

## DANCERS PRESENT

by Diane Paine

The Modern Dance Club of R.I.C.E. will present its annual Spring Concert on Friday, May 13, in Roberts Hall Auditorium at 8:30 P.M.

The concert will begin with a presentation of techniques. Since the dancer's medium of expression is the body, it must be trained to become an accurate, precise instrument.

This year there are many and varied dances to be presented by the club. The dancers in each dance are also the choreographers, since each dance is a creative expression; however, Miss Billie Ann Burrill, the Club's faculty adviser, may assist in the evaluation of the dances. A resume of the program follows.

Eleanor Walsh will dance a jazz solo to Lionel Hampton's "Satin Doll." "Two-Do-Voodoo" is the name given to a dance concerning two voodoo priestesses in the act of worshipping the powers of evil. This will be danced by Marcia Pettine and Diane Mc Bride. "Hoe Down," a country folk dance will be presented by Gail Davis, Anne Degnan, Harriet Diamond, Mary Monaghan, Marcia Pettine, and Eleanor Walsh.

Diane Mc Bride will do a solo entitled "Prayer." This dance will concern a quiet communication with a supreme being. "The Search" is a narrative about a searcher (Eleanor Walsh) who doesn't know what she wants and rejects love (Harriet Diamond).

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Modern Dancers in rehearsal with advisor, Miss Billie Ann Burrill (seated front), are: front l. to r., Dorothy Heslin, Eleanor Walsh (hidden), Mary McCahey, Barbara Boudreau (hidden); rear l. to r., Harriet Diamond, Diane Paine, Fran Bullock, Maureen Casey.

## Senior Events Planned

### Class Day

On May 20 at 1:00 P.M. in the auditorium the senior class will present its Class Day program. Chairman of the program is Kay Devaney.

The Class History will be read by both Ginny Nicholson and Lynn Hart, co-authors. Joe Menard, president of the senior class, will address the graduates. The address to the undergraduates will be given by Joe Aguiar who is president of Student Council. Anne Reynolds will give the undergraduate response. Jacquelyn Fontes will read the Class Will.

Kappa Delta Pi Certificates are to be given by president Pat Coughlin. Dr. William C. Gaige will present the President's List Certificates. *Who's Who* Certificates will be given by Dean Dorothy Mierzwa. The John E. Hetherman achievements in sports will be presented by Dr. Fred J. Dono-

van. The Kappa Delta Phi awards will be given by Rick Michaels, president of Kappa Delta Phi. Dean Mierzwa is to present the Delta Kappa Gamma Award. Vice-president of the senior class, Helen Kearns, will present the Class Gift.

To end the program the Alma Mater will be sung under the direction of Cynthia Talbot and the traditional planting of shrubs will be executed by the class officers.

Kay Devaney, chairman, feels that "more meaning has been achieved by taking senior awards out of the Awards Day program, and making them part of the Class Day program."

### Senior Vespers

President William Gaige will deliver the Senior Vesper address on Sunday, June 5 at 4 o'clock in Roberts Hall. Cantor Jacob S. Smith of the Cranston Jewish Center will open the program with the Invocation. A selection from the Scriptures will be read by the Reverend John L. Udall of the Darlington Congregational Church in Pawtucket.

Music for the program will include a selection by the college orchestra, and the singing of the Alma Mater and a hymn by the senior class led by Doroles Caranci. The program will close with a Benediction by Reverend Joseph A. Devaney, Pastor of St. Peter's Church, Warwick.

Following the program there will be a reception for seniors, parents, and guests in the student center. Ann Venagro is chairman of the program.

### Commencement

Commencement will be held on Saturday morning, June 11, 1960. It will be held out-of-doors in the area between Alger Hall and the gymnasium. Weather permitting, this will be the first commencement at R.I.C.E. to be held out-of-doors.

Reverend Henry H. Schooley will give the invocation and Father Robert Slavin, O.P., of Providence College, will give the main address. President William C. Gaige will confer the degrees.

## Student Body Elects Council Leaders

Muriel Frechette, a junior, and Anthony Mancini, a sophomore, were elected president and vice-president respectively of student council for next semester. The results of the election were announced Wednesday night, May 4.

### Muriel Frechette

I thank the *Anchor* for giving me this opportunity to express my appreciation to the student body for the honor and privilege which they have given to me.

I have been asked to tell you, the student body, of any plans that I might have for the coming semester. My election, actually, has been too recent for me to have formulated any elaborate projects, but a very simple and difficult one has always been in my mind—namely that council and I will truly represent each and every one of you. Rather than asking you to support the student council, I am pledging that council will support you.

### Anthony Mancini

I am using this medium to express my sincere gratitude to those students who cast their votes in my behalf in the student council elections for the next semester. I am especially indebted to my campaign manager Barbara Galli and her staff who devoted a good number of hours bringing this election to the attention of all eligible voters. I fully realize that the office of vice-president of student council entails a great deal of work especially that involving social functions. However, with the assistance and cooperation of the student body, I am sure our social calendar in the coming year will be successful and rewarding to all.

## UNDERGRADUATES TO RECEIVE AWARDS

The third annual Awards Day will be held on Tuesday, May 24. The program is being arranged by Inter-Club Council; Anita Pascale, chairman. The assembly will open with a musical selection which will

be followed by speeches by Dr. William C. Gaige and Joseph Aguiar.

The following awards will then be presented: President's List certificates by President Gaige, Kappa Delta Pi certificates by Patricia Coughlin, *Anchor* Keys by Elizabeth August, Newman Club certificates by Mary Ellen Kalooonian, Alpha Psi Omega awards by Edward Rondeau, Intra-Mural trophies by Mr. Brown and Mark Fullam, *Who's Who* certificates by Dean Dorothy Mierzwa, and presentation of the *Anchor* by Joseph Menard.

The program will close with the Cheer Song led by Natalie Rogers and the Alma Mater led by Sally Mc Gurn.

## Juniors Plan Festivities

The Squantum Club in East Providence will be the scene of this year's Junior Prom. Lynn O'Loughlin is chairman of the Prom Committee and has arranged for Ed Drew's Orchestra to provide music for the evening which will be held on May 14 from 8 p.m. to 1 a.m.

## President Announces Faculty Promotions

The appointment of Dr. Helen E. Scott as Chairman of Professional Studies at Rhode Island College of Education was announced by Dr. William C. Gaige.

Dr. Scott, professor of Education, is a graduate of the University of Southern California, with a Doctor of Education degree from Boston University. She had a varied teaching career and served as supervisor of elementary schools in Springfield, Vermont, and Lewiston, Maine, before joining the faculty of the College in 1947.

Dr. Renato E. Leonelli has been promoted to the rank of Professor, it was announced by President William C. Gaige. Dr. Leonelli was appointed to the faculty as an instructor at Henry Barnard School in 1941. He has devoted full time to classes at the College since 1952.

