

Distributors' Club Holds Convention

Delegates of the 24 Virginia high school Distributors' Clubs have arrived to attend the third annual convention of the Associated Distributors' Club of Virginia which meets today through Friday.

The delegate session opens at 9 Thursday morning in the Richmond Room of the Hotel Richmond. Following a welcome by Miss Louise Bernard, State Supervisor of Distributive Education, Miss Rosemary McMillan, of the School of Store Service, will discuss "How to Conduct a Meeting" and Ethel Townsend, Store Service senior, will discuss "How to Make a Report." Mrs. Kathleen Crismond, of the School of Store Service, will lead a discussion of Distributive Education Club activities.

Tomorrow, the delegates will hold committee meetings, tour "behind the scenes" of Thalhimers, banquet at Ewart's Cafeteria, and be entertained with a one-act play by the Theatre Associates.

Friday's program includes club displays under the direction of Dar-

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S. G. Installations Made Yesterday

Installation of house presidents and student government officers was made yesterday at Convocation by Dr. H. H. Hibbs.

Dot Turock became president, replacing Mary Sue Hibbs, while Pat Albright, former secretary, succeeds Betty Donahue as vice-president, leaving her place as secretary to previous treasurer Byrd Bradshaw, who in turn left the treasury to Lola Mae Shiffett.

Dr. Theodore F. Adams, pastor at First Baptist Church, spoke on his trip to Europe, as he recently saw it, discussing the need of American cooperation.

Gambrell, Emanuel To Head Classes

Sarah Gambrell was elected president of the senior class and Grace Emanuel was chosen to head the junior class last week when elections were held by the classes.

Other officers of the senior class include: vice president, Betty Anderson; secretary, Francelle Adams; and treasurer, Alice Hurst. Carey Barbour was elected student government representative and Pat Albright will be the Athletic Association representative.

The officers of the junior class are: vice president, Harriet Richards; secretary, Nancy Duggan; and treasurer, Stella Burson; Jean Riddle was chosen as student government representative, and Gene Layne was elected Athletic Association representative.

Results of elections for the sophomore class have not as yet been reported.

May Day Festivities to Feature Carnival, Freshman-Sponsored Dance, Fashion Show



Practicing for May Day are Francis Milton, Alice Andrews, Jane Fivel, Martha Ganzert, and Connie Hatke.

Students to Model Their Own Designs

Modeling clothes which they have designed to create that "American Silhouette," students in the Department of Costume Design and Fashion will present the tenth annual fashion show held by the department in the gymnasium on Friday, May 10, at 4 o'clock.

Students whose creations will be shown are: Ruth Allen, Margaret Ann Baxter, Ann Bemiss, Betsy Bridgeforth, Molly Blalock, Phyllis Broach, Jane Carol Brown, Jean Bussard, Pette Clark, Caroline Davis, Alyse Dean, Betty Dillon, Alice Fielcing.

Alice Finke, Ann Garrett, Jane Garrott, Frances Glenn, Nancy Glenn, Tajuna Golik, Jane Haitwanger, Billie Hennis, Betty Jean Hoover, Elizabeth Howard, Mary Ashton Joyner, Helen Jeanne Keeling, Patsy Kelly, Marjorie Kroskin, Anita Larson.

Nancy Latouche, Rose Minkoff, Frankie Payne, Ruth Riley, Emily Rocks, Joy Roy, Nancy Schlack, Nancy Shuman, Ray Sears, Jeanne Shadwell, Kathleen Smith, Anna Walbridge, Ernestine Waters, Margaret Wilkinson, Gloria Winter.

These students have had as their basic training courses in the history of costume and the study of textiles and fabrics. They have received instructions in drawing original styles, use and alteration of commercial patterns, and pattern drafting.

Assisting Mrs. Hazel Mundy, assistant professor of costume design, will be Mrs. Sally Marks and Mrs. Marian Welch. The powder committee, who will assist Dena Davis, the

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Brinser, Doggett Will Lead Figure

With Ellen Brinser and Ray Doggett leading the figure, assisted by Gladys Watson and Jesse Addison, the May Day Dance will begin at 8:30 p.m. on Saturday, May 11, in the school gymnasium.

