

## 96 Degrees To Be Awarded At RPI Commencement June 7

Ninety-six students will receive degrees from Dean Henry H. Hibbs at graduation exercises June 7.

According to Mrs. Lois M. Washer, in charge of commencement arrangements, the exercises will take place at Grove Avenue Baptist church at 11 a. m., June 7. The address will be delivered by Dr. S. J. McCoy, head of the department of English, Dr. Margaret L. Johnson, adviser to women, will present the candidates and Dean Hibbs will award the diplomas.

Of the 96 students, 79 will receive Bachelor of Science degrees. Seven Bachelor of Fine Arts majors will get diplomas. In music there are four candidates for Bachelor of Fine Arts in Music with two students receiving Bachelor of Science in Music degrees. Bachelor of Science in Dramatic Art will be awarded to four students.

Mrs. Washer also announced the following schedule for commencement week:

Sunday, June 1, 3:30 p. m. Symphony concert by the RPI Orchestra at the WRVA Theatre. The concert is open to the public free of charge, but advance tickets should be obtained from the Music School.

June 1 at 8:00 p. m., the Baccalaureate service will be conducted at the First Avenue Baptist church, North Boulevard at Monument Avenue. The Rev. Theodore F. Adams will preach the sermon.

Faculty and Seniors will wear cap and gown. Mr. Raymond Hodges is in charge of the procession. He has requested that the procession form in the Sunday School room.

Also on the program for the week is a series of three one-act plays to be given by the Theater Associates at the Studio Theater every night, June 2, 3, 4, 5, and 6. General admission will be 50 cents; students, 25 cents.

Thursday, June 6, at 4:00 p. m. the Seniors will hold a picnic supper at Bryan Park.

Friday, June 6, 8:30 p. m., a reception will be held at the home of Dean and Mrs. Henry H. Hibbs for members of the graduating class, their families and friends, and for the faculty and staff.

Saturday at 10:30 candidates and faculty, in cap and gown, will form the procession for commencement exercises in Sculpture Court, next to the Dean's residence. From that point the procession will move in a body to the Grove Avenue Baptist

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## Artone Winner Is Announced

Mrs. W. D. Hubbard, sister of Mrs. Kathleen Crismond, assistant professor of Distributive Education, held the winning ticket for the Artone Radio-Phonograph given away by the Distributive Education Club last Wednesday.

Jack Collins, treasurer of the DE Club, disclosed that approximately 1,000 tickets were sold. "We got about \$250, but that includes all the costs", he said.

## Elementary Education Is New RPI Unit

A department of elementary education will be added to the RPI curriculum in September, Dr. Henry H. Hibbs, Dean, announced last week.

Miss Pearl M. Burford, a new-comer to the RPI faculty this Fall, will be the advisor for this new program of study. She has been superintendent of education in Albemarle county and has taught at William and Mary in Williamsburg. She will be an Associate Professor.

The course will be open to juniors and seniors from all departments of the college who have completed 57 semester credits in liberal arts subjects and three credits in general psychology.

Freshmen and sophomore students who expect to undertake this course should pursue either of the junior college programs of liberal arts or sciences.

Juniors and seniors in this new department will be required to study all the various courses in education to be offered in addition

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## Schedules Due For Next Year

Business students who have not yet turned in their schedule of courses for next year please do so immediately, requested Mr. Shafer, head of the business department.

Schedules may be left in his mailbox.

## Short Man-- Big Can

Mr. C. E. Miller, cafeteria manager, is so unhappy this week—

This is just between you and the wall. Digh this. Mr. M purchased a trash container for the center of the cafeteria floor. It was to help you—help him keep the cat clean.

But Mr. Miller just didn't know what he was doing when he purchased such a large refuse container.

The can is taller than Mr. Miller, and every time he picks up a few papers from the floor, and attempts to put them in the basket—he just can't reach up high enough to throw them in.

The other morning, "Shorty," was sitting in the corner, crying his eyes out.

