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## Wed in Detroit, Oct. 30 To Eugene Trombley

Miss Margaret Eleanor Holden, a erson Avenue Methodist Church, draw-string waistline faced in purple grosgrain. The dress was trimmed with peasant appliqué. Accessories included a black hat trimmed with white ribbons and bird cage veiling, present. black shoes, and white three-quarter length gloves. She carried a bouquet of violets.

The bride was attended by Hannah Fineman, another former R. I. E. student now residing in Detroit. Miss Fineman wore a black and red velveteen dress, black and red shoes, and a black velveteen hat. Gardenias formed her corsage. The best man was James Kellett, bride's mother, Mrs. Robert Holden was attired in navy blue. She had a

After a brief honeymoon in St. Clair, Michigan, the Trombleys are at home at 1136 Lakewood, Detroit.

Mrs. Trombley attended R. I. E. for three years as a member of the class of 1943 and was prominent as a member in the Student Council, Editor of the Freshman and Sohphmore issues of the Anchor, News Editor of the Anchor in her junior year, Editor-in-chief during her brief stay as a Senior. She served cleverly written songs played a great part in the winning of Stunt night places by her class for three years. Having transferred to Wayne University, Mrs. Trombley will finish her education in Detroit.

Mr. Trombley, a chemical engineer and mathematician, holds a position with the Chrysler Company. He is a graduate of the University of Detroit and has also attended the Brown University Gradu-School of Advanced Mathematical Mechanics.

## Social Calendar

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November 13-Junior Prom. Elegy to a Turkey

Recess

Titanic Contest December 11-Stunt Night.

Vocal Vibrations December 15-Christmas Carols.

Roll to Health

December 15-Senior Roller Skating Party.

"God Bless Us Every One" December 16-Christmas Play.

### Former" Anchor" Editor Stunt Night Groups Play Production Class Silent About Plans

After interviewing the Stunt Night former R. I. C. E. student, was mar-committees of each class, your reried to Eugene F. Trombley on Fri-porter was left in a stage of utter Detroit, Michigan. Reverend Mr. her entry to this most important of Sardines, by Gilpatrick, as an as-Ferell officiated. The bride wore a all R. I. C. E. class contests. The sembly program. white botany flannel dress with a others merely stated that their re-

> wittiest, most amusing types of per- occasion, can judge by the confident chuckles will also present a play. which emerge from chairmen when another chairman mentions the su- a folk play, since it abounds in bril- Main Library Offers star's ("Orson" Turner's) visit to every line." these performances of ours. Perhaps vast knowledge of current events, of middle age Hitler. Perhaps they will experiment as her tongue . . . Mathilda O'Don-books. with a few of their class members nell; Lucy Watkins, whose deafness

## To Give Folk Comedy At November Assembly

"Laugh in Every Line"

On Wednesday, November 25, day, October 30, 1942, at the Jeff-bewilderment. The freshman chair-members of Professor Patterson's man alone would reveal the title of Play Production Class are to present

> The members of the class have spective committees were in the pro- made this production their project cess of writing the script. Such an and intend to give the premier perair of mystery befogs any inkling of formance Monday evening, Novemthe type of skit that each class will ber 23, as an entertainment for the Boston University Alumnae Asso-We may well expect the weirdest, ciation of Providence. For the same the Emerson formances from each class, if one Alumni Association of Rhode Island

> periority of her play over any that liant local color. It takes place in has been presented in the past. Herringport, Maine, and should Perhaps this year we will witness a prove especially interesting to those visit to Mars, or perhaps Mars' visit who are studying folk literature. One to us. Perhaps we will witness a can truly say, "There is a laugh in

The cast of the play is as follows:

## Promenaders Dance Tonight to Music of Ed Drew's Orchestra



MURIEL BENSON

# Center of Interest

The Main Library, under the guiding hands of the library staff, has dethe learned seniors will reveal their Mattie Eaton, an attractive woman pleasure to its many users through and Mrs. Louis M. Ream, . Claire Richards: the attractiveness of the new Brows-With their "A" science students in Anne Carroll, her fashionable friend ing Corner and the special exhibits the class, they should be able to con- from New York . . . Julie Lynch; on the stage, as well as through the some method to destroy Lizzie Pike, whose voice is as sharp continually expanding collection of

## Juniors Host at Social Highlight of College

Tonight the Junior Prom, highlight of the winter social calendar, will be held in the Crystal Ballroom of the Biltmore Hotel. Ed Drew and his orchestra will furnish the music for dancing, which will be from nine to one. This is a local orchestra, and has proved very popular with the other colleges of the state. With the present situation in mind, the Juniors thought it best to omit favors. The committee assures us that this will in no way detract from an enjoyable evening.