A graduate of the University of Rhode Island, he received his Master's and Doctor's degrees from Boston University. He has taught Driver Education and served as Educational Consultant with the American Automobile Association in sponsoring driver training courses in colleges and school systems throughout the country.

Dr. Vincent A. Aloia of the Division of Social Studies and Dr. Lillian D. Bloom and Dr. Robert W. Comery of the division of Humanities, have been named Associate Professors.

On the Henry Barnard School faculty, Miss Avis A. Marden has been named Professor and Miss Helen M. Triggs has been named Associate Professor.

Below are listed the Anchor Point totals as of the end of the third quarter, April 1, 1960.

Seniors	113
Juniors	103
Sophomores	84
Freshmen	94

These are the corrected totals. They do not include Winter Weekend activities other than Stunt Night Awards to the Juniors and Sophomores since all other points were ruled unconstitutional by Student Council.

## COMING EVENTS

- May 11 — Wednesday — Anchor Banquet
- May 12 — Thursday — Chapel
- May 12 — Thursday — W.R.A. Picnic
- May 14 — Saturday — Junior Prom
- May 15 — Sunday — Newman Club Outing
- May 16 — Monday — Junior Class Meeting
- May 17 — Tuesday — "European Journey," by Edith C. Becker and Marion I. Wright
- May 18 — Wednesday — Kappa Delta Phi taking children to circus
- May 18 — Wednesday — Kappa Delta Pi, Installation of Officers
- May 19 — Thursday — Senior Chapel
- May 19 — Thursday — Faculty Coffee Hour
- May 20 — Friday — Senior Class Day
- May 22 — Sunday — Dramatic League Picnic
- May 22 — Sunday — Sophomore Class Clambake
- May 23 — Monday — Senior Ban Period Begins
- May 24 — Tuesday — "European Journey," by Edith C. Becker and Marion I. Wright
- May 25 — Wednesday — Underclass Ban Period Begins
- May 26 — Thursday — Senior Reading Day
- June 1 — Wednesday — Underclass Reading Day
- June 5 — Sunday — Senior Vespers
- June 8 — Wednesday — Commencement Ball
- June 10 — Friday — Senior Class Day
- June 11 — Saturday — Senior Commencement Day

## EDITORIAL—Sets New Pace on New Campus

We wish to congratulate Dean Dorothy R. Mierzwa for her efforts in creating programs, such as the Junior Counselor Program, to fit the ever-increasing need for "new systems on a new campus." Dean Mierzwa, in her role of Dean of Students, is able to mingle with the students and sense when and where the greatest needs lie; while at the same time she can stand outside the student group and plan objectively how our systems should be improved at precisely the times when we students are too close to the problem to find an effective solution for ourselves.

In the past two years many progressive ideas have come from the office of the Dean of Students, among them the plans for leadership workshops and seminars, and the suggestion of lengthening to one year the term of presidency of Student Council and other campus organizations. At the risk of being called a "radical," Dean Mierzwa has dropped hints of holding a weekend off-campus camping trip to supplement leadership workshops and also instituting a similar camping trip as part of a future freshman orientation program.

If the Dean fears that the students may feel her ideas are too far ahead of the times, we feel her energies are what are needed, anticipated and accepted.

## EDITORIAL — Students Elect With Care

It is a heartening sign to hear a student decline a nomination because he already has or hopes for another position, to hear an assemblage in discussion question whether or not to vote two positions to the same leader, to hear students in active debate over a candidate's qualifications. This is precisely the kind of activity we have witnessed throughout the campus during the present election period, and we are proud of a student body that realizes that there are many students capable of holding a place of leadership and that one leader in too many positions will weaken the organizations.

This year is the first in many that there has been any kind of overt campaigning for Student Council president and vice-president and it is an indication that students are indeed interested in their student government. This interest is quickly spreading to class and club elections and is perhaps an indication that student support of organizations and activities is on the increase for next year.

## In the Mail Open Letter

Dear Editor:

I am humbly grateful to all the students who supported me in the Student Council presidency election. It was an honor to receive such a large, close vote in a very competitive election.

I wish to congratulate the winner, Muriel Frechette, and to pledge my support in all her endeavors for the benefits of the students at R.I.C.E. I also want to congratulate Simone Bousquet for the fine competitive spirit shown during the election.

Now that the election is over, let us all support our new president of Student Council.

Sincerely,  
Fran Palumbo, '61

## Wonderful!

Dear Editor:

I wish to publicly express my appreciation to Miss Rita V. Bicho and Dr. Ridgeway F. Schinn for their fine performance in their two-piano recital given May 5.

Their three selections by Bach were extremely enjoyable, particularly the "Fugue in G Minor." It was interesting to follow the theme beginning with Dr. Schinn then brought in by Miss Bicho and woven back and forth. An interesting rendition was given to the "Danse des Murletons" from the familiar "Nutcracker Suite" by Tchaikowsky. "Nocturne" from Mendelssohn's "Midsummer Night's Dream" was very effective with the distinct contrast between the light trills and the broad, full chords.

Miss Bicho and Dr. Schinn's timing was excellent. They are to be highly complemented.

Thank you, Miss Bicho and Dr. Schinn, for your time spent in preparing and giving a truly excellent performance. I hope to see more of this type of program on our expanding campus.

Janis Barth, '62

*Editor's note: We wish to add our expression of praise and thanks to Miss Bicho and Dr. Schinn on their fine performance last week. We hope this will be their first appearance.*

## INTERVISITATION BY 8 CAMPUS STUDENTS

This past weekend our campus was involved in an intervisitation program with Keene, New Hampshire. Some of our students spent the weekend at Keene. Enjoying themselves in a round of activities involving a formal dance on Saturday night were Bob Grilli, Rosa-

lind Galluccio, Joe Mercier and Magueitte Rathbun, all freshmen. The four representatives stayed in the fraternity and sorority dormitories during their visit.

Magueitte Nian and Cathy White, juniors; Bill Moiseacii and Roland Zillion, freshmen; were the four representatives sent by Keene to observe our college. During a short interview, the delegates explained a few of the workings of their college such as their interdorm-council, a judiciary body, and their system of selecting majors in their freshman year. The delegates attended a few of our classes, enjoyed a beach party on Saturday afternoon and the Frat Jazz Concert Sunday afternoon. Social activities were planned for their evenings.

It is hoped by the Student Council that both colleges will benefit from this exchange of visits.

## From Where I Sit . . .

by Pat Pending

I was walking around the campus last Wednesday when I soon became aware of an air of confusion. Being my usually nosey little self, I decided to discover the source of the difficulty.

It seems that last October an official "group" on campus accepted an invitation from Keene College for an exchange of visits. More than two weeks ago the "group" received a letter explaining that the four delegates would be arriving two weeks hence. Now, the day before they were to arrive no arrangements had been made.

My goodness, I said to myself, how in heavens name did this happen? Certainly those people in charge have been working on the arrangements: where they are to stay, and what they are to do while they're here.