He was cheered up when notified that the PROSCRIPT would pass on a good word to all the guys and gals that frequent the place.

Please, peoples, please put all the trash and stuff in the basket—so Mr. Miller will be happy.

Poor Mr. Miller.

## R.P.I. Alumni Association To Be Formed

An association of RPI alumni will be started next Fall, Dr. Margaret Johnson, advisor to women students, has announced.

Preliminary work of organizing the organization the association will begin this summer, she said, and "by Fall we will be well under way."

Miss Mary Elizabeth Kinsey, BFA in Music, 1945, will take an active part in the organizational work, Dr. Johnson revealed. Miss Kinsey is a Richmonder, and lives at 4702 New Kent Road.

Recently a notice was posted on the bulletin board asking those interested in such an association to sign their names to the list. Dr. Johnson said this procedure should be encouraged in order to get as complete a list of interested students as possible.

Dr. Johnson explained that in August a letter will be sent out to all former students of RPI inviting them to join the organization, whose purpose will be to strengthen the ties between alumni and the alma mater.

The history of the alumni association at RPI is one of sporadic attempts to weld former students into an useful organization. Perhaps due to small enrollments in former years and the fact that former students came from such widely separated points contributed to the lack of interest.

The School of Social Work has had an active alumni unit for many years, according to Dr. George Kalif, director of the school.

Dr. Johnson expressed the hope that a Richmond chapter will be organized as a nucleus of the association and that such a chapter will take an active part in furthering the alumni association program.

## 19th Art Exhibition To Be Open May 25-31

The opening of the Nineteenth Annual Students Exhibition of the schools of Art and Occupational Therapy, conducted at the Richmond Professional Institute, will take place Sunday, May 25. The Exhibit is to continue, after the initial opening, through the week, and will close Saturday, May 31. Open to the public, the Sunday program will last from 3 to 5:30 p. m., and the successive showings will continue through the week from 9 to 5 p. m. The exhibit is an effort on the part of the two schools to give the public a comprehensive idea of the work done in these departments.

In conjunction with the Occupational Therapy exhibit, will be a puppet show on the East Lawn, a satirical dream sequence on the subconscious fears of a person

## R.P.I. Music Festival Starts Next Week At WRVA Theatre

### Art School To Get New Instructor

Mr. Maurice Bonds, who will assume his duties as a new faculty member in the RPI art department in September, is a former RPI student and instructor.

He attended RPI as a Fine Arts major for four years, graduating in 1940, after which he studied at the Art Students League in New York city. He was an instructor here in 1942 and '43 until he joined the United States Army during which time he served overseas in Europe. Mr. Bonds will receive his M. A. degree from Columbia University this summer.

The new instructor will teach some of the art courses which have been instructed this year by Mr. Wolfgang Behl. In addition to these he will teach mural painting and print making.

Mr. Behl will instruct in sculpture exclusively next year.

Dean Henry H. Hibbs commented that Mrs. Bonds was formerly married to another RPI student, James H. Booth, Jr., Class of 1940, who was killed in action during the Battle of the Bulge.

## Award Given To Proscript

First honors were accorded to the PROSCRIPT by the Associated Collegiate Press for last semester. During this time Virginia Calisch was editor of the paper.

Page editors were Barbara Byrne, first page; Emily Ann Rice, second; Frances Stringfellow, third; and Robert Hall, fourth.

The ACP is the agency which grades all college and high school newspapers.

The First Annual R. P. I. Spring Music Festival will include two varied musical programs on Wednesday, May 28, and will come to a grand climax with the Symphony Concert on Sunday, June 1. All three programs will be in the WRVA Theatre.

In announcing this series of musical programs, first of the kind at R. P. I., Music School Director Volney Shepard said, "We expect the festival to become a yearly part of R. P. I.'s calendar of events. All students and friends are cordially invited to attend." Tickets are available at the Music School, 900 Park Ave.