The following patrons and patron-To General Reader nesses have been asked to be in the receiving line: Governor and Mrs. J Howard McGrath, President and Mrs. Lucius A. Whipple, Mr. and veloped into a source of interest and Mrs. A. Livingston Kelley, Jr., Mr. Mrs. C. Gordon MacLeod, Mr. and Mrs. John F. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. John B. Dunn, Dr. and Mrs. Reuben C. Bates, Dr. and Mrs. James F Rockett, Miss Catherine M. Connor, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick J. Donovan, before our very eyes. Only the future will tell. (The future: December 11, person . . . Theresa Murphy; Al- the attractive surroundings of the person . . . Theresa Murphy; Al- the attractive surroundings of the person . . . Theresa Murphy; Al- the attractive surroundings of the person . . . Theresa Murphy; Al- the attractive surroundings of the person . . . Theresa Murphy; Al- the attractive surroundings of the person . . . Theresa Murphy; Al- the attractive surroundings of the person . . . Theresa Murphy; Al- the attractive surroundings of the person . . . Theresa Murphy; Al- the attractive surroundings of the person . . . Claire Ducharme. Continued on Page 4

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick J. Donlovan, Miss Hall Miss Helen A. Murphy, Miss Hary Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Waite, Miss Hollowan, Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Waite, Miss Hall Mrs. Frederick J. Donlovan, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick J. Donlovan, Mrs. Trederick J. Donlovan, Mrs

The list of ushers is as follows: Arline Cowell, Theresa Emond, Continued on Page 4

## on the board of the Helicon, and her Providence's "Yankee Doodle Boy" Dies: Curtain Falls for Last of Four Cohans

Michael always pointed with pride brought George to Broadway in greatest successes and appreciated in all. He was good, too. November 26-28 - Thanksgiving author, actor, composer, produceryet chiefly loved for and chiefly Perhaps it began when he used the a seat in the Providence Opera

five he made his first public appear-

ance, with his parents, billed as "the | legitimate theatre. George, naturally The Song and Dance Man has re- Boy Violinist." At nine he first went was responsible. This was the start joined his parents and sister after on the road, without his family, and of his real career, which continued Street, July fourth, 1878. Rhode Is- turn of the century, the Four Co- were counted as failures. One of at the New England Council of Sotoward Providence (excepting for a 1893. His sister was accorded the

proud of his singing and dancing, sold to other acts-on the royalty he gave in "Ah, Wilderness." money for his violin lessons to buy use thus. At the same time he started a seat in the Providence Opera to compose songs, "Why Did Nellie Was whistling or singing the songs House."

Leave Her Home?" being his initial from "Little Johnny Jones." For At any rate, he grew up in the attempt. The sketches were much in fifteen years they worked together,

1901 launched the family into the

He won his public almost immepainful interlude of which it is best better reception. He was delighted diately, but the critics in their re- follows: Dr. Earl B. Shaw of Wornot to speak). But our foremost flag- to find her so much appreciated views were not kind. In return, cester State Teachers College, waver was a citizen of forty-eight (family pride being strong in him), George often indicated plainly his will speak Friday afternoon, Decemstates and countless cities, known but set out to prove that he was opinion of the critics, confounded ber 4, on "Latin America"; He began writing sketches that finally won their admiration and rewere introduced by the Cohans, then spect by such performances as that general topic "Asia" on Friday evesystem, which he was the first to 1904, the firm of Cohan and Harris song and dance atmosphere, the demand; their success encouraged gradually expanding until at one original Cohans being troupers. At him to go into producing.

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#### Dr. Nystrom Chairman At Regional Meeting

Dr. J. Warren Nystrom, Assistant nearly 60 years of entertaining the two years later he was touring the for nearly fifty years. Of the many Professor of Geography at Rhode American public. Providence's famous son was born on Wickenden Bad Boy." From 1889 almost to the peared in, or did all three, only two gram chairman for the geographers landers point with pride to the Fox hans-Mother, Father, Josie, and these, originally a drama, he re- cial Studies Conference to be held Point house that now wears a plaque George-had one of the most popular wrote, changing it to a musical pro- at Boston University on December ommemorating the event. George vaudeville acts in the country. It duction, and it became one of his 4 and 5. At each of three sessions both a geographer and an historian will speak. The geographers are as them with his many successes, and Samuel Van Valkenburg of Clark University, who will speak on the In ning: and Dr. Trevor Lloyd of Dartmouth College on Saturday, December 5, who will speak on

During the month Dr. Nystrom will show films at army camps and will lecture at an assembly of Rhode time they had more than a thousand Island School of Design and at the

First Baptist Church.