I soon discovered to my dismay that the people who were trying desperately the day before to make a few arrangements were not those whose responsibility it was to do the job. Perhaps I should qualify this because two underclassmen, who are members of this official "group," did pitch-in and work when they finally realized the seriousness of the problem. This is a rather sad state, I thought, when those elected to responsibility fail. This is especially true when it concerns the public relations of the college.

I felt a little better when I learned that the freshmen were arranging activities to entertain our visitors and thus help make a better impression for the college.

As I walked away the atmosphere of confusion was lifting but no thanks to that official "group."

## Constitutions Nearly Done

Busy trying to complete its many duties before the close of the fall term, I.C.C. has had several special meetings within the past two weeks. All club constitutions with the exception of Ski Club and Kappa Delta Pi have been considered by I.C.C. and suggestions for revisions made.

Also under consideration is the problem of the activity point system. It is felt by the Council that the number of points for each office should be raised, thereby limiting the number of offices that any one individual may hold.

The social calendar for next year is being effected. As many social functions as possible will be included in order to reduce the problem of shifting dates.

The Assembly Committee is asking for student suggestions for next year's programs. They are interested in new or repeat performances. A box will be set up outside the Student Lounge for the offered suggestions. The committee urges everyone to give this some thought.

## Is Capital Punishment The Answer?

by George Levesque

With the execution of Caryl Chessman, the controversy over capital punishment wages even more bitterly than ever before. What many thought would become a "dead" issue after Chessman's death has tended to have just the opposite effect. It has taken on greater dimensions. Can we who profess justice tempered with mercy, justice which is the basis of our own democracy, allow capital punishment to survive? Can a problem which has effected United States prestige in such far removed areas as international politics and economics be ignored? I think not. And as such, an examination of just what is involved in this issue becomes imperative.

I believe we have to bear in mind when discussing this problem that it is not a new issue. The year 1800 can be taken as the year when the first steps toward abolition were taken, and since then the move away from capital punishment has been increasing. It is ironical to note that the United States, the accepted leader of democracy, has been so slavish in abolishing their barbaric vestiges of feudalism.

At the present time in the United States, the defenders of capital punishment support their contention with the common sense argument that men fear death. The fact is that the "fear of death" penalty has never served to reduce the crime rate. Even in England at the turn of the 19th century, the omnipresence of gallows and

gibbets had no effect on the crime rate. As a matter of fact the scene of public hanging afforded a field day for pickpockets, and this crime itself was punishable by death.

The abolitionists, those who favor doing away with capital punishment, usually site these as their most powerful arguments. First, the law is far from infalible. It is always possible that an innocent man may be executed. An excellent example is to be found in our own state, where in 1928 we sentenced a man to his death. Later when more evidence was compiled, it proved conclusively that he was innocent. Is it not bad enough to take a life without taking it unjustly?

Today in Rhode Island, capital punishment has been abolished with the exception of two crimes: treason, and murder in prison by a convicted murderer.

Another strong argument against the death penalty is that justice is notoriously inconsistent. I believe this can best be illustrated by pointing to such a case.

In California, for example, two men, Thomas and McCain, killed a woman during an attempted holdup. Thomas, being the poorer of the two was represented by a court appointed lawyer, who advised him to plead not guilty and insisted on trying the case before a jury. The result was that Thomas was executed and McCain was given life with a possibility of parole in twenty years.

Despite such miscarriages of justice, the feeling that the extreme penalty is necessary as a deterrent to crime still persists. This would be a strong argument if it could be proven that the death penalty discourages potential murderers. If capital punishment were a deterrent, then we should expect those forty-one states which execute its murderers to be relatively free from murders and conversely the nine which abolished capital punishment to be virtual hotbeds of killings. Statistics show just the opposite to be true. Fewer than two killings per 100,000 of population were recorded in the abolished states, whereas the figures for those state which invoke the death penalty were between eight and fourteen killings per 100,000 of population.

I think we have to ask ourselves a question at this point. What are the best methods of implementing the abolition of capital punishment? I believe there are two musts if abolition is going to be carried out successfully. First, the law must be nationalized. Second, and this is the crux of the problem, there will have to a tightening up of requirements for parole. If we are not going to execute our murderers, then society must be amply assured that it is getting the maximum protection from a sentence of life imprisonment.

The foregoing examination of capital punishment has sufficiently depicted its weak spots: mainly that it is a fading and discriminatory practice, that it has absolutely no deterrent value, and mostly since it is out of tune with a growing and conscientious welfare state, it should be abolished as part of our judiciary procedure.

## Anchor Points Abolished?

The fate of the Anchor Point System is currently being weighed by Student Council. At this time the Anchor Point System is simply not working. In its present form it is unable to function efficiently.

The whole business of attaining Anchor Points is characterized by apathy. It would seem as though you, the student body, are not interested in the achievement of Anchor Points as they stand now.

A committee from Student Council, chaired by Jack McKiernan, has asked the *Anchor* to announce that poll will be conducted by Student Council to determine what the student body feels should be done about this problem. The questions that will be presented to the student body in poll form are:

Should the Anchor Point System be abolished?

Should the Anchor Point System be reconstructed?

Watch for this poll and think carefully about these questions. The results of the poll will determine the fate of the Anchor Point System.

# RICE Uncovers Beauties

by Natalie Alviti

## Paula Hughes

Paula Hughes, a senior, is one of the eight entrants in the finals of the Miss Providence of 1961 Contest. Miss Hughes is being sponsored by the Providence Junior Chamber of Commerce.

Paula was quite surprised to hear that she had been chosen as a contestant. She had sent her application in four months ago and had supposed she had been eliminated long ago.



PAULA HUGHES

After the primary screening, a series of interviews, luncheons, appearances in gowns and bathing suits, and a displaying of talent before the judges, the field of contestants was narrowed to twelve and now to eight.

On May 13 there will be a public display of the contestants and their talent. Prizes will be awarded for first, second and third places, as well as for the title of Miss Congeniality. The finals will take place at the Veterans Memorial Auditorium.

Paula Hughes will play a classical selection on the piano to display her musical talent. If Paula should win a scholarship prize, she plans to attend Connecticut College, School of Dance. She is an accomplished modern dancer.

An additional prize in the Miss Providence Contest is, of course, an entry in the Miss Rhode Island Contest. And then on to Atlantic City!

## Lorilei White

Lorilei White, a R.I.C.E. sophomore, was recently chosen to represent Rhode Island in the Miss Universe Contest in Miami, July 9. Lorilei holds other contest honors. She was chosen runner-up in the Rhode Island Professional Photographer's Model Contest this year.

Entering the contest just one day before, Lorilei was caught up in a flurry to find a bathing suit and evening gown that would best suit her needs. Luckily Lorilei did not have to prepare a display of her talent because none is required for the contest. Should she be required to perform, however, she would be able to do so. Lorilei combines both song and dance in musical comedy skits. You may remember also that Lorilei has appeared in Dramatic League productions.