Others in the figure include Margaret Acors, Leigh Breuer, Nikki Calisch, Martha Fielding, Jane Fivel, Jackie Gaines, Martha Ganzert, Connie Hatke.

Also Elton Hill, Jean Hopkins, Jean Houghton, Ann Jolly, Joan Leghorn, Jackie Lundie, Joyce Mathis, Jody Miller, Lois McAdoo, Cecelia Northern, Estelle Rudman, Lola Mae Shiffett, Lois Peace, Nettie Verella, and Joan Wallerstein.

The Ribbon Bearers, all of whom have not been chosen as yet, will be Avlon Anderson, Vicky Broda, Frances Glenn, Nancy Glenn, Emily Gregory, and Helen Wallerstein.

The girls will wear traditional white formal dresses with long white gloves. They will have wrist corsages of red carnations. The Windsor's Orchestra will play.

Byrd President of IRC

Mary Byrd has been elected president of the International Relations Club for the 1946-47 semester. Chuck Wood was named vice-president and Ruth Sussman will serve as secretary. Jesse Addison is treasurer and Vera Englehart represents the club in the Student Council.

These officers will be installed at a student-faculty reception in May.

Ashie Joyner To Reign As Queen of Carnival

Ashie Joyner, a major in costume design, will reign as queen at the May Day Carnival which will begin on Friday, May 10, and will continue for two days.

The various classes will be represented in the May Court as follows: senior representatives, Mary Helen Holmes and Davis Batchelder; junior representatives, Dot Turock and Margaret Snell; sophomore representatives, Byrd Bradshaw and Sue Hutzler; and freshmen, Sherry Fowler and Anne Pettit.

Joan Elizabeth Plagemen and Christie McCoy, daughter of Dr. S. J. McCoy, are to be the flower girls, while Gerard Plageman, IV, will be the crown bearer. The pages are Ruth Allen and Conway Fleming.

Those who are to take part in the dances are Peggy Kelly, Bette Goldberg, LaNelle Cross, Suzanne Thornton, Jeanne Houghton, Carolyn Graves, Martha Ganzert, Ruth Hoffman, Marilyn Dietz, Kitty Williams, Frances Milton, Bobbie Huddle, Lillian Smith, Connie Hatke, Mariette Wallace, Thelma Ellingern, Ruth Jordan, Gene Layne, Martha Jane Coleman, Jane Fivel, and Alice Andrews.

Among the booths featured in the celebration will be the Gay Nineties Barber Shop at 819 Franklin under the chairmanship of Mary Roberts; the Boating Booth at 821 Franklin with Margaret Snell as chairman; Caricatures under the direction of Mary Helen Holmes at 827 Franklin; and the Pitching Pennies Booth at 908 Franklin, with Kindy Miller as chairman. The Gypsy Fortune Tellers will be at 216 Shafer Street under the chairmanship of

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Cotillion Formal To Be at Mosque

The Cotillion Club will hold its annual Spring Formal on Saturday, May 4, in the Mosque Ballroom. The dance will begin at 8:30 and last until 12:30.

Serving on committees to complete arrangements for the dance are Jody Miller, Janet Rollins, Claire Rodman, Suzanne Thornton, and Anne Jackson on the invitations committee. On the committee to handle refreshments at the dance are Ruth Croft, Mary Rogers, Ashie Joyner, and Rosalind Retzer. Mary Calligari, Jane Fivel, Betty Hoover, and Mae Dickerson will decorate the Mosque Ballroom. Composing the poster committee are Nancy Schlack, Kay Burkley, Virginia Mitchell, Lolly Gallette, Marion Walker, and Anita Larson. Patsy Royal and Nikki Calisch will handle publicity.

Invitations may be obtained from Anne Wooten, president of the club.

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May Day Lore

In old English tradition, the loveliest girl in the village was crowned with flowers to rule as Queen of the May; then the villagers danced around a Maypole in her honor.