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#### Education for Free Men

Tomorrow will bring to a close the twenty-second annual observance of American Education Week, a period devoted to the broad purpose of acquainting the people with the needs, aims, and achievements of the schools, a period wherein the public may observe and comment upon schools in action.

The drainage of teachers from schools, the rejection of manpower because of illiteracy and physical unfitness, a demand for the extension were revealed by the First World War and which accounted for the establishment of American Education Week in 1921. Today similar conditions exist, and the American Education Week program with its theme "Education for Free Men" is attempting to remedy them by promoting an adequate educational program in which not only illiteracy and physical unfitness are corrected, but also the principles and standards of our democratic life are introduced.

This year it is increasingly important that we Americans be fully conscious of the vital position of education during the crucial hours of a country at war. When men lose faith in themselves and in the goodness of their cause, when the responsibilities and opportunities of good citizenship are shunned, when mankind's moral destiny hangs in the balance, then it is the task of our schools to strengthen the morale of future generations by teaching and emphasizing the aims and objectives of a democracy; only democratic schools can promote democratic education.

Since we, the public school teachers, are going to guide the thoughts and actions of tomorrow's citizens, it is our duty to our country to learn and to teach, every day and every week, the fundamental bases, the significance, and the ideals of our democratic education, so that we may profit by them, so that they may be preserved for others, so that "education for free men" may become an everlasting, universal privilege

#### A Reminder

Save your pennies and watch that pile of war stamps grow. One young lady hoards those loose pennies all week long and then turns them in on Monday morning for war stamps. There is no effort involved, but notice how those stamps accumulate. It works.

"Christmas recess-Dec. 19-26."

This year the feast of Christmas just be beginning. No. 3 seems to be incidental to a period of

time for Christmas jollity, and fur- Thursday evening, the 24th of De-This letter is written in protest thermore, that stores are in dire cember. Those who want to work against a certain line on page 5 of need of help. All this is true, no for money to use, not for Christmas the College Handbook which reads doubt, but while we perhaps may presents, but for personal expenses, Christmas recess—Dec. 19-26." not enjoy the festive season so much can easily obtain positions for the In my estimation this is a mis- this year as in former years, there week after Christmas when the great statement. Call the period a Decem- is no need of casting an extra shadow "exchanging" rush will be on. ber recess, or a winter recess, but of gloom over the yuletide season by don't call it a "Christmas" recess, ending the recess when it should help, but is the situation that much

time in which the students of Rhode that working all vacation days and instance, are closing for the regular Island College of Education, because Christmas Eve until 9 o'clock at Christmas holiday beginning of vacation, are able to become the night is conducive to a happy, peace- cember 24th. How can the Paw-salesgirls of Rhode Island. ful Christmas. I do not. Many stu- tucket merchants get along without I object to the so-called "Christ- dents say they are working to get student help? They seem to be manmas" recess because it begins before money to defray Christmas expenses, aging without drafting school help the world is in a Christmas spirit It is not evident to me how these before Christmas and ends just when this season is students are expecting to buy pres-Of course, you will ents with the pay they won't re- ter of Christmas vacations not being say that this is war, that this is no ceive until approximately 8:30 brought before either the Student

#### Christmas Issue

The next issue of the Anchor will be the Christmas issue. We of the staff want to make it a very special issue of the paper, and we know you students do, too. The plan has been suggested that we set aside a page just for stories, poems, cartoons, and drawings dealing with the yuletide ficult situation and allow the stores season, and this plan has been approved.

We think that this Christmas, especially, when the rest of the world is overcome with the burdens of a ravaging, destroying war, we, who still are able to give presents, sing carols, and hear ancient Christmas legends, should do our utmost to make the Christmas season known and honored. Remember that this Anchor is going out to far places, to our boys in the armed forces, and that a page of Christmas poems and stories might well of vacations be passed along from one man to another, for Christmas is a universal subject

To make it a real success, however, we need full cooperation from he student body. Surely out of the great number of students in the College, there are many of you who have a secret ambition that some day one of your works will appear in print. Here is a wonderful opportunity. The subject matter is plentiful, Christmas is an experience everyone has of education to reduce these deficiencies — these were the conditions which had, and you have an opportunity to display your prowess before all and sundry. In case writing is not your strong point, try submitting a few tion, or are you ready to help build drawings. We won't expect to find rivals of Raphael or Da Vinci sud- morale? denly blossoming out; nevertheless we do expect only the chef d'oeuvre of each Ricean artist to be submitted.

