, Professor Bertha M. Andrews, Professor Catherine M. Connor, Doctor Frederick J. Donovan, Professor Mary M. Lee, Doctor J. Warren Nystrom, Professor Amy Thompson, Professor Alice Thorpe, Professor Benjamin F. Sinclair.

Class and Ivy Day ceremonies were planned by a committee which included Miss Eileen Munson, chairman, and these members of the Senior class: Kasimira Bielawski, Emma Bonvicini, Margaret McCourt, Sheila McCrudden, Enid Mowry, Aline Noel, Elizabeth Quinn, Lorena Ward, William Macomber, ex-officio.

Marshals are Lois Murray, '43, Marion Wright, '44, Ruth Fox, '43, Muriel Benson, '44. The processional of Faculty and Seniors will walk under an arch of daisies. Elected to the Sophomore Daisy Chain are Dale Hofmann and Kathryn Reardon, Marshals, Grace Almeida, Grace Cali, Evelyn Crohan, Gertrude Duffy, Theresa Emond, Evelyn Faber, Frances Farrin, Lillian Farrin, Marion Foster, Alicia Harrington, Shirley Kaufman, Anne Kearns, Claire Langlois, Dorothy Latham, Julia Lynch, Mary McArdle, Grace Mulcahey, Theresa Murphy, Lucia O'Brien, Gladys Patnaude, Loretta Riley, Lucille Riley, Marie Shannon, Priscilla Soule, Margaret Sullivan, and Winifred Turner.

COMMENCEMENT PROGRAM

"Memories written in hearts of gold—
Treasures that live ne'er to grow old."
June 7—Vesper Services.
June 11—Commencement Ball.
June 12—Class Day.
June 13—Commencement.
June 13—Senior Banquet.



—Oki Seizo
ROBERT McCAMBRIDGE



—Oki Seizo
ANNE C. McDONALD



—Oki Seizo
WILLIAM MACOMBER

Seniors to Dine Commencement Night

Barbara Behan Chairman

The Seniors will gather to eat, drink, and be merry at their final commencement activity, the Senior banquet, on June 13th in the Recreation Room at seven o'clock. The dinner will be served by Holman, the caterer. Dr. and Mrs. Whipple, Dean Connor, Professor and Mrs. Tuttle, Professor and Mrs. Sinclair, and Dr. and Mrs. Donovan will be guests of the Senior Class.

The committee in charge are Barbara B. Behan, chairman, Marion Sword, Margaret Dwyer, Nancy H. Gardner, Florence E. Giblin, Natalie J. Harlowe, Frances H. Lokovic, Dominic E. Pusateri, and William Macomber, ex-officio.

139 Seniors to Receive Ed. B. Degrees June 13 In College Auditorium

Governor to Extend Greetings

The twenty-first annual Commencement Day Exercises to be held Saturday, June 13, at ten o'clock in the College Auditorium will confer degrees of Bachelor of Education upon one hundred and thirty-nine Seniors, two graduates of other colleges, and twenty-three teachers in service. Six candidates will receive Master of Education degrees.

Following the National Anthem the invocation will be given by Rev. Francis J. MacDonald, S. J., Professor of Education at Boston College. Governor J. Howard McGrath will extend greetings from the state. Following the usual custom, Dr. James F. Rockett, Director of Education in Rhode Island, will address the graduates and present the teachers' certificates. President Lucius A. Whipple will confer the degrees. William Macomber, President of the Senior Class, will greet the assembly.

The musical program, rendered by Robert Gray and his orchestra, will include Friml's "Melodie"; "Valse Poudree" by Popy; and a march "Universal Peace" by Lampe. The A Cappella Choir will sing "America" from the tone poem by Bloch; "Glorious Is Thy Name" and "Sanctus" by Gounod.

The academic procession led by Chief Marshall, Professor Eugene Tuttle will proceed from Henry Barnard School, across the campus to the esplanade. There the ranks will divide and in reverse order follow

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Alumni Will Honor Seniors at Tea

Members of the Senior Class will be honored at a tea to be given by the Alumni on Friday, June 12, from 4 to 6 o'clock, in the Recreation Room. Plans for the event were completed at a meeting held May 27 at the home of Mrs. Joseph Hurley, President of the Alumni Association.