From this background has evolved The Spring Festival which, to RPI students, has become a favorite institution. This celebration lasts three days instead of the conventional one and includes the fashion show, and the crowning of the Queen.

Each department in the college plays host to the visitors and students after the coronation. Ending the glorious day is the annual May Day dance sponsored by the freshman class at which members of the class of '49 are presented in a figure to the Queen and her escort.

Will You Help?

In a psychology class discussion of the food situation in Europe recently, Dr. Curt Bondy brought forth a letter he had received from a friend. A former U. S. Army officer, now a civilian employee of the U. S. Government in Europe.

The letter follows in part: "I hear from many friends and other people who have just returned from the U. S. that people there are completely ignorant of the conditions here, and that if they have a chance to find out, they refuse to do so, or know it better anyhow. People should be told again and again that we are running into a catastrophe of unforeseen immensity if . . . the surplus nations cannot lick the famine in Europe and Asia . . . To allow starvation anywhere invites anarchy and disaster, and America will not be untouched should we have disaster in Asia or on Asia's Western tip, called Europe. I am greatly disturbed that no more valiant efforts are being made to combat this threat to world-peace—because that is what it is. . . . Hunger is a foe as dangerous as Hitler and in its psychological consequences a greater threat to the understanding between the peoples of this world than Goebbels ever was. . . . It is still time—in a few months it may be too late, and we may then have failed to eradicate the seedlings for a new major conflict in the future."

The above states very clearly the desperateness of the food situation. Quite a few people—perhaps you at this very moment—ask, "But I'm just one person. What can I do? I can't send overseas that part of my meals that I can do without." No, but you can do this: Buy a can of Spam or milk or something at the grocery store (or filch a can from mother's pantry) and place it in one of the barrels in the Ad. building. Your can will soon be on its way to Europe.

Start with one, but don't stop there. Imagine one can of food in your own family—and how short a time it would last. Then try to make it at least one can a week.

Will you help?

Correspond With Europeans

One of the letters on this page encourages the idea of Overseas Pen-pals. The idea is reinforced in a letter received by the outgoing president of Student Government, Mary Sue Hibbs:

"There is a way to extend one's knowledge of these far-away conditions: pending the establishment of television, we may start and regularly keep up correspondence with those overseas victims of the war, especially with these fellow-laborers in the fields of learning and science."



You Write Us

Dear Editor:

Would it be possible to post, on the bulletin board or in some other conspicuous place, the names and addresses of foreign pen pals? This would enable any student who wants to correspond with a foreign girl or boy to cross out the address that he or she has selected, and so avoid the possibility of more than one student writing the same pen pal.

Emily Ann Rice.

Dear Editor:

Several weeks ago an editorial appeared asking students not to try to get the professor off the subject in lecture classes. In several of my classes, students continually ask off-subject questions. Those who are trying to get something from the day's lesson profit little from these discussions, which are often of no interest to the majority of the class. Can't we save our off-subject questions and thoughts until after class?

It is also very annoying during tests when students make remarks and ask unnecessary questions. Can't RPI students be a little more considerate?

Pauline Kirby.

Dear Editor:

Interest in the Literary Club is rapidly spreading and it seems to me that it is not too soon to establish a bulletin board for the exclusive use of the magazine. In this way individual students will have the opportunity of submitting material directly to the reading committee instead of its having to be procured from the teachers themselves.

Marjorie Mullen.

Hall and White To Give Recitals

Marjorie Hall, pianist, and Dorothy White, violinist, will present their graduation recitals in the college gym at 8:30 on May 7 and 14, respectively.

Marjorie, a student of Mr. Volney Shepard, is a candidate for a Master of Fine Arts degree. Her program will include pieces by Bach, Frank Chopin, Brahms, Tschaiakowsky, Metner, and Rachmaninoff.

Dorothy, a pupil of Mr. Frank Wendt, candidate for Bachelor of Fine Arts Degree, is concertmistress of the college orchestra, an organist and accompanist, and a recent recipient of the honor key from RPI. Her violin recital will include works by Bach, Bruch, Wieniawski, Mondonville, De Falla-Kochanski, Logan, and Kreisler.