The opening event, at 3:30 Wednesday afternoon, will demonstrate the talent of two R.P.I. student composers, Carolyn Talley and Albert Stoutamire, and will present music both vocal and instrumental. Those who will sing or play on this program are Cornelia Francis, Virginia Stephenson, Leonard Selig, James Fox, Kenneth Henderson, Rush Stancil, Franklin Hatch, Jack Vermilyea, Gerald Willis, Joseph Engressia, Jane Harris, John Tratner, Ernestine, and Helen Briesmeister, Barbara Broome, Nancy Howison, Clyde Hathaway and Anne Jeurgens.

The Girls' Glee Club and Men's (Continued on page 3)

## O. T. To Sponsor Open House

In order to help acquaint the general public with the background and training necessary before an occupational therapy student can become a registered therapist, the Occupational Therapy department will sponsor its Fifth Annual Open House, May 25. The event will take place between 3:00 and 5:30 in the Weaving Shop.

This is an extension of the annual open house demonstrations initiated in 1942, the year that the department was introduced in RPI. This year it will be shown how a registered therapist is made—the courses she takes at

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## Virginia Penn Is F.A.G. Head

New officers for the Fine Arts Group were elected recently. They are as follows:

President, Virginia Penn; Secretary, Grace Wells; Program Chairman, Thomas Gay, Jr.; Treasurer, Raiford Porter; Exhibition Chairman, Marilyn Downes; Publicity Chairman, Lindsay McAlister; Refreshment Chairman, Mary Roberts; and Student Government Representative, Nerida Varela.

In addition to the student exhibits and the Annual Art Auction, sponsored by the Fine Arts Group, the agenda for next year will include movies and guest speakers. All Fine Art students are invited to join the group.

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### LOOKING TOWARD NEXT TERM

This is the last issue of the Proscript.

During the year, the Proscript has attempted to bring to the students, issues of national and school life which merited their attention. We would like to take this last opportunity to bring before the Student Government something of a platform of ideas. The adoption of these ideas, we think, will make for a better school and a happier student body.

These suggestions are:

1. The Honor Code should be enlarged and enforced, so as to include not only examinations, but convocations, dances and various other student activities.
2. The dances should not be patrolled by faculty members. The faculty members should be welcome to attend the dances but they should not be pressed into the service of patrolling the students. A floor committee consisting of about six properly identified couples should be in charge of the conduct at the dance, thus completely relieving faculty members of this responsibility.
3. An activity fee card which acknowledges the payment of an activity fee should be established and available to each student. This card should admit students to all school activities. Individual cards could be revoked if the social conduct of a student warrants such action.
4. When the time comes that in a college of over 1300 students only 143 attend the convocation of the installation of Student Government officers, it's time that something be done. Such was the case at the convocation last week. Convocations should be made compulsory and included in the Honor Code. The activity fee card of the student could be stamped at each convocation.
5. An alumni association has recently been organized. Support this, keep it active. The alumni association is a vitally important link between present and former R. P. I. students.
6. Whether or not we are to have an active sports schedule should be definitely decided. If sports are to become a part of RPI's extra-curriculum, they should be well supported.

We feel that none of these suggestions are without the realm of possibility. We offer them not in the spirit of handing down a diction, but merely as subjects for thought and conversation. We hope that some of these suggestions will find their way into practice.

## "A Happy Vacation"

## SAY----

**Report to Saint Vitus:** There follows below a chronicle of the "physical" year at R.P.I., scratched down in cyanide and Mr. Roland Smith.

**What a Man!** First a comment on the return of men to R.P.I. Notably outstanding was the arrival of Anne Hudson . . . who has reestablished clearly the classic Burns' line—"A man's a man for a' that and a' that."

The drama season was opened by mistake with "Winterset." The only comment left to make at this time is—with that cast we should have done "The Children's Hour!"

The social season formally opened with a cotillion in that vast wasteland known as the Mosque Ballroom, — which a few well placed ropes and slightly improved lighting would bring almost up to the Roseland standards.