Serving as co-chairmen for the affair are Miss Mary McKitchen, Mrs. Henry B. Mowry, and Mrs. Philip Holton. The following committees will assist in the preparations: hospitality—Mrs. Mary Monahan Hanley and Dean Catherine M. Connor; publicity—Joseph J. Young, '43; invitations—Mary McNamee; general reception chairman—Miss Dora Capone; arrangements—Mrs. Edward J. Burrell, Miss Sara Kerr, and Miss Helen A. Murphy; decorations—Miss Harriet Rich, Mrs. Anthony Neves and the Misses Veronica Flynn and Pauline Leonard; program—Miss Mary E. Emond of the Henry Barnard School Faculty.

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FORUM

Assemblies and Democracy

Among the executive bodies of our student governing organization is the Assembly Committee. This committee is supposedly responsible for the arrangement of a schedule for the edification of the students. Usually its affairs are handled by a chairman and faculty adviser.

As to programs, outside speakers have been invited, from time to time, to present their views to the school. In addition to which, talent in the college has been utilized. Naturally enough, our guests expect compensation for their trouble. This matter has been, and continues to be, one of the major stumbling blocks to a successful committee. For the four years in the purview of this writer, there have been sporadic efforts to remedy this deplorable condition. The most recent of these futilities occurred in February, 1942, more of which later.

Thus far, the word compensation has been a stumbling block. First, the committee organization is inefficient. Mm, that is a grave charge, but is substantiated by the following facts. Once the chairman has ascertained a lecturer's fee, he must submit it for approval to the faculty adviser. Then it must receive the administration's sanction. All of which sums up to much shuttling back and forth between the office and adviser. In such a case divided authority is intolerable because it causes delay as well as much mental irritation. Second, previous to February, 1942, there was no definite knowledge as to the amount of money available for assemblies. It should be obvious that no one can plan a good schedule if he doesn't know how much money he can spend.

Apart from monetary harassments, there is, on occasion, a disturbing tendency by the faculty to disregard the chairman and make important decisions without even informing him. It is decidedly annoying to be casually informed that some member of the faculty has shifted his or her program time, regardless of what the committee may have planned.

In February of this year, as announced in a student council meeting, an informal agreement was reached which contained two salient points. It was specifically stated that about \$100 would be put at the disposal of the assembly committee for the semester and \$200 for the next academic year. Also, implicit in the understanding and sine qua non was to be the authority of adviser and chairman to expend the money without consulting the administration. Unfortunately, this latter portion of the agreement seems to have lapsed. Possibly, the office did not think that the new set-up encompassed the delegation of any such power. However, if it is to relinquish the funds, certainly the authority to spend them should be relinquished too.

This problem of assemblies is a serious one, for it involves the reputation and very future of student government. On the one hand it may be used to reflect praise on the college. For example, the authorities may say, "Student government? Oh, yes, we have it here. Our students even run the assembly programs." As matters stand, that statement would be, shall we say, slightly misleading. On the other hand, *nominal*

TIME'S UP

I think that it is a long hard trail that we Americans have chosen to follow, but there have been other trails before, through the wilderness, spanning continents and overcoming hardships. We are the descendants of men and women who came from every country on that other continent where men and women find so much hate to harbor against one another. Here we find it possible to live side by side in fellowship, neighborliness, and peace. Why is that?

I think that the long hard trail that we Americans have chosen leads far beyond the day of Armistice, beyond the day of victory and "peace." I think our peace treaties should wait—for at least a year from the day of the Armistice. I think that our sacrificing should not stop when the war is over. Perhaps some of us then should begin to double our endeavor to create a lasting peace. I think we should ask the young men and women of America to form a "Peace Army" and volunteer to give a year of their lives for reconstruction where war has done its greatest destruction. One year is not so very long, not so very much. The danger of war will be eliminated, but the adventure will not. I think that we young men and women must retrace the footsteps of our forefathers—back to the old country. There we must plow the lands that have suffered from neglect and upheaval. There will be roads to be rebuilt, slums to be cleared and housing projects established; there will be orphans of war who must be cared for; there will be mills and factories to be rebuilt and set running; harvests to gather, and . . . there will be so much for us to learn!