Sydney Allsopp, II, a graduate major in piano under Mr. Shepard at the University of West Virginia, will be accompanist.

The President Speaks

By Mary Sue Hibbs

I would like to take this opportunity to express through the PROSCRIPT my deepest appreciation to each member of the Student Body for support during the past year. It has been a very satisfying experience to be your Student Government president and it has been a pleasure to work with you. I am sure I express not only my feelings but those of the other officers and the Student Council.

Next year you have excellent Student Government officers and Council. They will lead you well and you in turn will, I know, give them your full cooperation. To them and to you I wish the best of luck.

Pitter Patter and RPI Chatter

By Jane Scates

With Apologies to E. A. Poe

Once upon a week-end glorious, as I found myself so joyous, Over a new-found lover who to me his love did pour,

While I dreamed, my heart abounding, suddenly there came a pounding

As of voices deeply sounding, sounding through my poor brain's door. And this is what they muttered, sounding through my poor brain's door—

"Exams are coming, study more!"

Backwards

An' then there's the one about the boy who continued to stand up at the ball game.

"Sit down in front," the crowds shouted.

"I can't, he replied, "I don't bend that way."

(Copied)

Yes, We Have Them All

If it's pineapple you wish — See Miss Dole

If you wish to build a fire—See Chuck Wood.

If there's a little trouble you wish to end—See Lois Peace.

If it's grammar you're in doubt about—See Mildred English.

If you need advice—See Elaine Wise.

If you like to fish—See Helen Bass.

If you are houseless (we even have those precious things, two of them) —Bill and Meredith House.

Seniors, Take Notice

I'm well educated 'tis easy to see. The world's at my feet, for I have an A. B.

M. A. will come next; then of course Ph. D.

But I'd chuck it all for a J. O. B. (Copied)

Confused Subject

Two little boys stood on a corner. A little girl passed by.

Said one: "Her neck's dirty."

Said 't'her: "Her does?"

Unhappy Ending

There was a young lady named Lou Who studying she disliked so to do.

Such a cute little dish But her classes she'd miss.

Guess what! She flunked them all too.

A New Type

Ever tire of listening to a speech? Maybe it was a Longhorn speech—a speech with a point at both ends, far removed from each other, with a lot of bull between.

We think it's corny too!

Sports Reel

By Bob Hall

Spring is here, and with it tennis, archery, swimming, and softball come into full sway. So off we go on a round-up of sports activities in our school.

Miss Ruth Cady announced that the girls' tennis team has scheduled a match with the Collegiate School of Richmond, for May 2. Leading candidates among the 20-odd who are out for the team include Betty Aherne, Jean Houghton, Elaine Wise, and Helen Jean Keeling, trying for the singles berth, while three dubs; Ibbie Stigall and Margaret Lucas, Manager Gene Layne and Katherine Tarter, and Margaret Snell and Nancy Duggan, lead the doubles aspirants. Miss Cady also stated that more matches with surrounding teams are being arranged.

On April 30, the Archery and Tennis after-school groups are tabbed to give an exhibition at McGuire Hospital. Two singles and one doubles matches are on the bill for the tennis exhibitionists, while a group of eight girls, chosen by Mrs. Edna Jean Dexter, will participate in a "Columbia Shoot." This consists of 24-arrow volleys at 50, 40, 30 yards, respectively. The archery groups hold practices each Wednesday afternoon, and girls or boys wishing to attend are invited.

Bathing suits with girls in them are wanted for the opening of the McGuire swimming pool on May 16. Connie Hatke and Nancy Duggan are to give diving exhibitions. Any girls interested are urged to contact Mrs. Dexter, as she wishes to have about 50 attending.

The girls' softball team is practicing on Friday afternoons at Byrd Park. Jane Cartwright is managing the adherents. No games have been scheduled as yet.

In concluding, I'd like to send out another plea for support of sports here at RPI, and would like to add that boys who are interested in organizing a baseball team, get in touch with Dewey Lovelace, who has consented to manage a team, if, by an act of fate, we can get a sufficient number of players interested. Well, it was a bold effort, but don't blame us if we go down swinging. Au revoir!