Along around Christmas, the PROSCRIPT began to gain mo-

mentum and for a while there were more banners trailing in the dust (of split infinitives and ambiguous clauses) than at the battle of Agincourt.

Carolyn Graves lost the lead in the city Christmas pageant. The new year saw a new chapter of histrionic history written over in the Gymnasium Playhouse (without benefit of ink eradicator) . . . "Hay Fever," with a healthy cast, gamboled about with all the gay abandon of a steam roller . . . and no little of its finesse.

Pungent politics began to clutter the scene early in the new year. From among others a May Queen emerged as well as various industrious candidates for other offices, who disported themselves in the best Senator Claghorn tradition . . . even to the campaign slogan.

Suzanne Thornton announced her plans to make a career of love. Word of advice: Now, Susie,

## By Robert Watkins

just remember . . . That naughty, naughty three letter word often used as a synonym for purse appeared in this column and shocked our local Victorians down to their very umbrella stands.

Lola Mae Shiflet delivered her infamous epigram about asthma and passion and set up a heck of a wheezing in Churchville.

**What a mummy:** Bill Buckley closed the lid on the drama season last week on the ersatz Miss Judy Koch. Chalk up another triumph for Max Factor an' the false eyelash company—to say nothing of the teeth lacquer industry!

(And thus endeth the last word from "O'other—day Watkins for this year. During the summer our "poor man's" Westbrook Pegler will eat razor blades and drink gall in preparation for his 1947-48 collyumn.—ED.)

## WE THE MEN---

## By Roland Friedman

The time of year for Resolutions normally, is New Years. But then, we aren't normal. We're college students. This is the time of year to begin thinking Resolutions for September, the beginning of the 47-48 year at R.P.I.

If you think it might do some good, add these resolutions to your list.

**Think before you speak:**

Of course, this may leave you speechless. But remember, it's better to be speechless, and be outspoken by an instructor,—than to speak without thinking and be outsp— Gad, anyway you look at it, you never get the last word in.

But the instructors aren't so bad here this year. A few years back, I'm told, they had one of the toughest instructors in the business at R.P.I. He was famous by virtue of never taking his hat off to anyone . . . As a result, he got some very interest-

ing haircuts.

**Pay attention in class:**

Yes, paying attention in class always pays off in the end. If you don't, (you're sure to find) that's where you'll get it.

**Do unto others as—:**

Don't take me too literally on this count. Remember, we have an Honor System in our school. It would be advisable however, to follow the Golden Rule anywhere outside of classroom examinations.

**Use tact:**

(At this point, I have a special note for my favorite instructor. Please understand, that though I'm sure to be on the Dean's List anyhow this semester, your "A" will not hurt my feelings.)

All seriousness aside, tact will save you from being a perpetual apple polisher. Besides, this year's crop of apples are so hard to shine.

**Study longer, harder:**

El Latts, up and coming basketball and sports ace from the Middle West once told me that learning any sport well, "calls for long hours, hard work."

There's no doubt El's words can well apply to class room study.

After all the publicity in the Proscript about the Honor System, things are bound to be much tougher next year.

You know what that means? You may have to crack a book of two next year. That sort of nonsense can lead to all sorts of trouble. Imagine, instead of 38 on the Dean's List, we're liable to have 98. Oh well, we'll worry about that when we get to it.

If your sense of humor is good, you should still be with me.

Here's wishing you very good grades on your exams . . . and for this summer, remember: Wherever you go, whatever you do,—have fun.

## Dr. H. H. Davis Is Favorite R.P.I. Teacher

Dr. Howard H. Davis, Professor of Economics, has been selected in a PROSCRIPT sponsored poll as the "favorite teacher of RPI" 400 of RPI's students were questioned in this poll.

Dr. Davis first came to RPI in February 1938 as a part-time teacher, practicing law at that

time as well as teaching. In 1942 he terminated his career as a Richmond lawyer and became a full-time instructor. Dr. Davis has also taught in the past at Georgetown, Bluefield, and Winthrop colleges; as well as summer courses at William and Mary. During the war he served on the War Labor Board. At RPI Dr. Davis is Sophomore class sponsor and advisor to the International Relations Club.