We will see how our parents lived, and why the "old land" is steeped in the traditions that perhaps have caused this great upheaval. Perhaps we will see how wonderful in contrast our own land is; perhaps we will find ideas there worth harboring, worth assimilating. But we will come home richer—oh, not in money, but in spirit, and in the knowledge that we have been fighting a battle worthwhile.

What greater adventure could there be for us while we are young than to go into a foreign country and give of ourselves, for our country. There has been too much glory attached to the winning of foreign wars. Let us attach some glory to the winning of a foreign peace. Let us keep our "soldiers of peace" at the battle fronts when the war is won so that we can win an enduring peace.

I wanted very much to say all of this because my time now in this limited college environment is really up, and I hope to do my small bit toward the salvation of humanity before all Time's Up.

B. SCHWARTZ.

responsibility for the failure of assemblies rests on the committee. Thus it is altogether too conceivable that the situation may be exploited to discredit student democracy. Perhaps, in the long view, it would be the better part of discretion for the students to withdraw completely from assembly business, leaving the administration and faculty liable for the outcome of the schedule. We do not shrink from accepting censure

Student Council President Offers Recommendations

June marks the end of the school year, and we hope it has been a year of progress in Student Council. Though we may be pleased with what has been done, much remains for the future. The achievements may be classed as mechanical progress and general improvements.

Under mechanical progress we have:

1. A revised council consisting of representatives of the entire student body, instead of clubs.
2. An attendance rule excluding representatives who do not attend council meetings regularly.
3. The filing and indexing of past minutes of meetings for future use.
4. Financial reforms such as semi-annual reports and financial advisors.

Among the general improvements we note:

1. Use of room 102 as a general recreation room.
2. Reception of personal mail through the College.
3. The first All-College Ball to make money.
4. Possibility of degrees for senior men in the service.

Recommendations:

1. Room 102 is unadorned by furniture. Furniture is needed.
2. We need the protection of a cuts system.
3. The class advisers should be brought closer to the students by frequent participation in informal affairs. This is the only way that confidence and friendship may be developed.

During the year some things have changed. The students might as well realize that there are many cases where faculty control has replaced student control. This has become evident in some clubs, the assembly committee, and council itself. In many instances there is nothing wrong with this, as we may have needed help badly. However, on the whole, I feel that we should never yield to the faculty any function we are capable of performing ourselves.

I am sure many feel that our student organization doesn't do anything of real importance, and maybe they are right. However, we are a student democracy and, if nothing more, the experience in democratic life will be invaluable when later it comes time to take part in national government. Any educational system that claims to teach for democratic citizenship and provides any other form of school life descends to the level of hypocrisy. Let us be thankful for the situation that prevails at our College and do all to preserve it.

To do this we must develop a sense of responsibility in all students. When this is attained, we will act always for the good of the College as a whole, our representatives will take their positions seriously, and perform all tasks assigned to them conscientiously, without nagging or prompting. Utopian perhaps, but the dreams of today are the realities of tomorrow.

ROBERT McCAMBRIDGE.

when we have deserved it, but there has been too much tribute to the empty forms of democracy and too little respect for its spirit.

B. MASON.

Editorial Summary

Soldiers, Sailors, and Marines—We are proud to know that many of our classmates are fighting in the armed services of our country and that many more are about to enter. May God grant them a safe return home after victory.

Spirit in War—It is well that we are backing our boys at the front with Red Cross work, First Aid courses, and U. S. O. work. Yet let us remember that more than this is needed the right attitude in all sacrifices that are and may be asked of us. The American spirit is a willing spirit and a desire to play fair.

Women in Uniform—We wonder how many Riceans will be seen in uniform next year serving in the W. A. A. C. This is a new manner for women to serve their country, as every woman actively engaged in work to promote the war effort will free a man who can be added to the nation's combatant forces. It is for us to discover and know where we can serve best.

Study and more study—Books are closed; degrees are received. Yet that means the time has come for deeper study. We need to continue on to become better teachers, to lead fuller lives, and to serve our best. We need to seek greater knowledge and through knowledge to gain wisdom.

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Sentiment—As we are about to become graduates, we find ourselves becoming sentimental. Sentimental over professors, dances, quizzes, elections, books and parties. How important each event was at the moment! How earnest we were at each occasion! How much better we are equipped to live because of these sentiments!