Ten days before the contest actually takes place the New England entrants will fly to California with stops at New York and Washington, D.C. There is also the possibility that the contestants will appear on the Perry Como television show.

In Miami, Lorilei will participate with girls from the other forty-nine states and many girls from foreign countries. The contestants will meet informally with the judges who will be interested in their personalities. Later at public showings the girls will be judged on their appearance in evening gowns and bathing suits. Each girl will also take part in a question and answer period when the girls will be judged "from the neck up."

It is wiser to be thought a fool than to speak and remove all doubt.



LORILEI WHITE

# Programs Coming Soon

The Enrichment Lecture Series is presenting on May 11, Dr. Elizabeth Eiselen, Chairman of the Geography Department at Wellesley College. She will give an illustrated talk on "South America's Massive Handicaps" in the Little Theater at 4:00 p.m.

On Thursday, May 12, the Chapel program will present Sister Josephina, C.S.J., Associate Professor of Education at Boston College and Director of Laboratory Experiences at Boston College.

Also on the 12 as part of the Graduate Lecture Series Dr. John Harrold Plumb, Fellow of Christ's College, Cambridge University, England and Visiting Professor of History at Columbia University, will speak on "The Need for World History" in the Auditorium at 4:30.

On Tuesday, May 17, 1960, Edith C. Becker and Miss Marion I. Wright will continue their series of articles on "European Journey focus on Switzerland, Germany and France at 8:00 in the auditorium.

Evelyn Crochet, French concert pianist, will give a piano recital Tuesday, May 17 at 4:00 in the Little Theater. Miss Crochet is a student at Brandeis University.

Senior Chapel on May 19 will present Anita Pascale as the senior speaker. Claire Horan and Sally McGurn will present the musical selections. Chairman of the program is Sharon Army.

## Rosemary Had A Little Lamb

Looking for an owner last Wednesday was a little white lamb. He was made of cake and white coconut frosting with raisin eyes and cherry lips. The green grass surrounding him was made of candy evergreen spears. All morning long he sat on the table of the Choir cake sale waiting to be raffled off at 1:00 o'clock.

Claire Horan, '60, who was busy scurrying hither and yon, sold nearly 300 raffle tickets in order that someone would win the "Lammy Cake."

Handling all the business arrangements for the sale was Ron Goudreau, chairman. The sale ended with the winning of the "Lammy Cake" by Rosemary Leone, freshman. And that's why "Rosemary had a little lamb."



JOSEPH MENARD President of Class of '60

# Sue Roberge Elected '60-'61 Co-ordinator

by Adrian Graves

On May 4, Suzanne Roberge was elected by Student Council to the post of Student Co-ordinator for the coming academic year.

The experience which Sue gained when she represented the sophomore class at this year's Eastern States Conference and her high academic rating as well as her energetic personality more than qualify her for the position.

Janis MacBeth, our present Student Co-ordinator, says that Sue really has her work cut out for her.

Next year, the Fall Eastern States Conference will be held on our campus. Janis outlined some of Sue's duties, which will include such things as attending, planning conferences with other members in the association to outline the topics for the conference. She must also see that delegates from R.I.C.E. are selected and informed of the topics and their duties.

In addition she will be the main hostess for the on-campus conference. Her duties here will include such problems as finding housing for the more than 100 delegates.

With the budget allocated by Student Council, she must plan luncheons, breakfasts, teas, and coffee hours, and see to the needs of the visiting delegates.

Besides this conference, Sue will also carry on the duties of planner and co-ordinator at the Big Eastern States Conference held in New York City, as well as at the spring Eastern States conference.

This weekend Sue will accompany the other R.I.C.E. delegates to the spring Eastern States Conference at Willimantic State

Teachers, at this conference, she will be the recorder of a panel discussion of which Ron Gaudreau, '63, will be chairman. The other delegates, who will participate in the panel discussions, are Joe Aguiar, Natalie Alviti, Dotty Welch, '60; Janis MacBeth, Mary-



SUE ROBERGE

Beth Peters, Terry Pailthorpe, '61; Shirley Derouin, '62; and Betty Thompson, '63.

Sue is a sophomore in the secondary English-French Curriculum. She is highly respected by her classmates and can usually be found actively discussing or arguing various kinds of problems with fellow students.

"I was very pleased to be elected Student Co-ordinator," was Sue's reaction. "Although I realize it entails a great deal of work, I am sure the job will be enriching and provide me with valuable experience."

# Sophomore Reflects On Italian Colleges

by Marjorie Medhurst

Desdemona Mastrobuono, a sophomore in the Social-Studies-English curriculum, spoke enthusiastically of her four years in American. "I came from Italy on the Andrea Doria — on the trip before she sank," she said.

After taking a year of English at Central High School, Desdemona enrolled at the old R.I.C.E. She lost last year from school, but returned this year to the new campus as a sophomore. She took further extension courses during this past summer at Brown University.



DESDEMONA MASTROBUONO

School and college are "altogether different in Italy," commented Desdemona. "Here you can talk to your professors; they try to understand you. In Italy the professors never talk to you. They never discuss your work with you; only your parents are notified of your marks, and you never see your professors outside of the classroom." There are no mid-year exams, just the finals in June.

The school years begins about October 15 and runs to about June 21. The school day in Italy is shorter than ours; classes begin about nine and "by two, at the latest, you're free." The campus of the ordinary college in Italy is nothing like ours and there's nothing to stay on campus after classes for, she says. "Any books you need you have to buy; there's no library in the small towns — only in the big cities."

The social side of college is also somewhat different in Italy. There is only one big social affair, the ball called the M.P. 100, a Greek phrase meaning 100 days before the finals; it usually falls in February. It's formal and "thousands" of people attend it; many stars from T.V. entertain. Desdemona says the young people in Italy are quite close; they have fun among

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Back on campus this semester is Joseph Menard, active president of the senior class. Leadership experience is not new to Joe who has led his class as president for three successive years. While a member of the class of 1950 at Pawtucket West High School, he was active in the Student Council and was treasurer of his junior class.

Joe entered R.I.C.E. following three years of service in the Army paratroopers. A Math-Science major, he completed his practice teaching in Central Junior High School, East Providence.

Joe, a member of Kappa Delta Phi, has participated in numerous R.I.C.E. activities including basketball and soccer. He has represented R.I.C.E. in the Big Eastern States, Little Eastern States, and World United Service conferences and was a member of the Dramatic League for two years. In

## Sigma Iota Alpha — Newest Club

Sigma Iota Alpha Club of Rhode Island College is the official title for the newest club on campus, the Greek letters mean "Service Through Industrial Arts."

On April 7, 1960, elections were held; the new officers are: William McCann, president; Russel Sawyer, vice-president; Clifton Boyle, secretary; Raymond DiCecco, treasurer.