> Let's make this issue of the Anchor so full of Christmas spirit that lull into which you have fallen. You jollity and hope will run right off the typed pages into the hearts of the are going to teach youth and to asreaders!

#### Challenge to College Youth

The bloodshed and the sacrifice of this war will certainly be wasted if the peace still allows for racial and religious prejudice and if we do | not accept all peoples in the bonds of friendship and fellowship. The hatreds of many years cannot be wiped out at a moment's notice when a treaty of peace is signed. We must be educated to understand the harm of such prejudices and we must know that in the last analysis the war is being fought to do away with them. It is heartening to see so many organizations already busy at work, attempting to educate us to post-war problems and to our part in the solution of these problems. The post-war period need not be a duplication of that after World War I. This peace settlement must not be a hurry-up job construed by a few individuals from all classes—peppy cheerleaders, about a table. A people's war demands a people's peace.

For many of us who are students now, the chief challenge is not to thusiastic crowd. You students have win the war, although we may have some small part in that, but to help build the right kind of world after the war is over. What can we do now to prepare for that challenge? We must learn to have respect for the individual, regardless of race, color, or creed. This implies an understanding of another's views without necessarily an agreement; it upholds the right of another to have views even though we disagree heartily with those views. We are so prone not to see what is excellent in anyone different from ourselves that we must strive consciously for appreciation of other individuals. College is the place, and now is the time for such striving

It is true that the stores need worse in Providence than anywhere Perhaps some students may think else? The schools in Pawtucket, for

> I particularly object to this mat-Council or the Student Body, as it was last year. We were not given the opportunity to express our views on this vital subject. The dates were simply included in the College Handbook and no more was said about them.

Why not compromise on this difto have help from the 23rd of December? The vacation would then run from Dec. 23 to Jan. 4, thus including New Year's Day. There would then be actually less disruption of schedules than there is now with the present broken-up system

ELEANOR LABRIE

Dear Editor:

Wake up, Riceans! It's no time for spring fever but time for pep and vitality. Have you students lost all interest in everything? Are you going to curl up in a corner and moon over the effects of the chaotic condi-

The latter can be started right here at the College of Education if ou people will only snap out of the sociate with happiness and good imes. Why start to degenerate now? We'll turn into an old-folk's-home if we continue as is.

You will be doing your part to build for the future if each one of you enters heartily into our college affairs and tries to contribute something worthwhile. How are you going to broaden your experiences when you ignore the chances to participate in activities?

Our basketball season is about to open and what are you going to do to help this team which will soon be fighting for bigger victories? The Pep Squad has called for supporters efficient scorers, timekeepers, pleasant ticket takers, and cheering ennot responded as the college wants you to. Don't you believe, as other college students do, in college spirit and cooperation? Each one of this institution should want to be a peppy promoter, and should feel it his duty. Each one should want to spur the team on to the victories which will aid in the ultimate victory.

Besides supporting the team, why Continued on Page 3

#### OMNISCIENCE

-Dale Hofman

I am not only I. I am measurable not only in actions, attitudes, emotions, and aspirations confined within my birth and present hour. I am a part of all that I have met.

The faith of Israel trudging wearily but hopefully toward Canaanland; the eloquent grandeur of Truth and Beauty inscribed by Hellenes on parchment rolls; the willing love of martyrs treading to the stakes, are in me.

Mine is the proud victory of the gallant knight at joust, mine is the avid and fearless quest for pepper and silk and gold; mine are the memories, the gratitude, the dreams and the hope of wide-eyed, incredulous beings huddled on an Ellis Island Ferry.

I am an eight-to-five factory girl, lunching on hamburgers and revelling in screen love; I am a doctor cutting confidently that a man may see more days; I am a brawny, muscled digger of roads.

I am the snow, dancing in a wayward line as if teasing the waiting earth; I am a tiny plant growing from the fecund clod; I am the crying crimson and tranquil yellow of the sunset. In the words of the poet, 'I am a part of all that I have met.

### ALUMNI NEWS

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Wedding bells recently rang out Gabrielle Beausoleil, Sophomore for William Macomber, '42, and The teaching side of the second Florence McGauley, '39.

Air Cadet Robert McCambridge, 42, is now stationed at Pensacola,

Mary O'Connor, '42, is now at Marion Wright, Junior: Cumberland.