Mr. Shepard To Give Piano Recital Tomorrow

Mr. Volney Shepard, director of the Richmond School of Music, will present a piano recital in the gym on Friday, May 3, at 8:30 p.m. Students, faculty members, and music patrons in Richmond may well recall Mr. Shepard's initial concert before a Richmond audience last spring and the favorable reviews and comments his work received.

Presented on the program will be four Russian folk songs by Liadov, "Ballade" by Grieg, and "Because," "Nocturne, Opus 48, No. 1," and selections from several etudes by Chopin. He will also play four movements from Beethoven's "Sonata, Opus 7, No. 1" and two Debussy works, "Reflets dans L'eau," and "L'Isle Joyeuse".

Glee Club to Give Annual Concert

On Friday evening, May 10, at 8:30, the Girls' Glee Club, under the direction of Mrs. Helen F. Rhodes, will give its annual spring concert in the school gym. Margaret Sydney and Sydney Allsopp will each present a group of piano solos as part of the program.

Accompanied by Miss Virginia Holden, the glee club's agenda will consist of "Amariyllis, My Fair One" by Cuccini-Taylor; an old English air arranged by Kinscellu, "The Old Woman and the Peddler;" "The Gypsies" by Schumann, and "My Johann" by Grieg. The audience will also hear a work, "The Boy in the Blue Beret," which was composed by Mr. Volney Shepard, director of RPI's school of music.

"Song of the Brooklet" by Edwards-Downey, "Maytime" by Romberg-Marlowe, and Friml-Reigge's "Gionnina Mia" will conclude the concert.

German Movies Shown Tomorrow

A group of German films from the Museum of Modern Art in New York will be shown by the Fine Arts Group tomorrow night at 7:45 in the rear library.

The main feature will be a full-length showing of "The Cabinet of Dr. Caligari," a film which has played an important part in film history both in this country and abroad. It was for its settings, which are derived from expressionist paintings, that "Caligari" was first acclaimed and has remained famous. "The scenes are very interesting in terms of modern art, and we promise everyone an exciting evening," said Miss Theresa Pollak, Professor of Art.

All students are invited to attend, and admittance of the general public is by invitation.

Chuck Wood Still Ill

Chuck Wood, president of the Minority Club, member of the boys' basketball team, and an assistant editor of the PROSCRIPT, is still in McGuire Hospital where he has been ill for the past four weeks.

Faculty and students are expressing the hope that he will be able to return within the next few days.

Connecticut and Columbia Fast for Food for Europe

The girls at Connecticut College have voted to dine on soup and bread each Thursday night and devote the money a regular full-course meal would have cost to European relief.

After an experimental two-week period in which the program was carried out in a single dormitory and raised 430 for relief purposes, the soup and bread Thursday dinner was extended throughout the college.

The money will be turned over to the Save the Children Federation, Inc. Part will be used to supply a small school, L'Ecole de Filles, in Boulogne, France, with clothing, shoes, school supplies and supplemental food. The remainder will be used to aid three needy French children, and for mailing and transportation charges. (Associated Press)

DE Club Convenes At Richmond Hotel

The Distributors' Club of the Richmond Professional Institute will again play host to the delegates from throughout the state who will assemble here May 1, 2, and 3 for the third annual convention of the high school Distributors' Clubs. The first convention of this type was held in April of '44 and attended by only fifteen delegates. This year the number of delegates has increased to twenty-two and other members of the clubs who have asked to be allowed to attend bring the total number to forty.

Delegates to the convention are required to be seniors working in retail stores on a part-time basis and members of the retail training course in their high school. Selection of delegates is accomplished by a vote of the local clubs. They are chosen on the basis of a good job done in their store work, leadership qualities, and contribution to the club itself.

This year the Richmond Hotel will house the delegates. Before, it was necessary to place the delegates throughout the dormitories because of the inability to obtain hotel reservations. Mass meetings will be in the Richmond room.