Bill McCann, a graduate of Rogers High in Newport and at present a pledge to Kappa Delta Phi, explained that Sigma Iota Alpha is open to all students of the college—male and female. "Be sure to emphasize that girls are welcome," he said. "We're having one more business meeting next Wednesday, May 18, during the sixth period."

He said that the group began organizing last October with Russ Sawyer as the energizing force. As President McCann commented, "Russ was instrumental in forming the club in that he was the 'father' of the constitution . . . he was the spark behind the fire!"



Newly elected officers of Sigma Iota Alpha are: l. to r., Clifton Boyle, William McCann, Russel Sawyer, Raymond DiCecco.

The club ratified its constitution in February and it was approved by I.C.C. and Student Council in March.

As stated in the new constitution, Sigma Iota Alpha's aims are: "to promote the Industrial Arts program . . . to guide future students in the Industrial Arts program . . . to improve ourselves to become better qualified teachers."

In his own words, Bill said that the men want to introduce the ideas of Industrial Arts education to the rest of the campus. Their plan is to bring in lecturers and movies to illustrate this "vast field of electronics, metal working,

graphic arts, wood working and work with plastics, fibers and electricity."

The second aim is to help orient each freshman class of Industrial Arts majors to the program and the campus. They have planned a coffee hour to be held on the second Monday after the College opens in September at which time they will discuss the "various stages of College life and the functions and activities of the Club."

Sigma Iota Alpha will have its social functions like any other club. They have already begun arrangements for two dances to be held next year. They want to make the club fun for all the students on campus, Bill said, "and emphasized that girls are invited."

## Class of '62 Become Junior Counselors

In an "attempt to extend the orientation of (freshmen) students from one or two days to a complete college year," Dean Dorothy R. Mierzwa has set up a new program called the Junior Counselor Program. This Program is a part of the freshman orientation program sponsored by each Sister Class; it is a progressive step past the "sister-brother" system of counseling.

From the class of 1962, Dean Mierzwa has chosen approximately 50 students to become Junior Counselors to the class of 1964—next year's freshmen. From the many sophomores who indicated an interest, the Dean, in limiting the number to 50, stated that she was concerned with selecting a representation from all high schools with students whose index is at least 2.00 and who were not involved in too many activities.

The Junior Counselor Program is a year 'round program; thus, the Dean said, the necessity of choosing students who are not already busily engaged in many activities. Each Counselor will take charge of approximately eight freshman students.

"It should be an honor to be a Counselor," the Dean said, and suggested that this would be a position toward which students would strive.

Assisting the Dean with the entire program of freshman orienta-

tion will be a student elected from the Sister Class as student chairman of freshman orientation (or, since the Dean is looking for a title that doesn't suggest 'somber' orientation), this reporter would say "Freshman Daze").

Elected "Freshman Daze" chairman is Mike Iacona, who with the Dean will integrate the Junior Counselor Program with the usual activities of touring, hazing, picnics and parties.

Another innovation designed by Dean Mierzwa is the replacement of the All-Club Party with two new activities. At the end of the first week of the college year, there will be a gathering for the freshmen something "like a play day" to be followed by a supper and square dance. Also during the "Freshman Daze" there will be an assembly program concerned with a panel discussion of college life and the role of campus organization.

These two activities will be organized by students from all classes, the Dean explained, so that (1) "we ultimately get many people involved" so that the bulk of the work doesn't lay on a few, and that (2) "the freshmen will be better absorbed into college life" if more classes are involved; this means the freshmen and the upperclassmen have an opportunity to become "aware" of each other.

## KLUB KORNER

by Claire Horan

### Kappa Delta Phi

At their Thursday, May 5, meeting, the brothers of Epsilon Chapter, Kappa Delta Phi elected George Fleming, '62, president of the Chapter. George has been active on the soccer team and is one of next year's team captains. At present George is active captain of the tennis team and an active M.A.A. member.

Ed Day, '61, was elected vice-president of the frat. Chapter representative is Don Hulme, '62, recording secretary is John Ruggiano, '62; corresponding secretary is Norman Camp, '62; Chaplain is Daniel Lees, '62.

In other frat news, the second degree was administered to the pledge class of 1960 on Friday, May 6.

### Kappa Delta Pi

At a meeting held Wednesday, April 13, Kappa Delta Pi elected Mrs. Shirley Mulligan, president; Pauline DiBiasio, vice-president; Gilda Petrin, secretary; Marie Santos, treasurer; Carol Guiliano, social chairman; Lynne Nelson, historian recorder; Muriel Frechette, program chairman. These officers will be installed at the club's next meeting on May 18, which will include a buffet supper followed by a business meeting conducted by the newly elected officers.

**Soph Reflects (Continued)** themselves. Everyone goes to the largest house in town to dance on the weekends.

Next year Desdemona plans to spend three months visiting France, England, Spain, and, of course, Italy. She says she's looking forward also to seeing Athens, Greece, because she's interested in history and seeing how other peoples lived.

After finishing her education here in America and graduating from R.I.C. in 1962, Desdemona is going home to teach in her own village in Raviscanina, Italy.

### Dramatic League

At a meeting held on Wednesday, April 4, the Dramatic League held their elections for next semester. Elected were Earl Briden, president; Lori Cimini, vice-president; Margie Gallogly, secretary; Jim Kinder, treasurer; and Ronald Gaudreau, point chairman.

Also being planned is the annual picnic to be held at Kay Hoover's home on May 22. Entertainment is being planned by Ron Gaudreau, chairman.

### Newman Club

The Newman Club will hold its annual Communion Breakfast on Sunday, May 8, at Oates Tavern following Mass at the Holy Family Chapel of the Franciscan Missionaries of Mary on Fruit Hill Avenue. The chairman of this event is Pauline DiBiasio.

Sunday, May 15, the club will hold an outing at the Dominic Savio Retreat Center in Peacedale.

### Alpha Psi Omega

Alpha Psi has made tentative arrangements for the pledging of Ron Gaudreau into the fraternity.

### Anchor

Anchor elections will be held tonight. Officers for next year and the editor for the following year will be chosen. The meeting will be followed by the Annual Banquet to be held at Lindy's Bali Room.

### Orchestra

The Orchestra, at present, is planning to perform at three of the coming college events. They will present a half-hour concert on Alumni Day, May 21. They have been asked by President William Gaige to provide the musical background at Senior Vespers, June 5, and at Commencement, June 11. For these programs they are offering selection from many various periods of music.

## Duo Pianists Present Recital

by Dolores Rossi

On Thursday, May 5, Miss Rita V. Bicho and Dr. Ridgeway F. Shinn presented a two piano recital in Roberts Hall auditorium. This was the first formal recital that they have presented, although they played a selection at a recent Chapel program.

The idea to combine their equally outstanding musical talents grew out of informal conversation between Miss Bicho and Dr. Shinn on the possibilities of two-piano work. After an exchange of ideas on the subject, they began playing piano together once a week for their own enjoyment. Because this arrangement worked out very well, they decided to work specifically towards a recital. Since then they have average approximately three to four hours of work together each week.