Recently sworn into the Army Air Corps was Francis Milligan, class of young fellows with whom I went to the Junior Prom. However, the

Mary Munson, 340, was a member of the Publication Committee of the Quarterly Journal of the Rhode Island Institute of Instruction.

is Richard H. Turner, '42, a mem- I sincerely intend to join the WAACS ber of the Coast Artillery.

Harold Lindley, '44, is stationed at Nashville, Tennessee, with the Air Barbara Bechard, Freshman: Corps.

#### FORUM

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The fellows have their physical fitness program, but how about you I would be proud to join. girls who never don those natty gym suits unless required to do so. Participation in physical activities Kathryn Reardon, Junior: should be part of your life here. The W.A.A. offers you much; why let these chances slip by? You really would enjoy this close association with your fellow students, and you would enrich yourselves by it.

What about it, fellow Riceans? Can we count on your support and participation in activities?

This is your opportunity-grasp it-you'll never regret it!

BARBARA SHEVLIN



## CROSS-CAMPUS

Question: Would you consider join-ing either the WAACS or WAVES?

interests me very much, and I know up right here and now. that there are many such positions available. As soon as I get my de-I would love to join the WAVES

the war effort when I see all the school joining the services. I want to get my degree first.

Lillian Ianiere, Senior:

There's opportunity to teach any Now stationed at Camp Edwards time, but now is the time for action. after I graduate.

ate ate at

Yes, I would, because I think that either of those branches for women is more than a "frill" or "fad" of the moment. They are both sincere not participation on your own part? attempts by the women to share the burden of the war with the men, and

Yes, I admire the WAACS and WAVES because of the work they are doing and (but not quite so important) because they wear the only good-looking rayon stockings I have

Ruth Rotman, Senior:

'Home Front" of the war effort.

#### Shortage of Punch? Bring Ration Book

Have you your ration book and Prom Invitation? Then we'll see you tonight! There are still quite a few questions concerning punch ration-The teaching side of the service ing. We will attempt to clear them

In the first place the reason for rationing: Along with rubber, gas, and coffee, orangeade, as a vital war product, is scarce, and the Junior Class has not been able to obtain a priority rating. Committee members have been regularly calling on Sel It makes me feel so inadequate in Desto and Heon Lenderson trying to show how punch is necessary to Yes, I O.P.A., P.D.Q., and A.B.C. have not will join, but from a selfish motive, been able to see things our way. Consequently, we have been allotted only a certain amount. Now, dear public, vou can see why we find punch rationing necessary.

> There are four kinds of ration books, A, B, C, and S. Each one has two pages of coupons with two coupons on a page. The A book is worth four glasses of punch. The B book is worth four glasses, and the C and S books will also enable holders to have four glasses.

> Now, how do you get an A, B, etc. Book? An A book holder must present \$3.85 and certain vital information (name of her escort). An A book holder must also be a Freshman. Sophomores may obtain B ration books. Seniors will have C books, and Juniors, S books. These are nontransferable. Anyone found break-ing the law is subject to a reduction and will be allowed only two glasses

How to use: During intermission tonight or whenever you feel the urge I prefer to do my work on the Home Front" of the war effort.

After Friday, November 13. See you a new tradition, he will not be forsolder.

Sister gotten. The Cohans stood at the done.

## mananaman m Collegiate Caravan

Music professor trying to set a All her books were by her side definite date for the next rehearsal: If there is anyone who isn't here this time, but who will be here next time-will he please raise his hand.' The Scarlet (Clark U.)

Last night as I lay dreaming I dreamt the nicest dream: I walked into the classroom, Desks and faces all were clean. I taught my lesson very well. There were no questions asked. The little cherubs knew all the answers

To lessons I've taught in the past My critic teacher spouted praise For my personality. For remedial work that I had done With stuttering Jimmy Lee; Only praise for my techniques Of handling discipline: Why can't this really happen to me? It certainly seems a sin To wake from dreams of perfect bliss To a class that doesn't care If a practice teacher gets an "A" Or an "E"-and tears her hair.

The Lamron (Genesco State Teachers College)

experience in Mitten Hall the other Work-out Week pleading for dates day, and instead of telling about it with gawky, blushing upperclassmen. in the usual way she wrote this:

There sat, not very long ago (In 1942) A lonely girl in Mitten Hall With ne'er a thing to do.

Her coat was on the chair. Her thoughts were centered on the men That lingered everywhere.