Courses taught at RPI by Dr. Davis include American Government, Business Law, Survey of Business, Personnel Management

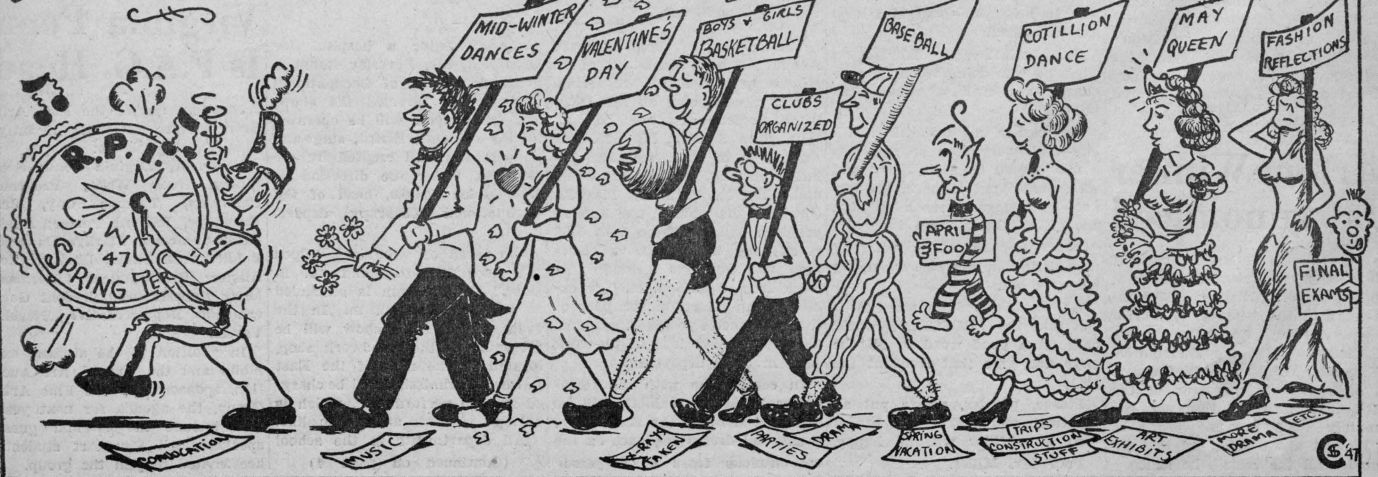
and Money and Banking.

Students voting in the poll were generous in their praise of Dr. Davis. His fairness, knowledge of subjects, intelligent presentation of lectures and sense of humor all received liberal remarks of acclaim.

When informed that he had been chosen the favorite teacher, Dr. Davis said, "I wish to thank the student body for this honor and I shall try to live up to its expectations."

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## Past in Review





## "The Man" Acclaimed By Proscript Reviewer

By MAEY SCARLETT

The Theater Associates held full sway over the audience in their enthusiastic performance of "The Man Who Came To Dinner" Thursday, May 15, at the WRVA Theater.

The caustic wit of Sheridan Whiteside, "The Man," was extremely well carried off with the necessary sophistication, by Robert Watkins.

Throughout the entire play Whiteside disproved his remark, "This curious legend that I am a different person is entirely without foundation." His all-suffering hostess, played by Imogene Cowan, put up with assorted convicts as luncheon guests, Whiteside pastime of listening to the mating calls of 1000 cockroaches whose cage was ensconced in the living room and the appearance of various and sundry extremely old fashioned friends and sidekicks of Whiteside's.

One of these friends was Banjo, played in an effervescent manner by Bill Buckley. Well deserved was the ovation for Donald Hermes who played, in a breezy and sophisticated style the part of Beverly Carlton, which is a take-off on Noel Coward.