Both Miss Bicho and Dr. Shinn have a broad musical background and have spent many years developing their musical abilities.

Miss Bicho is a native of Providence and has attended schools in

Providence. She is a graduate of the Providence College of Music, the American Institute of Music Education in Auburndale, Massachusetts, Rhode Island College of Education, and Boston University where she received her Master's degree. She studied music with the late Dr. Wassili Leps and Dr. Jules Jordan, who were both well-known accomplished musicians. Currently she is studying at Boston University.

Miss Bicho served as a faculty member of the Providence College of Music for many years and presented intermediate and advanced students in recitals. She is well-known throughout the state as a musician, teacher, organist, and choral director.

As organist and choir director, Miss Bicho has been associated with St. Francis Xavier Church, in East Providence for the past twenty-three years. She has done a considerable amount of work in both radio and television, sponsored by the State Department of

Education. Miss Bicho joined the college faculty of Rhode Island College of Education in 1949.

Dr. Shinn also has had a rich musical background. He began his study of music by taking piano lessons in elementary and high school in Waterbury, Connecticut, and also by taking organ and cello lessons while in high school. As a student in Oberlin College, Dr. Shinn studied organ and theory of music. Dr. Shinn also studied at Columbia University where he received his Master and Doctor degrees.

Dr. Shinn had the honor of studying abroad in Vienna, Austria, under Dr. Paul Weingarten of the Vienna Academy of Music. Dr. Weingarten was a famous musician and the "top" teacher at the Academy.

Formerly Dr. Shinn was an organist at a variety of churches. Three years before coming to R.I.C.E., he was organist and choirmaster at St. Johns Evangelical Lutheran Church in Mamaroneck, New York. Presently he occasionally serves as organist at Mathewson Street Methodist Church in Providence.

Dr. Shinn was able to further enrich his musical background when he lived in Vienna from 1946-48. There he had a chance not only to study piano, but also attend recitals, concerts, opera, and the like. In view of his rich musical background one might think of him as a professional, but Dr. Shinn still considers himself an amateur.

As for long range planning for future piano concerts, Dr. Shinn has expressed some hope for another recital, perhaps next spring, but he feels this depends upon the results of this first effort.



Dr. Ridgeway Shinn and Miss Rita Bicho congratulate each other after their piano recital.

# Keep Focused on WRA W.R.A. Elections Close Fri.

Cathy Wheeler is the new president of W.R.A. She is looking forward to the coming year and all the work which it will entail. The elections for the other offices of the organization will be held from May 5th through May 12th.

The freshman and sophomore classes will vote in their physical education classes. If they miss voting in class, they may vote in the physical education office. The juniors and seniors will vote for W.R.A. officers in the corridor outside the Student Lounge on the same dates.

Eleanor Rainbone, '62, and Dorothy McCarthy, '62, have been nominated for the office of vice-president; Maureen Baldwin, '62, Linda Morrissey, '62, and Irma Polofsky, '61, for secretary-treasurer; Elaine Borgas, '63, Pat Piver, '62, Betty Di Pippo, '63, and Dorothy Polofsky, '63, for social chairman; and Mary McCahey, '63, Maureen Griffin, '61, and Carolyn Papparella, '63, for publicity chairman.

The Modern Dance Concert is to be held on Friday, May 13th at 8:30. The money will be used for a scholarship fund to allow one girl to attend Connecticut College Summer School of Dance.

The dances to be presented have been choreographed by the students. Mary Monaghan, vice-president of Modern Dance Club, acknowledged Eleanor Walsh, president, and Mr. Rosati. Mary said, "Eleanor has worked diligently in helping the members of the club with their choreography." She added, "Mr. Rosati has again designed our costumes. We are sure that they will be as lovely as last year."

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On April 30th the girls from the R.I.C.E. Softball Club enjoyed a playday with girls from U.R.I. For this playday the girls were selected to an honor team and an honor reserve team. The honor reserve team was captained by Millie Wicklund, '62. Arrangements are being made to schedule a playday at the University of Connecticut in May. Remember that any girl who is interested has an opportunity to participate in playdays with other schools provided she is active in the club.

Stunts Club ended last Monday, but plans for next year were discussed. These plans will include a demonstration day for high school students in R.I. where the R.I.C.E. girls will exhibit their skills in performing stunts.

## RHODE ISLAND COLLEGE OF EDUCATION BASEBALL SCHEDULE—1960 (Home games — 3:00 — unless specified)

Saturday, May 14, Willimantic, Away  
Wednesday, May 18, North Adams, Home  
Thursday, May 19, Westfield, Away  
Saturday, May 21, Bridgewater (2 games), Away  
Tuesday, May 24, Fitchburg, Home

## M.A.A. News

On May 12, the M.A.A. is sponsoring an outing at Fenway Park, where the Boston Red Sox will be playing the Baltimore Orioles.

"Only those members who have not missed three meetings or more are eligible to attend," said John Chirico, secretary of M.A.A.

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# Let's Look at Sports

by Dick Sullivan and Tony Mancini

## Baseball Team Wins 2 from 7

To the casual observer, and many of us on the campus fall into this category, the R.I.C.E. baseball team has not been too successful thus far. According to the win-loss record, the team has won 2 games and lost 5. But a win-loss record tends to be such an impersonal statement of fact that the reader may allow himself to draw conclusions which are not altogether true. This has been the case, for the most part at this campus. Certainly the team's record is not very imposing, but an examination of the factors contributing to this slow start is necessary before one can draw any reasonable conclusions concerning the team.

### Hitting is a Weakness

Perhaps the greatest single weakness of the team thus far has been the hitting. A combination, of a long layoff for many of the players, and poor weather conditions during the early spring holding down batting practice has contributed to a large degree to this poor offensive showing.

### Fielding Improving

On the other hand, the fielding has shown much improvement. No coach would envy the task of forming a ball club with players having such a variety of playing experience as our players have had, but Mr. Thomas Sheehan has been doing a good job in positioning the players according to their abilities. It is easy for a potential team member to say that he has had experience at first base or at catching, but it is up to the coach to determine what combination of players will work best together and function as a unit.

### Pitching Not Too Successful

Thus far the pitching staff has not been too successful with the exception of Lou Lynch, freshman, who went the full nine innings, winning the Worcester game 7 to 5.

Several costly errors have been made as the result of eagerness on the part of the players. A bad throw to first base in the Lyndon game allowed the Lyndon team two runs and put another man in scoring position. Mistakes like these are not bad if profitable use is made of them. What else can this first year of competition be considered but one of experimentation and orientation? It takes time to develop a first-rate team, and spectacular results should not be expected during this initial period.

All in all, the team should continue to improve as it gains more experience in competition and, with eight games left on the schedule, the team has a good chance to compensate for the earlier games and establish a good record for this first season of competition.

## Tennis News

The first tennis match of the season was held on April 29th. The Anchormen were defeated by Gorham Teachers College of Maine, 7-2.