"What's your name and address?" Smiled a handsome looking boy. Her heart beat like a tom-tom: Her face lit up with joy.

His compliments and questions Really made her blithely dazed 'Till she learned he was a Freshman Who was merely being hazed! Temple University News

"Halt!" said the guard on duty to

a man in a car, who promptly halted.
"Halt!" said the guard again.
"I have halted," said the motorist. What do you want me to do next?

'I don't know," said the guard. "My orders were to say halt three times and then shoot."

The Fog Horn

A cute Freshman girl had an odd versity had quite a time during To top it all the girls were asked to accompany their pleas with love songs rendered in the old style, "tear-jerking" manner.

Temple University News

#### COHAN

Continued from Page 1 performers under them. Cohan dissolved partnership and ceased producing in 1919. It was eighteen years before the firm again became active.

George was always a flag-waver; the critics tried to dissuade him, but in a nation where sight of the Stars and Stripes brings a lump to many a throat, it could not be done. His greatest triumph came in World War time, when thousands of marching feet kept time to their owners' lusty voices, in the strains of "Over There." A nation was grateful for this expression of her martial fervour; President Wilson thanked him. More than twenty years later, for long, which represents that in a this same song, he received the Congressional Medal of Honor.

Off-stage, he was quiet and modest, a man known to many, known right. by few. He had acquired a large fortune and was considered a true philanthropist; on Broadway, a "soft mended a comic strip to his students, touch." He married twice; his secwere with him when he died.

Older Americans will remember his life story through the picture, "Yankee Doodle Dandy." There have been other song and dance men; there will be others in the future. There can be no second George of a drink, present one coupon for M. Cohan. Because he contributed each glass of punch you drink. You to American life songs that the peomust remember that these are good ple can sing, stories at which they

#### Pre-Flight Course In Aeronautics Is Offered to Students

Professor Read is now conducting new pre-flight aeronautics course, which is offered at present to sophomore men. This course is planned to cover meteorology, aerodynamics, air navigation, communications, and the significance of aeronautics. It is expected that a study of the following will be made: weather, interpretation of weather maps and other aeronautical charts, and the conditions of the air which affect airplane performance, and radio.

Each member of the present class is equipped with a stick about a yard plane. The class practices turning and banking imaginary airplanes by shifting these sticks to the left or

Contrary to the practice of most teachers, Professor Read has recom-Terry and the Pirates is the comic ond wife and their three children which is honored, as the information given on aviation is quite authentic.

Professor Read hopes that this him because they saw him on the course may be offered as an elective road with his troupe. Those too to women students next semester. A young to know him thus have learned previous knowledge of physics is desirable, but is not a prerequisite

> head of their profession, and he was first of the Cohans. Often he de-clared himself grateful to the public that made his life possible. Now can

they say:
"We thank you, George M. Cohan. for tonight and tonight only. They can laugh, or cry, as he wished, most We thank your Mother, we thank cannot be used for getting punch of all because he has built for them your Father, and we thank your Sister. Your work has been well

#### RICE FLAKES

Campaign Cut-ups

The Freshmen are entering early the political fray at the College. Last week they had a heated contest for Stunt Night Chairman, with loyal supporters decorating the halls a la Election Day posters for their candidates. Congratulations to the victor, Miss Mildred Brennan.

Those Who Have (Men)

Doddy Sullivan attended a Brown Deana Robinson was seen at a similar affair at State. Other R. I. State visitors were Agnes Finan and Patricia Donovan. These Freshmen! Betty Lee, Esther Sullivan, Estelle Hunt, and Terry Emond represented found that many lack a sufficient its us at the P. C. Soph Hop.

U. S. O'ers

We hear from reliable sources that R. I. C. E. night at the U. S. O. was a very lively affair. The hit of the evening was the ratio: three men to one girl-refreshing change.

Gallup Quizzers

In the line of interesting jobs, the Gallup Poll has found some new recruits from our ranks. Estelle Goldin, Joe Young, and Maynard Schusman have found it fun to question a cross-section of Providence about Chief of the Ricoled, and Miss Marmovies.

No Hard Feelings

Young are no longer at sword's points. They have officially presented sity themselves to him in Forum, leaving no doubt in his mind about their existence. It was all in fun, anyway. \* \* \*

It Ain't True

In case you have wondered about that vehement poster of denial on the bulletin board, signed by Millie Smith, we wish to say officially that she is not one of the newly engaged or married as rumor has it. It all started as a joke, so don't believe it.