One interesting feature of the program this year will be the poster and displays brought by the students from the various schools. These will be put on display in the Richmond Room Friday afternoon to be judged, and prizes will be awarded for the most outstanding work.

Also on display will be a number of the posters made this year by the Seniors of the Department of Store Service.

Of the topics listed for discussion, the formation of a National Association of DE Clubs is outstanding.

UP Pops Confusionism

Here we have the answer to the confusion over Confusionism:

"Due to the New York trip, our script writer was unable to finish the script, and because we want to present to you our complete script, it was necessary to postpone Confusionism," announced Betty Donahue, student council member.

A new date for the show will be announced later.

Emanuel Heads Lit. Magazine

Grace Emanuel, sophomore and Occupational Therapy major, has been elected editor of the newly-formed Literary Club magazine. Anne Sullivan, also a sophomore and a major in psychology, was chosen president of the club. Other officers include vice president, Winston Evans; secretary, Virginia Lewis; treasurer, Florence Crane; and student government representative, Bette Goldberg. Dr. S. J. McCoy, professor of English, was unanimously elected faculty sponsor.

The club hopes to publish mimeographed copies of the magazine this semester. All students wishing to submit work should give it to Helen Carpenter, chairman of the reading committee for this month, or post it on the PROSCRIPT bulletin board.

There will be two meetings a month, a Tuesday night meeting at which there will be an outside speaker and a meeting on Thursday at 4 p.m. for discussions of students' work.

Membership in the club is not limited to students who do creative work but to anyone interested in literary discussions.

Chairmen of committees who have been appointed are Jeanne Frayser, membership committee, and Jim Fish, subscription committee.

Coleman Will Head Newly-Formed VIC

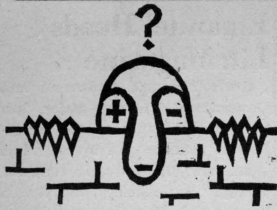
Martha Jane Coleman, a junior in the sociology department, was elected president of the newly-formed Virginia Intercollegiate Council at a conference held April 12 and 13 at Roslyn. Other officers elected are: secretary, Pat Williams of the Medical College of Virginia Nursing School; program chairman, Ralph George of Ferrum Junior College; and publicity chairman, Jane Kiefer of Randolph-Macon Women's College.

The conference, which was held at the suggestion of the Richmond Intercollegiate Council, was for the purpose of organizing the colleges of the state into an intercultural council similar to those operating in other states. Sixty-three students representing fifteen colleges throughout the state were present at the meeting.

AA Banquet Scheduled For Next Wednesday

The Athletic Association will hold its annual spring banquet next Wednesday at 6:30 at the Y.M.C.A., according to Mrs. Edna Jane Dexter. Program chairman for the banquet is Ann Crymes.

After the banquet, awards for athletic achievement during the year will be presented to the girls who have been outstanding in basketball, swimming, and intramural. The intramural is the most hard-earned of the awards, because the girl who wins it must have earned one hundred fifty points. Each point represents an hour of outside work or participation aside from the class time.



Chad Says

Introducing Chad, the successor of the Gremlin, the British Kilroy, (and don't tell me you haven't heard of Kilroy.) This is his very first appearance in the PROSCRIPT, and may it not be his last.

At first I had a blonde love, And now a sleek brunette, Tomorrow'll bring a redhead—I'll date all colors yet, You may think that I'm fickle, Or that I can't be true; But these are all the same girl—It's just her hair that's new.

Her father: "Young man, why is my daughter sitting on your lap?"
Veteran: "Well, sir, I got here before any of the other fellows."

Psychiatrist: "Are you troubled by improper thoughts?"
Patient: "No-o-o-o, not exactly, I kinda enjoy them."

Dear Jack,
I just read that students who don't smoke make better grades than those who do.

Love, Dad.

Dear Dad,
I have thought about that. But truthfully, I had rather make a B and have the enjoyment; in fact, I had rather smoke and drink and make a C. Furthermore, I had rather smoke, drink, and neck and make a D.

Love, Jack.

Dear Jack,
I'll break your neck if you flunk anything.

Love, Dad.

Question: If you put a mama duck and 5 little baby ducks in a box, what do you have?