Of Special Interest

A special note about our feature editor, Ruth Aden, who in private life is known as Mrs. L. David Korb. Among the other girls that Dan Cupid has visited in the past year are Evelyn Chadsey, whose groom is Harry Prince, and Arline Suzman, formerly known as Arline Marcus.

Dick Turner Appears In Broadway Hit

For those of you who follow the theatrical columns, the fact that Edward Gould, New York producer, has started a weekly series of Broadway shows in Providence starring Broadway players is already stale news. Also those who saw Mr. Gould's first production of his summer season, *George Washington Slept Here*, at the Playhouse this week, were probably as pleasantly amazed as we were to see Dick Turner's name listed on the program.

Priding ourselves on being "Johnny On the Spot" reporters, we dashed from the balcony to the stage door after the show and met Dick coming out with some of the other actors. We escorted him to a restaurant and over cups of coffee discovered how a Ricean appears in a show with some of the topnotch professional actors of the day.

It seems that while Dick was doing a show at 30 Benefit Street Playhouse, several weeks ago, Mr. Gould and Mr. Kaufmann, who were on the lookout for talent, dropped up to see him as they had heard of his various activities.

When the curtain went down, he was engaged by these gentlemen to act, usher, sell tickets, and make himself generally useful for the summer season at the Playhouse. Expecting eventually to do some acting, he didn't realize the opportunity would come so soon. Although his part is small, yet it is significant that he is the only non-professional in the company and has a speaking part. Also the fact that he appears under the banner of Edward Gould, who has handled such stars as Tallulah Bankhead, Francis Lederer, Joe E. Brown, and Walter Hampden, speaks for itself.

As we sat in the restaurant talking, we confessed to Dick that a future of teaching school must seem dull in comparison with the glamour and excitement of a life in the theatre. To this he replied:

"Well, I've studied both. Each is a challenge. Each is fully as important as the other and each entails hard work. Sometimes I think we at the College of Education fail to realize the possibilities of the teaching profession. In the schools just as in the theatre one teaches a lesson. If the audience does not get the lesson, the play is doomed. It's the same in the teaching profession. And as for the glamour, confidentially, it is a mask theatre people wear behind which lie hours and hours of minute, painstaking work."

Properly subdued, we gulped the rest of our coffee and paid our share of the check. Even actors don't have too much money. Dick told us as we said goodnight, that this series of plays should have a huge success in Providence, for besides the fact that New York casts are coming in good plays, the prices are ridiculously low.

Following the *George Washington* play, Mr. Gould will present *Watch on the Rhine*, *Old Acquaintances*, *Separate Rooms*, *Candida*, and others. The plays are presented each evening from Monday to Saturday with matinees on Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday.

The Senior Class Selects - -



After great thought, the Seniors voted on the mosts and the bests in their class. Here are the much-talked-over results:

Most thoughtful	Eileen Deering	Henry Petersen
Most congenial	Elizabeth Quinn	Henry Petersen
Most collegiate	Louise Aust	Wallace Mason
Most likely to succeed	Eileen Deering	Robert McCambridge
Most studious	Mildred Briden	Bernard Mason
Most ambitious	Irene Plant	Robert McCambridge
Did most for college	Dorothy Foley	Robert McCambridge
Best looking	Louise Aust	William Macomber
Best dressed	Elena Calabro	William Macomber
Best liked	Barbara Behan	Henry Petersen
Best disposition	Barbara Behan	Francis Murphy
Best singer	Greta Morris	William MacDougald
Best dancer	Eileen Kavanaugh	William McKenna
Best actor	Alice Knott	William Macomber
Best writer	Beatrice Schwartz	Richard Turner
Most athletic	Evelyn Prince	William MacDougald
Most witty	Barbara Behan	Henry Petersen
Best all 'round	Louise Aust	William McKenna
Smoothest	Phyllis Mowry	William Macomber
Best line	Dorothy Foley	William McKenna
Best apple polisher	Dorothy Foley	William McKenna
Best politician	Dorothy Foley	William McKenna

MUMBLIN'S

With important graduation events surrounding us, we eagerly seek trivial matters.

Who said he wouldn't want to be a twin? Lillian and Frances Farin changed places beautifully during the teaching of a story play the other day. It was done so unobtrusively that even Mrs. Andrews was completely baffled—well—

Memorial Day at the Behan household was a busy affair. The parade of Naval Cadets attracted many interested spectators including half the Senior Class, more or less.