College Capers

Thanks to the Seniors for an amusing and informal assembly with an opportunity to let down one's hair. They did an admirable job of 'cutting-up"

## Faculty Members To Serve on War

sity to deal with the background of pertaining to both popular interest the war, its conduct, and post-war and reference needs. problems. Included on the roster of pamphlets are to be found on the has been offered for the past few speakers are several members of the last shelf of the magazine section, faculty of Rhode Island College of and in a special part of the Corner Education: Professor Catherine M. are the new fiction and non-fiction showing of posters and pamphlets Connor, whose general subject is books which have a wide circulation have been planned for American 'Background of the War": Professor at the present time. J. Warren Nystrom, who will speak on Corner was a gift from the Alumni fessor Frederick J. Donovan, whose decorations have been most gener- effort. Many pamphlets on all phases topic is "The Teacher-a Vital Fac- ously donated by Miss Marie How- of the war including defense and the tor in the War Effort." A complete ard. list has been prepared which will be sent to organizations wishing to con- stage have been designed to promote other pamphlets of current interest tact these speakers.

#### **Barnard Mothers** Postpone Bridge

Because of the number of activities welfare of the Barnard School children usually held on the third Wednesday in November has been postponed by the Henry Barnard Mothers' Club until Wednesday, December second.

There will be no fancy articles at the sale this year, the food table, fish-pond, and candy table being the most outstanding features. Some "frat" dance last weekend, and doubts are expressed, however, concerning the possibility of having a candy table because of the shortage of sugar.

After an examination of the Baramount of milk in their diet. The proceeds from this Bridge and Sale, therefore, will pay for the milk for the children and also for glasses, shoes, and other clothing for those who do not have an adequate supply. At the end of the year, if there any money in the treasury, the Barnard Mothers' Club will make are all looking forward to the ansome gift to the school.

#### Ruth Rotman Attends C. S. P. A. Convention

Miss Ruth Rotman, Editor-ingaret Martin, Feature Editor, attended the Columbia Scholastic Press o Hard Feelings Association's One-Day Course in The Junior Class and Mr. Joe Vearbook Production Saturday, October 31, 1942, at Columbia Univer-

> Presiding at the conference was Mr. Joseph Murphy, director of the Columbia Scholastic Press Association. The opening session, at 10 A. M., had as the topic of discussion "The Status of the School Publication in the Wartime Program" Speakers were A. A. Lubersky, of the I. K. Smith Company, Chicago; Charles F. Troxell of Frankford High School, Philadelphia, and Mr.

> Sectional meetings were conducted by Mr. Lubersky. These meetings concerned planning for economy, getting the most from specifications for photography and engraving, printing specifications that work, and covers that help to make a better book

#### LIBRARY

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Information Board welcome many times during the course of a day. On conveniently Crohan, Winifred Turner, A War Information Committee placed shelves are to be found great Shannon, Gertrude Duffy, and Lucia ther has been created at Brown Univer- numbers of magazines in all fields O'Brien, Miscellaneous The Browsing 'Geography of the War"; and Pro- Association, and ferns and table

### SPORTLIGHT

The W. A. A. is enlisting for the coming at the same time this year, keep-fit program. The publicity and the annual Bridge and Sale for the recruiting committee is headed by Dot Horne, Sophomore. Every woman in college is a member of the W. A. A. However, we want more active members, not dormant ones. Join the ping-pong, soccer, and horse back riding groups and keep fit while having fun.

Last year's revision of the Student constitution necessitates Council changes in that of the W. A. A. Kay Reardon, Junior, is chairman of the Revision Committee and is assisted by Dorothy Cucarelli, Senior, and Regina Clavin, Senior.

Agnes Des Granges, '40, an ardent nard School children, the nurse has W. A. A. fan, spoke to the Club at last meeting concerning opportunities for bowling at the new Y W. gymnasium.

You soccer people are urged to accumulate your hours as play-off time is drawing near. Remember of hours are required in order to make a team.

By the way, you Sophomores, we nual soccer supper, the highlight of the soccer season.

Horse back riding is becoming your ears-ditto for your hairmore popular during this splendid fall season. Anne Lally tried a little bronco-busting last week much to Barbara Shevlin's dismay as the latter was on the receiving end of this lively experiment.

The Outing Club is making arrangements for another week-end of fun at Camp Hoffman. People with cars and gasoline are especially invited, for if cars aren't available. we'll have to hitch hike or go by train. This will necessitate a price increase to \$3.75 for the trip. January seems to be the best time for the trip, so save those dollars Santa leaves in your stocking.