Answer: A box of quackers.

Students Model

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commentator, in preparing the commentary, is composed of Ashton Joyner, Ernestine Waters and Ruth Allen.

In charge of the program will be Nancy Shuman and Alyse Dean. Marian Welch will supervise costumes. Staging will be done by Mr. Raymond T. Hodges, associate professor of dramatic art, and Miller and Rhoads.

Judges for the "American Silhouette" will be Miss Alice Clarke of Miller and Rhoads, Miss Lorraine Plymale of Thalheimer's, and Mrs. Carin Tribsees of Montaldo's. Costumes will be judged for quality of workmanship, suitability of design to material, and suitability of design to wearer.

Students and the public are invited to attend.

Personality Parade

Repercussions from the gala Easter week-end are still being heard. Travel was the order of the day, as evidenced by Lib Davis, who visited with Hazel Vick in Hampton, and Bette Lempe, who went to Mildred Witherington's home in Goldsboro. . . . Dot Turock and Jeanne Levinson vacationed at Goucher College. . . . While Sunny Gilmer's "Cotton" was here from Kentucky, they trekked up to Washington for a day, and report great fun. . . . Easter dances at U. Va. attracted Anne Moore and Conway Fleming. . . . Charlottesville also holds an attraction for Frances Milton, who spent the Sunday there. . . . Hannah Bunch was a happy gal when she received two corsages. Nice goin'. . . . Jane Carol Brown went to VMI for the dances (and Jimmy) last week-end.

We hear that Dr. Bondy and Mr. Behl will be California bound when RPI closes. Helen Lewit will settle for her Los Angeles destination. . . . Lee Marks and Helen Wallerstein are anticipating fun at NYU summer school.

Shirley Harrell's Alvin returned last week and will add a wedding band to her diamond in June. . . . Maude Spindler, she of piano fame, will become Mrs. Eddie Bridgeman the same month. . . . Lillian Beatty has been planning with recent visitor fancee, Edward, their Big Event to take place this summer. . . . Roaming the campus the other day were brand-new engagees Beryl Pitchford and Alice Hurst, with Charlie and Julius, respectively. . . . Also engaged is Charlotte La Bruce. . . . Carolyn Hill is sporting a frat pin from Oao Phil.

Mary Mune reports a gay time at the Hampton (Va.) German Club's dance last Satdee. . . . If you want to hear of a super week-end just ask Margaret Stephany, Judy Shapiro, and Sue Grossner about the house-party they attended at the U. of N. Car. . . . Soon after Anne Welton returned from visiting Ensign Allen Jones at his home in Moorefield, W. Va., along came Jones—to Richmond.

That cute lil' blonde who's been around with Mariette Wallace is her sister Katherine. . . . While Joe Slivka was at home in Youngstown, Ohio, t'other week, he kept the telephone lines busy calling Rose Minkoff. Sounds serious. . . . That cute boy who keeps Quincy Parrish so busy is Bill Fitzgerald from MCV. Oh, doctor!! . . . Virginia Mitchell's latest is Ted Humphrey. Ted, stationed in Norfolk, says the trip up here is well worth it. . . . Steve Martin's fiancée, Camille Mountcastle, was around, too. Hubba, hubba.

Why did Laura Ann Barrett and Kitty Smith have to eat off the mantel at Dot Courtney's shower t'other night? (Also present were Bette Goldberg, Stella Burson, Sue Hutzler, Peggy Kelley, Skinny Savage, Helen Wallerstein, and hostesses LaNelle Cross and Sunny Gilmer.

The initials RCM are forever erased from Adele Frank's notebook, or are they? . . . Just a note to let hospitalized Charlotte Andover know we are thinking of her. . . . Iris Ecksten is still dreaming of that wonderful trip to Baltimore. . . . Elaine Horton and Doris Atkinson are making future plans to visit Buckroe Beach with their respective men, Johnny C. and Al D. . . . Ask Susie Sellers how she and her naval officer of Camp Peary are getting along. (Maybe more of us should have gone to the dance, girls.) . . .