If the Senior Strut and Commencement Dance at State was half as much fun as Florence Courtois, Mitzi Hall, and Joanne Beachen say, let's all go to State. . . . Speculation is going on about that Phi Beta Kappa pin Hannah Fineman is wearing. Could it be those hidden intellectual talents of hers? . . . Dot Foley is

being described as "diminutive" after that last dance, and is very pleased about it.

If the delights or horrors of Chiropractors interest you, we refer you to Ruth Fox, who is completely recovered from a pain in the neck. . . . Joe Young is still saying nice things about those people who stole his tire after the dance—very nice things.

We can't say when, but wedding bells are in order for many Riceans soon. Amy Wilbur has recently become engaged to St. Sgt. John H. Garrity, Jr., at Camp Wheeler, Georgia. . . . The engagement of Aline Noel to Robert Beaudin was announced. . . . The list grows and grows and some other girls with the rings on their fingers are Lois Maines, Regina Darelus, Thelma Kenyon, Barbara Gardiner, Eunice Marshman, and Eileen Kavanaugh. Who said old maid schoolteachers??

FACULTY NEWS

Miss S. Elizabeth Campbell of the Henry Barnard School received her Master's Degree in Education from Boston University on Monday, May 25. Miss Campbell's thesis was accepted Cum Laude.

Miss Kathleen F. Kelley, also of the Henry Barnard School, will receive her Master's Degree from the College on June 13.

Dr. Bird, who was recently re-elected Director of the Child Guidance Clinic, will spend the summer at her home in Maine.

Professor Thompson is planning for a trip to Alleghany, New York, and a stay at Biddeford Pool, Maine, during the latter part of the summer.

On June 10, Professor Donovan will address the Woonsocket Trinity Club on "Culture Through Literature." This summer he will teach classes here and at the Catholic Teachers College.

Miss Snell is planning a short stay at Poland, Maine.

Professor Cavicchia will attend the meeting of the Mazzini Society Organization Convention in New York, which will be held during the latter part of June. He also expects to spend seven weeks at the Harvard Library doing research work in Italian and French Civilization and Philology.

If wartime conditions permit, Miss Langworthy will take a horseback trip to the Sierra Nevada Mountains in August; otherwise, she will do volunteer hospital work.

Professor Andrews will spend her vacation at Wavus Camp in Jefferson, Maine.

Miss Murphy will teach at Boston University; the courses include Demonstration Class in Remedial Reading and Primary Grade Skills.

Mr. Archer plans to spend a quiet vacation at his summer home in Hampton, Connecticut.

Professor Connor and Miss Alice Thorpe recently attended the New England Association of Deans, which was held at the Garland School in Boston, and heard Dr. J. Edgar Park of Wheaton College speak on "War, Women, and Worry."

Professor Connor will attend the reunion of the Radcliffe Alumni tomorrow. She will spend a part of the summer at the Harvard Workshop continuing her work for her Degree of Doctor of Philosophy. A part of her vacation will also be spent at Thetford, Vermont.

Professor Tuttle recently attended the graduation exercises of his daughter at Bates. Miss Dorothy Tuttle has a consistent Bates ancestry; her grandfather, Allison E. Tuttle, '79, is one of the oldest living graduates.

Professor Tuttle intends to spend his whole vacation planting Victory Gardens at his farm in Melvin Village, New Hampshire.

SPORTS SLANTS

**36 Points Amassed by Seniors;
24 by Freshmen.**

Members of the class of '42 amassed 36 points on May 21st in the annual inter-class track meet held on the campus. The meet was fairly close throughout the events, with the Freshmen, sparked by Joe Lehan, giving a good stiff fight. All events but the shot-putt and high jump found the Senior representatives on the winning end. The following is a summary of the events with notification of winners and their accomplishments:

100-yd. dash—1st, Carter.
2nd, Russo.
3rd, McCambridge.
4th, Lehan.
Time—10.5 sec.
440-yd. dash—1st, MacDougald, W.
2nd, Lehan.
3rd, Fallon.
4th, Tobin.
Time—54 sec.
One mile—1st, McCambridge.
2nd, MacDougald, W.
3rd, Sullivan, E.
4th, Anjiras.
Shot putt—1st, Sullivan, Jr.
2nd, Tobin.
3rd, Monahan.
4th, Whelan.
Distance—35 ft., 3 in.
Running broad jump—1st, Russo.
2nd, MacDougald.
3rd, Lehan.
4th, Frolander.
Distance—19 ft. 4 in.
High jump—1st, Sullivan, Jr.
2nd, Russo.
3rd, Tobin.
4th, MacDougald.
Height—5 ft. 8 in.
440-yd. relay—Freshmen Fallon, Tobin, Lehan, MacDougald.