As the telephone bills mounted, the children left home on Whiteside's advice, and penguins strutted around the house, the host, played by Harold Jordan, issued an understandable ultimatum to his guest. In no uncertain terms Whiteside was told that his presence was no longer appreciated. Just when the host's desire was about to be fulfilled, Whiteside repeated the cause of his being there by falling down outside the house and injuring himself. Thereupon the audience was left to draw their own conclusions about the possibilities for the survival of the Stanley family.

With the two productions, that of R.P.I. and the University of Richmond's "Joan of Lorraine" at the WRVA Theater, as a starter, Raymond Hodges, professor of Drama, expressed the hope for an annual drama festival. He hopes that the response of a non-college audience to a college play will warrant such a plan.

## MUSIC FESTIVAL

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Chorus, both under the direction of Charles Williams, will sing on Wednesday at 8:30 p. m. Raymond Winder, tenor soloist, will be featured, and also instrumentalists Anne Jurgens, Albert Stoutamire and John Trattner.

Another highlight of the Wednesday evening recital will be a clarinet ensemble composed of Herman Lee, James Luke, Morton Minnigh, Woodrow Ford, Thomas Westbrook, Donald Wendt and William Zickafoose.

The Sunday afternoon Symphony Concert, opening the activities of Commencement Week, will include the popular Cesar Franck Symphony in D Minor, Volney Shepard conducting. Special performers on Sunday will be Lillian Baber, soprano, Bernard Kastin and Horace Paul, piano, and Ernestine Briesmeister, violin.

## Miss Philips Elected Canterbury Club New President

Miss Juliane Phillips, of Richmond, was elected president of the RPI Canterbury Club at a picnic-meeting the past Monday night.

Other officers selected for the 1947-1948 session are: vice-president, Edwin Cotten; secretary Alice "Bunny" Andrews; and treasurer, Robert Davis. Former president Sands Smith and Miss Adele Franks were named to the Advisory Council, while Miss Susan B. Thornton, instructor in English at RPI, will continue as faculty sponsor.

A picnic at Roslyn Diocesan Center took the place of the final meeting of the club. Members expressed appreciation to the Reverend Alexander D. Juhan, assistant rector of St. James' Church, the club's adviser this year.

## D.E. Tries Sponsor System Next Year

The distributive education department will try a new system of activity next year. This system will promote sponsors for all new people, (the freshmen and all transfers), that are to enroll at R.P.I., for the 47-48 term. The most important issue for these sponsors is to write welcome letters to these students this summer and to be here this fall to greet them when they arrive.

Included in this group are Joseph Burroughs, Lothaine Barloga, Gloria Cooper, Jean Grant, Joseph Horan, Robin Simons, and Anne Smith. A meeting was held last night to discuss the plans for this new system.

## TO SPONSOR

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RPI, the types of hospitals in which she trains, samples of work done in various classes, and the sample of the program of treatment used on a tuberculosis patient.

Two occupational therapy majors will demonstrate with a bed-patient the complete treatment, rehabilitation, and training for tuberculosis patients instigated by therapists. Occupational therapy majors will be present to explain their work and answer questions presented by those attending.

"Should Mothers Have Careers Outside the Home" will be fought out over WMBG Friday night at 10:45 by members of the RPI student body and faculty.

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# Swimmers Lauded In Pageant Girl Tanksters Show Up Well

By ART LEE

An overflow crowd watched and cheered as the Richmond Professional Institute's Girl Swimmers performed in the Mosque Pool, May 15.

Participating in a water pageant, sponsored by the American Red Cross, RPI girls, Girl and Boy Scouts of the city, Junior High School students, and Cadets from Thomas Jefferson and John Marshall High Schools, gave citizens of Richmond an example of how the Mosque Pool is now being used. For six years the pool was not used.

Margaret Snell and Peggy Pate, RPI mermaids, gave an exhibition of formation swimming. Following their event Miss Snell and Jean Elbersson climbed upon a six foot white ladder and held a May Pole while Connie Hatke, Mildred Chappell, Chris MacLauchlan, Martha Ganzert, Peggy Pate, and Betty Lempke, all from RPI, unwound and wound ribbons from the May Pole while swimming. The girls wore white suits.