Did you see Joan Levy with honeysuckle braided in her hair? Sweet, huh? . . . Barbara Sears journeyed to the U. of Va. for Easter week-end with a future doctor.

Loretta Widder stopped in to see Chuck Wood at McGuire Hospital and he's getting along fine. He asked her to say hello to everyone and "I miss yo' all."

DE Club Meet

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rell Landrum, Store Service senior; panel discussion, "After Distributive Education, What?" led by Miss Hannah Lee Crawford of the School of Store Service; a tour of Miller and Rhoads; talks by members of the Richmond Personnel Executive Association; and a talk on "Display Trends" by Darrell Landrum. Closing the conference, Miss Bernard will summarize the activities in the convention, discussing "Our Challenge."

Miss Elizabeth Shannon, of the School of Store Service, is in charge of arrangements for the convention.

Members of the RPI Distributors' Club who served on committees are: Housing, Barbara Webster, Florence Bernstein; Reception, Charlotte Alous, Margaret Hicks, Betty Anderson; Room Decoration, Merle Olsen, Miriam Straus, Darrell Landrum; Publicity, Betty Lutjens, Emily Joyce, Dena Davis, Margaret Snell; Hostess, Nancy Gleason, Ethel Townsend, Nancy Yates, Patricia Newton, Nevell Burns; and Entertainment, Martha Davis, Henrietta Cohen, and Betty Anderson

A Tail

By Emily Ann Rice

It has just been discovered that RPI, alias William and Mary Extension, has a namesake in the form of a wire-haired terrier by the name of Willemare. Willemare was given by one RPI student to another. T'would be fitting to disclose Willie's surname, but his owner has disclosed that Willie does not like his privacy infringed upon; therefore, for the sake of reserving to a dog his natural rights, it is impossible to reveal Willie's full name.

It is possible that Willie's mistress will bring him to school some day, giving everyone the pleasure of meeting him. Until his visit, however, RPI'tes will have to wait for any further information regarding Willie and his family background.

Nyah, you thought we spelled the title wrong, didn't you?

May Day Carnival

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ship of Lois Speiss and Leigh Breuer, and the Freak Show at 816 Park will be directed by Peggy Jamison. The Ball Throwing Booths will be at 818 and 820 Park Avenue. The Junior-Senior Treasure Ship will have Pat Miller and Martha Hawkins as chairmen, and the freshmen and sophomores are in charge of the Pitching Rings Booth.

Chairman of May Week-end is Ebbie Stigall, and chairman of May Day is Pat Albright.

The following are chairmen of their respective committees: Byrd Bradshaw, Court Dresses; Nell Hogshead, Flowers; Lou Woolridge, Figure; Patsy Royal, Newspaper Publicity; Harriet Richards and Emory Newton, Poster Publicity; Helen Jean Keeling, Programs; Florine Hunt, Advertising; Alice Andrews, Dances; Bernice Silver, Tumbling; and Nancy King, Refreshments.

Mr. Raymond Hodges is Faculty Chairman, with Mrs. Lois M. Washer and Miss Mary Jane Dole as his assistants. Mrs. Edna Jane Dexter is in charge of the dances and tumbling, and Mr. Robert Harrison will superintend publicity.

Hampton; Anne Mitchell, Fred-ericksburg; Kitty Bradley, Danville; Jean Taylor, Culpeper; Homer Smith, Cradock; Sylvia Buck, Charlottesville; Joyce Dove, Arlington.

Students Are Delegates To Distributors' Meet

Virginia high school delegates attending the Distributors' Club Convention which starts in Richmond today are:

Jeanne Calfee, Wytheville; Betty Witt, Staunton; Donald Trainum, Staunton; Claudine Blankenship, Roanoke; Peggy Ann Benson, Portsmouth; Charles Harrington, Petersburg; Jean Downey, Norview; Thelma Sakakini, Norfolk; Delores Hagens, Norfolk; Daniel Klabans, Norfolk; Ernestine Hanes, Norfolk; George Seburn, Jr., Morrison; Ersey Marks, Lynchburg; Meredith Jones,

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