Without Prejudice Presented by Seniors

Without Prejudice, a play adapted by Professor Patterson from a story in the *Saturday Evening Post*, was skillfully and effectively staged for the student body last Tuesday. Like many other stories which were written during World War I, this play has as vivid an appeal to Americans today as it had in 1914.

The plot, which deals with the trapping of a German spy in an American business office, is of personal interest to all. William Fierstein, as the American business man, and Frances Lokovic as the German spy, realistically portrayed the dramatic situation.

Serving as educational propaganda, this play is an example of the type of performance that the Dramatic League expects to offer for Civilian Defense to build up morale.

Mr. Severino will spend his vacation studying at Harvard, preparing for his Doctor's Degree in Art Education.

Miss Ranger will vacation at Lake Winnepesaukee, New Hampshire.

After a short trip to New York, Professor Patterson will teach classes for a six-week period at the Catholic Teachers College. A journey to the Middle West is also included in her vacation plans.

Freshman Dean Leaves To Accept Position At Wheaton College

Professor Alice L. Thorpe, Dean of Freshmen Women at Rhode Island College of Education, has been appointed to the office of Alumnae and Appointment Secretary at Wheaton College. Miss Thorpe has been a member of the faculty for eighteen years. During this time she has endeared herself not only to those students who have come into direct contact with her through freshman and sophomore required courses and upperclass electives and extension courses, but to the entire student body.

Despite the heavy teaching program she has carried, Miss Thorpe has been outstanding in extra-curricular activities. She has been a Faculty Adviser on Student Council,



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ALICE L. THORPE

a member of the Faculty Social Committee, adviser to the staffs of the *Ricoled* and the *College Handbook*, and director of the May Queen's Court. In 1941, her activities were climaxed by her appointment as Dean of Freshmen Women. In this capacity Miss Thorpe planned a brief orientation program for the Freshmen, personally interviewed each, and acted as general adviser in all class and individual problems. She has been a great help in making the Freshmen feel at home.

Miss Thorpe was born in North Adams, Massachusetts, attended school in Brookline, and was graduated from Hope Street High School, Rhode Island. She attended Simmons College for two years and then transferred to Wheaton College, where she majored in English and Psychology. In 1923 she received her Bachelor of Arts degree from Wheaton College. After teaching a year in Foxboro High School, Miss Thorpe became a member of the faculty of Rhode Island College of Education.

In 1932 Miss Thorpe received the Master of Education degree from Rhode Island College of Education and in 1935 the Master of Arts degree from Brown University.

Miss Thorpe has been an active member of the Alumnae Association of Wheaton College in her office as chairman of the Regional Scholarship Committee, and as President and Treasurer of the Rhode Island Wheaton Club.

Although we regret Miss Thorpe's going, we rejoice with her in her good fortune and offer our best wishes and hopes for continued success and happiness in this new field.

CLUB NEWS

The Dramatic League at its meeting on Friday, May 29, had a reading of its budget for the year and voted in new members. Miss Alice Knott was appointed chairman of a committee which is to read plays for next year's ambitious program of six presentations.

On June 4, the French Club closed its social activities with a scavenger hunt held on the Campus, after which refreshments were served in the College. Miss Gabrielle Beausoleil was in charge of arrangements.

Yesterday the Italian Club held a supper and theatre party in downtown Providence, using the proceeds of its highly successful Spring Supper of May 5. (Remember?)

Added to the A Cappella Choir's stock of memorable occasions was a little party (complete with ice cream) given by Mr. Archer after the last evening rehearsal. The assembly program of Tuesday, May 26, was the last of the choir's presentations for this year.

Sportlight

The Sportlight flashes this month on the distribution of athletic awards under the new award system!