The Social Committee is planning On with the Dance a full program for this season. Each meeting will be followed by dancing, games, etc.

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Farrin, Lillian Farrin. Marion Foster, Alice Henry, Estelle Hunt, Dorothy Latham, Julia Lynch, Mary McArdle, Grace Mulcahey, Theresa Murphy, Kathryn Reardon, Barbara Shevlin, Priscilla Soule, and Margaret Sullivan.

The Junior Social Committee, which has been arranging the dance, is under the direction of Muriel Benson. She has been assisted by Evelyn

jects. A very timely topic, "Asia" weeks with a display of the latest books pertaining to that subject. A Education Week beginning November 9, and the general theme will be the part education plays in the war part women and education play are The eye-catching exhibits on the to be put on display. These and interest in varied and allied sub- are later filed for future reference

#### I. R. C. Members to Serve as Ushers at Sayles Hall Lecture

Members of the International Relations Club of Rhode Island College of Education will be ushers at the lecture of Mrs. Vera Micheles Dean, noted interpreter of international affairs, who will speak at Sayles Hall, Brown University, Friday evening, November 20, at eight o'clock

Acting as ushers will be the Misses Florence Genua, Laura Fackada, Mary Barrett, Matilda Liberati, Mildred Watt, Josephine Kerr, Margar-Sullivan, Claire Lennon, Mary Cook, Gabrielle Beausoleil, and Rae O'Neill.

The tentative topic for this occasion is "Russia as a World Power" This is a special lecture open to the general public, giving everyone an opportunity to become acquainted with this charming and forceful

Cute Ideas for the Prom

Glamour in velvet-black velvet bows with "diamond" centers for

If you're a woman of many moods a leading house has put out a musical key case of three lipsticks.

The Lowly Kerchief Goes Formal

Enormous squares, embroidered, bespangled, or what have you-to protect your tresses from the sad effects of the elements around the Biltmore.

Attention, Mrs. Andrews

High heels are out, at least for the duration-in order to save leather and health, so we have been informed by shoemen. A quick glimpse in the windows will convince you of the trend

Then if you really want to be the belle of the Prom-why not show up in a frothy concoction called a ballerina dress-ankle length with lace slippers-and watch the tem-

Talking about Temperature

With all the talk about fuel ra- to the basement. tioning, here's one item you'll want to stock up on .

Bed socks-you know the kind stamps. grandma wore on the farm-pink or blue crocheted socks with little tasnot make the best of it.

Feathered Flurry

Someone must have seen our befeathered debutante and gone farevening bags of ostrich feathers-pastel shades-but please find out whether or not your escort is allergic

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#### Operettas Presented **By Boston Company**

Providence audiences enjoyed a treat when the Boston Opera Company brought its players for a threeday visit of Gilbert and Sullivan operettas. These included Trial by Jury, Iolanthe, The Mikado, and H. M. S. Pinafore.

It was a refreshing experience to hear the crisp, precise English which the performance of these works requires. The operettas are tuneful and melodious, and the audience always react favorably to the colorful, vivacious airs with the witty, humorous verses. Certainly, familiarity with the tunes creates a feeling of expectancy as the drama unfolds.

Those who saw Trial by Jury and H. M. S. Pinafore spent an enjoyable evening, as was evidenced by the applause. The story of Pinafore is most pertinent at this time, having as a background the English Navy. It tells of a young sailor or "tar" who loves the captain's daughter and of FASHION FURORS all the obstacles of social conventions which he must overcome to win his fair lady. Throughout the merry tunes and witty banter, the chorus of sailors in bright uniforms brought to mind our Allies across the ocean. The playing of our national anthem, coupled with the great number and variety of uniforms which dotted the audience gave a most satisfactory finis to the evening's entertainment and spirit of patriotism,

#### HAVE YOU NOTICED

the stage curtains which have arrived in the blue of condition.

what has happened to the two side doors in the auditorium. Swell blocking for R. I. C. E.

the removal of the framework on the auditorium front doors. We certainly hope it was not a Hallowe'en prank.

the aquarium apparatus in the plant lab. all fixed up and waiting to be filled.

Mrs. Judge's interesting displays.

the Junior Prom advertisement which extends from the third floor

the beautiful score sheet used to mark the progress of the sale of war

the alterations in Sigma Rho.

the brilliant sprays of orange bitsels-so if we must bundle up-why tersweet scattered about the building.

the Comic Books in the College Shop surely not for use by students of R. I. C. E.

the free material just beyond Professor Bassett's room.

the new shades in the Sociology Room. .