George Fleming was the only member of the R.I.C.E. team who was victorious in the singles matches. Fleming then teamed with Jacques Chapeut and gained the other R.I.C.E. score by winning a doubles match.

The next home match is May 16 at 3:00 p.m. when Keene Teachers College will provide the opposition.

Mr. Robert Brown announced that the Bridgewater match has been rescheduled to May 25 at home.

New candidates are still welcome to try out for the team. Practice sessions are held every school day at 4 o'clock.

### Match Results with Gorham

Singles  
R.I.C.E. Gorham  
Fleming vs. Coombs (6-2, 6-2)  
Petrun vs. Filmore (1-6, 2-6)  
Chapeut vs. Onofrio (3-6, 2-6)  
Ruggiano vs. Allen (4-6, 1-6)  
Blamires vs. Downer (5-7, 4-6)  
Cobain vs. House (3-6, 1-6)

### Doubles

Fleming and Chapeut vs. Filmore and Coombs (2-6, 6-1, 6-4)  
R.I.C.E.

Cobain and Ruggiano vs. Onofrio and Hazeton (7-5, 2-6, 7-9)  
Gorham.

Sawyer and Graves vs. Allen and Langlois (1-6, 1-6)  
Gorham.

Final Score, Gorham 7, R.I.C.E. 2.

## Spring Soccer

The first spring soccer practice at R.I.C.E. was held last week. The participants who turned out included a majority of last year's lettermen and a group of interested freshman candidates. Coach Ed Bogda pointed out that the major purpose of this practice was to develop the basic fundamentals of the game. The players have been improving their abilities by practicing shooting, dribbling, passing and offense plays.

Although the practice is only for a two week period, Coach Bogda feels that it will prove fruitful, as the rudiments of the game which are learned now will benefit the players when they resume the sport in the fall.

It is hoped that the team will commence fall practice a week prior to the opening of school. Any candidates who were unable to attend spring practice and would be interested in trying out for the team in the fall are asked to leave their name, address and phone number with either Mr. Bogda or Mr. Brown at the Athletic Office.

# Sport-lite Shines

by Mary-Jane McGuiness

Miss Basile, faculty advisor announced that Cathy Wheeler has been elected president of the Women's Recreation Association for a one year term of office.

Cathy, a junior in the elementary curriculum, has long been active in athletics. A graduate of St. Teresa's High School and resident of Johnston, Cathy was the captain of the Station Champion C.Y.O. basketball team and a member of the championship softball team.

Here on campus, Cathy has been the acting treasurer of W.R.A. as well as a member of the W.R.A. Council and a representative to Inter-Club Council.

In the W.R.A. itself she has been active in volleyball, softball, basketball, stunts and tennis. Complementing an already busy sched-

### Dancers (Continued)

peace (Sandra Cunha and Mary Monaghan), and truth (Dotty Heslin and Gail Davis). When the searcher does decide what she wants it is too late and she can find nothing.

"La Dance de Feu" is a Spanish dance which will be a solo performed by Anne Marie Degnan. This is a provocative dance concerning the anger expressed at the rejection of a lover. The emotion is intensified by the use of castanets.

"Electronic Kaleidoscope" is a dance that is unique in that the music and the movements of the dance have nothing to do with each other except that they begin and end at the same time. The music from Germany is made entirely by electronic sounds made by machines such as the IBM. These electronic sounds create a weird atmosphere in the myriad of colors effected by the dancers' movements. Those who will participate

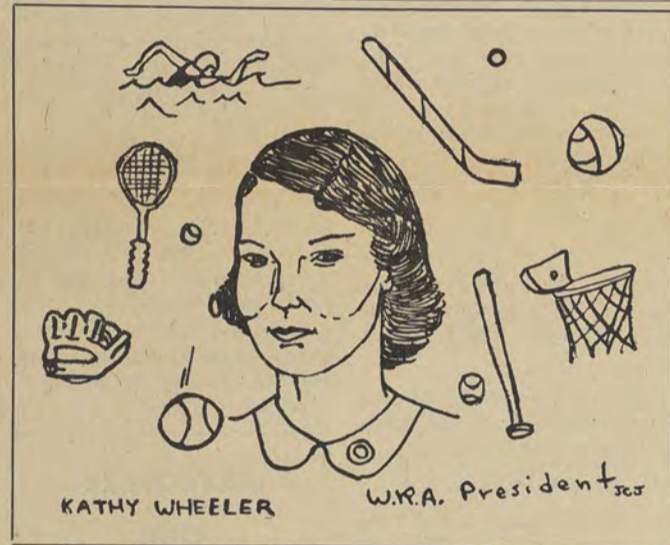
ule, Cathy also coaches and plays for the Co-eds, a basketball team in the Providence Recreation League.

When asked about the future of W.R.A., she replied that "Until the constitution has been accepted and the rest of the officers elected, the club will continue to function along indefinite lines.

"When revising our constitution," the new president continued, "we have kept in mind, along with other things, the possibility of having more play days and clubs, since these have been advantageous in fostering greater participation from all four classes."

in this dance are: Fran Bullock, Maureen Casey, Mary Grady, Diana Paine, and Judy Stoyko.

A change of pace in dance will be provided by Marcia Pettine who will do a solo entitled "Netted." The theme of this dance is the height of frustration. "Teen Age Fever" is a jazz interpretation of the "beat" teenagers' emotions. The dancers are: Barbara Boudreau, Andrea Egan, Mary McCahey, Janet O'Brien, and Bette Anne Tubman.



KATHY WHEELER

W.R.A. President

## Tennis Anyone?

Wander over to the tennis courts any afternoon during the week and note the hum of activity. It seems that the Riceans have gone on a tennis spree. Tennis is a sport that can be enjoyed by everyone regardless of his skill. It is certainly gratifying to see so many students interested in this healthful and invigorating sport. Remember the tennis courts will be open throughout the summer. Get out your tennis racquet, grab a pair of bermudas, and you too can play tennis.

## RHODE ISLAND COLLEGE OF EDUCATION TENNIS SCHEDULE—1960 (Home matches 3:00 unless specified)

Wednesday, May 11, Plymouth, Away  
Monday, May 16, Keene, Home  
Thursday, May 19, Gorham, Away  
Saturday, May 21, Bridgewater, Away  
Saturday, May 28, Plymouth, Home



# Here 'n' There

by Louise Pitochelli

## University of Georgia

The TAGS, or Transfer Aid Guides Association, organized in 1957, is an active group at the University. The association's main objectives are to aid transfer students during orientation week and to help them become familiar with the school's rules, regulations and activities.

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## Colorado University

An English professor at UCLA distributed disciplinary 'F's' to ten students because of their "flagrant and systematic Plagiarism." Professor Bone found that twenty-seven out of thirty students plagiarized to some extent on an assignment. This disciplinary move has been upheld by the Faculty-Administration Committee on Student Conduct.