Seniors—Ruth Aden, Louise Aust, Kazmira Bielawski, Christina Burns, Shirley Cohen, Kathleen Csizmesia, Laura Darcy, Dorothy Foley, Nancy Gardner, Florence Giblin, Marion Leary, Ruth McArdle, Virginia Motta, Phyllis Mowry, Wilma Nagel, Louise Ogilvie, Evelyn Prince, Elizabeth Quinn, Irene Silvia, Marion Sword, Rita Williams;

Juniors—Regina Clavin, Mary Cook, Dorothy Cuccarelli, Marjorie Heath, Viola Jager, Lois Murray, Ruth Morrissey;

Sophomores—Virginia Hill, Betty Murphy, Priscilla Soule, Marion Wright, Barbara Shevlin;

Freshmen—Dorothy Horne, Viola Bousquet.

Congratulations to W. A. A. on their serving a delicious May Breakfast, Tuesday, May 19th.

Also on the social side was the softball party held June 2, in honor of the winner of the final softball game.

Hum-Drum—

Horesback riding is in full swing, and you have one more opportunity to come out and enjoy yourself.

You can obtain equal enjoyment from attending the bowling tournament held on Fridays at St. Casimir's. Watch for names of finalists.

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Campbell, and Mr. Nelson A. Guertin.

Barbara B. Behan is chairman of the committee in charge of arrangements for the dance and is assisted by the Senior Class social committee. Catherine Quinn and Richard Turner are in charge of publicity.

V-1 Program Announced

By Lieut. W. R. Fry

Sophomores interested in enlisting in the Naval Reserve under the new V-1 Program may still do so only until they become Juniors, according to Lieut. W. R. Fry of the Recruiting Inspector's Office for this Recruiting district, who was recently in Providence in connection with the V-1 Program.

The V-1 Program is for Freshmen and Sophomores only, and enables them to enlist in the Naval Reserve, continue their college studies, and work toward commissions as aviation officers or deck and engineering officers.

With the school term at a close and many Sophomores about to become Juniors, this opportunity may be denied to them unless they decide to act before they are advanced to junior status. Realization of that now will enable Sophomores who are thinking of the possibility of Naval commissions to enlist in the V-1 Program in time. This is important in view of the proposed 19-20 registration June 30.

The V-1 Program is designed to develop officers to meet the Navy's needs for next year and for succeeding years. It is so designed that capable and conscientious students who meet the physical and mental requirements may win commissions in the desired branches of the service—Deck, Engineering, or Aviation.

It is not affected in any way by the current V-5 Program which has been amended to meet the Navy's current needs and the needs for the immediate future, or the V-7 Program, which may soon expire. Then, the V-1 Program may provide the main opportunity of college men to secure Naval Commissions.

DEGREES

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the band, Dr. Whipple, Gov. McGrath, Dr. Rockett, and other guests to the College Auditorium. The order of the procession will be the administrators and guests, the faculty of the College, marshalled by Viola Jager and Claire Richards; the Henry Barnard faculty, led by Miss Mary T. Thorp and marshalled by Laura Fachada and Amy Wilbur; the critic teachers, led by Miss Mary A. McArdle and marshalled by Evelyn Crohan and Arietta Salisbury; the candidates for Bachelor's Degrees, marshalled by Lois Murray, Ruth Fox, Marion Wright, and Muriel Benson; the candidates for Master's Degrees, marshalled by Shirley Carr and Claire King; and the Alumni, marshalled by Grace Almeida and Estelle Hunt.

Benjamin Reed and John Cannon, chief ushers, will be assisted by Hope Carey, Norma Crabtree, Mathilda Hofmann, Claire Ducharme, Barbara Golden, Eileen Barry, Marie Shannon, Mary McArdle, Marion Foster, Elaine Murphy, Mertis Leonard, Gemma Lamoureux, Dorothy Sullivan, Shirley Dunn, Barbara Shevlin, and Josephine Kerr. Acting as head attendants in the Flower Room, will be Gabrielle Beausoleil and Helen Hay. They will be assisted by Eleanor Neville, Alice Burns, Rita Baker, Deana Robinson, Camille Blain, and Helen Varrechia.

Varied Summer Work Chosen by Seniors

The members of the Senior Class are going to be very busy this summer working in positions ranging from defense workers to life guards adorning the beaches. Although everyone is making plans for the summer, yet some plans are not definite yet.