The Boy Scouts gave an exhibition of life saving. Followed by a relay swim by the Junior High School students. The Cadets showed the crowd, estimated at 300, several fundamental strokes in swimming. They concluded the pageant with a candle relay.

Miss Frances Chapman, instructor of swimming at RPI, was pleased with the showing of her girls and said, "It was a great success."

She also said, "The school expects to present more pageants next year. The pool will be used four times a week and classes will be held for beginners, intermediates, and advanced students. Life saving will also be taught."

Pictures of the Water Pageant were taken by the local newspapers.

The Pageant moves to McGuire Hospital June 1, for the entertainment of the ward patients.

## Racketeers Lose To Westhampton

Closing out the current season, R. P. I.'s girls' court squad went down in defeat May 15. A score of 3-0 marked the play as they lost all three sets to Westhampton College.

Clem Allen, the local's number one-seeded player, lost her opening volley by six games to three and followed with the same score in the second encounter. Gene Layne did not fare as well as she pulled only one victory out of the bag in the opening round and lost a love match in her second try.

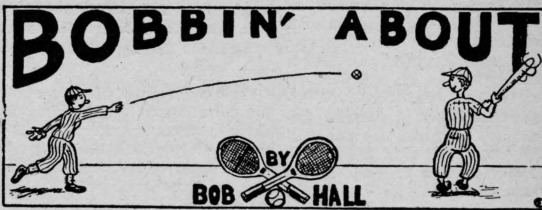
The only doubles match saw Mary Virginia Erickson and Lillian Smith team together, but fail to garner a victory. They lost by identical scores in two sets, 6-1.

This was the final match for the local feminine netters. They chalked up a record of one tie as against three defeats in four starts. Presbyterian Seminary was held to a 2-2 deadlock, while setbacks came at the hands of William and Mary, 5-0; St. Catherine's, 3-1; and Westhampton.

The Summary:—

Singles: Stone (W) defeated Allen, 6-3, 6-3. J. Smith (W) defeated Layne, 6-1, 6-0. Doubles: Stone and Smith (W) defeated Erickson and L. Smith, 6-1, 6-1.

Now Is The Time To Buy Extra Bonds!



## CLOSING SHOP FOR THE YEAR

Time passes with unbelievable swiftness. With it passes a school year in which sports played a part within R. P. I. Just how important a part, we can't rightly say.

We do know that for the first time in the history of this institution, men's sports were fostered on an intercollegiate basis. Some say it was successful, some disagree with this, while others remain undecided over the entire extravaganza—possible the best way.

Remembering a little over a year ago, sports just weren't in the school. Why, you ask? The answer is that there were no men. When the reporter enrolled there were only seven men in the school, now we have something like five hundred men. Seems that from this many men, there will be a share that will desire sports. It's as it should be.

As to the success of masculine sports during the past school year, this corner believes it should receive a rating of mediocre. In three sports, namely basketball, baseball, and tennis, the men of old Green and Gold participated. None of the three could contrive any sort of winning record for the books, but as Dick Wiltshire, coach of the local's court squad remarked at the close of the cage season. "I don't think the team should be judged by its record of games won and lost, but by the spirit and determination shown by those who were interested."

In handing the season a rating of "fair enough," we would like to add that with proper support from both players and student spectators, a lot more could have been accomplished. Sports could have established itself in R. P. I. As it stands now, they are still on the railing, undecided as to which side to fall.

It's true that only a few "dyed-in-the-wool" fans want to turn out to see a team which they know has only the slimmest of outside chances of winning, but did you ever stop to think that the local aggregations were competing for the first time? They didn't have experienced lettermen as did the opponents they engaged, nor did they have competent coaches who from past performances knew what kind of a team to expect and how much work would need to be done in order to organize. Above all, uniforms and equipment of first-rate order just weren't on the agenda as far as the locals were concerned.