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## University of South Dakota

Seventeen Rhesus monkeys are being raised and cared for by students at USD. The monkeys are part of a research project which the psychology department began in 1952. Presently the project is concerned with the testing of effects of aging on monkeys, since their exposure to radiation several years ago.

# Dr. M. W. Laufer Named To New R.I.C.E. Post

Reprint from the Providence Journal

Appointment of Dr. Maurice Laufer, director of the Emma Pendleton Bradley Hospital, as adjunct professor of mental health at Rhode Island College of Education, was announced yesterday by Dr. William C. Gaige, president.

Dr. Laufer is a graduate of the University of Wisconsin and received his M.D. degree from Long Island College of Medicine. Before joining the staff at the Bradley Hospital, he had served as assistant resident and instructor in pediatrics at the Cornell University medical college and worked with the Army as a neuropsychiatrist.

Dr. Laufer also is currently serving as chairman of the Ladd School Advisory Board and as a consultant to Butler, Roger Williams, Miriam and St. Joseph's Hospitals and the Meeting Street School. He is an examiner for the American Board of Neurology and Psychiatry.

Also announced yesterday was a special cooperative agreement with Brown University, by which Dr. John A. Dillon, Jr., assistant professor of physics at Brown, will teach part time at the College of Education. Announced at the same

Dr. Hope C. Solomons has been named assistant professor of psychology. Thomas J. Howell will be assistant professor of philosophy.

## Central Washington College of Education

Plans have been completed for a Home Management House to be in operation on the college campus. The house is to be operated as a home and classroom, but room fees and campus hours will conform to college regulations. Four Home Economic majors are to receive five credit hours for their experience in the house. The girls take their turn buying groceries, preparing food, cleaning, caring for baby, and laundering.

# Campus Chuckles

He: "I don't know what's the matter. I never danced so poorly before."

She: "Oh, then you have danced before?"

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A Boston girl being asked if she was once engaged to a Harvard student named Jackson, languidly replied, "I am not certain about the name."

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"A telegram from George, dear."

"Well, did he pass the examination this time?"

"No, but he is almost at the top of the list of those who failed..."

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Carl E. Stenberg will be an instructor in English and Mrs. Rita Spungin an instructor in mathematics.

Dr. Solomons is a graduate of Clark University. She received her master of arts degree from Wellesley College and a doctor of education degree from Boston University. She has served as a teaching assistant at Wellesley and Boston University and has been a member of the faculty of the Rhode Island School of Design since 1956.

Mr. Howell is a graduate of Kenyon College and received his M.A. from Brown, where he is a candidate for the Ph.D. He was a Fulbright scholar in France in 1950-51.

A graduate of Brown, Mr. Stenberg earned his master's degree at Queen's University, Belfast, North Ireland, and is now a candidate for the M.A. degree at Brown. He has taught at the Mt. Hermon School, Mt. Hermon, Mass., and served as a research assistant in English at Queen's University and as a teaching assistant at Brown.

Mrs. Spungin is a graduate of the University of Rochester and holds an M.A. degree from Smith College. She has served as a research assistant in the department of mathematics at Brookhaven National Laboratory, as a teaching fellow at Smith College and a research assistant at Brown.

## NEWMAN CLUB OUTING

SUNDAY, MAY 15

11 A.M.

DOMINIC SAVIO RETREAT CENTER

PEACEDALE

"What is your brother in college?"

"A half back."

"I mean in studies."

"Oh, in studies he's away back."

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May: "My fiance is telling everybody in Canada that he is coming home to marry the most beautiful girl in the world."

Edna: "Too bad, darling, after such a long time."

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Eva: "Dear Jack is so forgetful."

Celia: "Isn't he! At the party last night I had to keep reminding him that it's you he's engaged to and not me."

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"What's worse than raining cats and dogs?"

"I don't know, unless it's hailing a street car."

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A youth's mustache was the pioneer of the instalment plan, a little down, and then a little more each week.

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The modern dance has developed in leaps and bounds.

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If all the serial stories were placed end to end in this world they would have to be continued in the next.

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It's easy to pick out the best people. They'll help you do it.

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God first created the universe and rested; God then created man and rested; he finally created woman, and since then neither God nor man has rested.

# Dr. Coakley Resigns

Dr. Philip O. Coakley has resigned his position as Principal of Henry Barnard School to accept the position of Superintendent of Schools in his home town of Norwood, Massachusetts, it was announced by Dr. William C. Gaige. Dr. Coakley has been principal of the College Laboratory School for the past year.

In announcing his resignation, Dr. Gaige complimented Dr. Coakley on his effective administration of the laboratory school and offered his congratulations on his new appointment.

# Seniors Recall Tales From Old RICE Campus

The senior class of 1960 has accumulated throughout its four years at R.I.C.E. some very amusing memories of incidents and sayings, especially from the two years on the old campus. These are the results of an *Anchor* inquiry; it is quite likely that the memories will be understood by none but seniors, for none but the class of '60 remember them!

As freshmen on the old campus, the words that come to the minds of many seniors are "you are a selected group." It seems from all reports that from this selected group, many parties were held at St. Peter's Hall in East Providence.

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Question for Paul Eastwood: "Are you one of our young boys?"

As freshmen, the present seniors became accustomed to sitting on the stairs of the old campus. Needless to say, they were influenced by "Tracy," a sun-worshipper. And furthermore, studying confused "Tracy."

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Tom Sweeney and Tom Drury in their freshman year stole what was believed to be the anchor from the seniors (For a legitimate reason, of course); they needed it for their Stunt Night). However they were rebuffed when the lounge

## POETRY

### TO BE READ

Professor Ernest Allison will give a reading of selections from the poetry of Mrs. Betsy Greene, a transfer student who's now become a R.I.C.E. special.

Students are invited to attend the poetry reading on Wednesday, May 18, at 3:00 in the Little Theater.

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entrance was barricaded by an immovable "force." Both Tom S. and Tom D. felt the effects of the immovable "force."

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As sophomores, the present seniors made another attempt at stealing the anchor and as a result Anne Davis, '59, received a sore thumb.

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The senior's Stunt Night of their sophomore year called for statues and those portraying the statues played their parts exceptionally well. "My they looked stiff." was the remark of a professor.

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The senior's Sophomore Hop was a very memorable occasion that called to many senior's minds "the bridge over the rubber pool" and "the all-night construction of the false ceiling." Al Taborelli was partial to ladders especially in the auditorium and particularly next to open windows.

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Lynne Hart became an addict to riding elevators in her sophomore year due to some unforeseen mishap while skiing on Mount Mansfield.

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Speaking of elevators, Tom Drury was "stuck" on elevators himself — when they were between floors.

# Rondeau Elected President

The sophomore class began election proceedings at a meeting May 3. Elected were Ed Rondeau, president; Kathy Crowley and Nick Danielson, Student Council representatives. Chosen as delegate to the Little Eastern States Conference was Shirley Derouin.

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