The majority of the men are looking forward to service for the country. Bernard Schuster, Albert Russo, Robert McCambridge, Lynn Hoxie, Searles Bray, and William MacDougald are off to Chapel Hill at the University of North Carolina to join the Naval Air Corps, while Frank Carter will help to swell the ranks of the Army Air Corps. Not to be outdone by the men, three young women are planning to join the W. A. C.

Some of the playgrounds of Rhode Island will be in charge of Avis Rathbun, Eileen Kavanaugh, Virginia Lord, and Greta Morris. The two lifeguards from the class are Dorothy Foley and Lawrence McGuire. Among the camp counsellors we have Eleanor Brown, Gertrude Fruit, Alice Knott, and Pauline Tickton. Gloria Rosenfield is to be a hotel governess, and Irene Plant is planning to spend the summer in a beautiful hotel near Lake Minnawaska, N. Y. Leonora Caporelli and Margaret Dwyer expect to have a very interesting time working as psychiatric aides at the Hospital Retreat in Connecticut.

Wisconsin is agog at the prospect of having Priscilla Soule, Evelyn Prince, Rita Williams, Enid Mowry, Louise Aust, and Dorothy Horne, on the beautiful campus. Also spending their time with books will be Mildred Briden at Columbia University and Jacqueline Gadoury at Middlebury College.

Riceans will be found this summer as waitresses, office workers, sales people, and tutors. Whatever they do, may they have a grand summer.

Workshop, Summer Courses Open for Enrollment

Summer courses at Rhode Island College of Education will begin on Monday, June 29, and will continue through thirty class sessions, each meeting for one hour a day, six days a week. Classes in the Workshop at the Henry Barnard School will be conducted from 9 to 12 noon each day, except Sunday, for thirty days.

Except as indicated, admission to the courses is open only to teachers in the Rhode Island public schools and to those persons who are preparing for such teaching. No registrant is permitted to take more than two courses for credit. Classes will be limited to 50 persons in order that discussion may be promoted and that time may be allowed for regular assignments, periodic tests, and final examinations.

Teachers who wish to begin work leading to the degree of Master of Education, either in the summer session or in the extension courses, should confer with Dr. Bird or Dr. Donovan of the Graduate Committee before registering for courses, in order to plan for a program leading to the Master's Degree.

Among the interesting courses offered are Wildlife Conservation, The Critic Teacher, Basic Methods in Management of Classes for Adults, Geography of the War, International Relations of the Americas, and Spanish Composition and Conversation.

J. Warren Nystrom Receives Doctorate At Clark University

Mr. Warren Nystrom professor of Geography, was awarded his Doctor's Degree in Philosophy at Clark University in Worcester, Mass., on May 24.

Dr. Nystrom was graduated from North High in Worcester in 1932. He attended Clark University after being awarded the Jonas Clark four-year scholarship to that institution. During the two years following his graduation from Clark, he was a Scholar in Geography, having been given a special graduate scholarship. In 1939 after successfully passing many difficult examinations, he was awarded a Fellowship. When Dr. Nystrom was given the Libby Research Fellowship, he planned to study in Denmark and Norway, but Hitler's coup necessitated a change of plans, and he decided to do his research work in Surinam, Dutch Guiana. One more the war moved after him, and in November Dutch Guiana was occupied; however, Dr. Nystrom had completed his research in September.

When Dr. Nystrom was examined on his dissertation, "Surinam—A Geographic Study," he had one advantage over his examiners as only he had been to Surinam and therefore he had a more intimate knowledge of the subject than they.

During these last two months, Dr. Nystrom has been finishing his thesis, which is the latest report on the colony and the only report written in English. Information on Surinam as recorded by Dr. Nystrom has already been used by our government and will be published by the government of the Netherlands.

Scholarships Awarded

The International Relations Club announced that the recipients of scholarships to the Wellesley Institute of International Relations are Miss Josephine Kerr, Freshman, Matilda Liberati, Sophomore, and Barbara Shevlin, Sophomore. The Institute will take place between June 23 and July 3 and will deal with the subject, "How Should We Build for Tomorrow's World?"

Participating in the conference are outstanding authorities on world affairs, including Vera Micheles Dean.

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