Suppose—just for the sake of supposition—that the Green Wave basketball five would have turned in an extended string of victories such as that over the strong Varina Recreation Quint, which the locals won in an upset before a crowd of staunch Varina routers? You'll likely agree that more would likely to have seen this fabulous organization in action. This one which had turned in such victories for "Ole Alma Mater."

Simply because the teams had losing records in the books, most of the group of potential sports fans dwindled off into nothingness after only a few games of each sport.

Reminiscing one can remember as far back as the opening game of the basketball season.

The scene is McGuire's Hospital. A setting of some three hundred spectators are jammed into the gym. A large number of them are R.P.I. student-fans. Even the Richmond sportswriters are there. They want to see what kind of a team R.P.I. has. The locals lost by a twelve-point margin. After that, where are all the fans? Where's all the publicity that the sportswriters gave the local's opening game? Is it that even they have lost faith after only one game? Everything adds up to just that.

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# ART EXHIBITION

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of Art have combined their efforts to present the exhibit of their work during the semester. Components of the Art school are: Fine Arts; Advertising Art; Fashion Illustration and Clothing Construction; Interior Decorating; Crafts and Industrial Design; and Dramatic Art and History of Costume.

Every student in each of the departments will be represented by some piece of work, and the exhibit will present an accurate cross-section of the over all work done in the various fields. Possibly 1,000 items will be on display, showing the logical outcome of the class projects, and class exercises.

Faculty members will be on hand at their respective exhibits to explain the works of their students. Guests will be conducted to the various exhibits by student guides.

Sculpture in wood, stone, and casts in plaster and concrete, will be shown by the Fine Art Group. All types of drawings will also be on display from the same department. Miss Theresa Pollak, department head, will be present, as will Mr. Wolfgang Behl and Miss Harriet Bogart, faculty members in that department.

Advertising Art, consisting of posters, commercial illustration, letterings and designs, will be shown in the exhibit. Head of the department, Mr. Robert Harrison, with other faculty members of that section will be on hand to explain the works.

Garments, constructed and designed by the students of the Fashion Illustration and Clothing Construction department, will be displayed under the supervision of Mrs. Hazel Mundy, department head, and her assistants, Sally Marks, and Marion Welch.

The exhibit for the Interior Decorating Department will feature items of period furniture and original designs in ink, pencil, and water colors. Mr. William Tolerton heads this department, assisted by Dorothy Tennent.

Jewelry, leather work, ceramics, and woodwork, will be exhibited by the Crafts and Industrial Design department, which is taught by Earnest Vollbrecht, Sam White, and James Kennedy, Department head, and assistant respectively.

Various stage design models and a continuous fashion show of historic costumes, under the direction of Raymond Hodges, head of the Dramatic Art and Costume History department, will be the contribution of that school to the exhibit. Mr. Spencer Davis, faculty member of that school, will assist at the showing.

# EDUCATION

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to subjects in their respective fields of concentration in order to receive elementary teaching certificates.

After these requirements are met, related elective subjects may be chosen.

This addition to RPI courses will be under the supervision of Mr. George J. Oliver, head of the department of education at the College of William and Mary in Williamsburg.

# DEGREES TO BE AWARDED

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Church for the final exercises.

It was announced by Mr. Hodges, in charge of the procession, that the faculty will be grouped according to rank, professors, associate professors, etc. Practice by the candidates will be held Thursday. Students are asked to check the bulletin boards for announcement.

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# English Head Not Chosen

No one has been chosen to direct the English Department, a vacancy created by the resignation of Dr. S. J. McCoy, present director, the Dean's office announced. Dr. McCoy has left to assume the duty of dean of Winthrop College of the South Carolina College for Women, on July first.

# EXTREMES

"Say, these glasses aren't strong

enough, doctor."

"But they're the No. 1 type."  
"OK, but what comes after No. 1?"

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"Aand after that?"

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