

Students Hit Low Grades in SGA PROSCRIPT

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At Least One Officer Fails to Keep Average

A rule in the Student Government Association constitution stating all officers of clubs and organizations in the SGA must maintain at least a "C" average while in office was brought under fire by the SGA Senate and House this week.

Mike Boblitz, chairman of the SGA Board of Elections, told the Senate he had received several complaints from students regarding the grades of some SGA and club officers.

Boblitz said the grades of one

of the SGA officers was brought up by this group of students. The identity of the officer was not officially disclosed.

Howard Koch, Junior class senator, felt that the group of students making the complaints were completely unjustified in doing so. He said that the SGA and club officers were performing a service for RPI and that their academic status should be dealt with by the administration and not the students.

Dayna Parker, Sophomore class president, said she felt that maybe the students complaining were doing so to support the SGA constitution and not to hurt anyone in SGA personally.

The decision of what should be done was left up to the House which tabled the matter to the SGA Rules Committee.

SGA President Tony Woolford, brought the matter up before House members Tuesday night saying students who were complaining about grades were "upset that the SGA doesn't follow its own rules after handing down rules for everyone else to follow."

"Doing a Lot of Damage"

Boblitz said the situation at present "is doing a lot of damage to SGA and something must be done to alleviate the problem. Whatever is done about the constitution is going to affect everybody."

Five senate members attended the House meeting to join in the discussion.

Koch reaffirmed his statements that a person's grades were his or her own business and nobody else's.

"This thing has gotten to be a vicious circle," Koch said.

Speaker of the House Wayne Tucker, said "If we must change the constitution we must have the machinery to put the changes into effect."

Representative Makes Motion

Sonny Clayton, representing the Order of Technicians, made a motion stating "a person must maintain a 'C' average at all times and the person must report to the SGA when his or her grades fall below that average. Failure to do so will be an infraction of the Honor Code."

Brent Webber, Johnson Hall
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Dance Theme Is Provided By Wine God

"A jug of wine and thou beside me."

"Winter Dyonisia" has been selected as the theme of Mid-Winters dance, Junior class President Paul-ette McCall announced this week. Dyonisus was the ancient Greek god of wine.

Mid-Winters—presented annually by the Junior class and the Dance club—will be held 8:30 p.m. to 12:30 a.m., February 27, in the Mosque ballroom.

Music for "Winter Dyonisia" will be supplied by Lloyd Price and his "Band of the Year" under the direction of Slide Hampton. Appearing with Price will be vocalist Miss Erma Franklin.

Five Gold Records

Price has been a popular recording star since 1958 with five gold records to his credit: "Stagger Lee," "Lawdy, Miss Clawdy," "Personality," "I'm Gonna Get Married" and "Where Were You on Our Wedding Day."

Formal dress will be required of students participating in the Ring Figure—a procession of Juniors who will formally receive their class rings at the dance. Dress for other students will be optional — either formal or semi-formal.

Women dormitory students who go to the dance will receive free 1:30 a.m. lates.

A limited number of tickets will go on sale 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Monday in the Rotunda. No tickets will be sold at the door the night of the dance.



Gormus Photo

Maid of Honor Carole Mundy, left, and May Queen Joyce Lamm Coeds Were Elected May Dance Royalty During Registration

Joyce Lamm Voted Queen; Carole Mundy Is Honor Maid

This year the May Queen will greet the Rites of Spring with wishes of "Happy Birthday."

Joyce Lamm, besides presiding over the May Dance on May 1, will also be celebrating her 22nd birthday.

Joyce, a Senior Occupational Therapy major from Sinking Spring, Pa., elected May Queen during registration, said she was happy and proud to receive such an honor.

Sponsored by the Circle K club, Joyce said she was proud of being sponsored by the group "especially since they have done so much for the school."

Carole Mundy, a Senior Fashion major from Rockeville, Md., sponsored by Lafayette Dormitory, was elected Maid of Honor after receiving the second largest number of votes.

Other Senior coeds in the contest and their sponsors were Elizabeth Peden, Distribution, Charleston, W. Va., Senior class; Sherri Mueller, Distribution, Newport News, Alpha Delta Rho; Mary K. Burton, Music, Richmond, Accidental club; Ginny Diradour, Applied Social Science, Hopewell, Student Education Association, and Mary Ann Rasor, Business Education, Alexandria, Phi Beta Lambda.

May Queen Joyce feels that the college is an up-and-coming school and loves the contrasts.

Listing bridge and bowling as her favorite sports, the freckled, frosted blond is also an avid fan of the basketball team.

"It's definitely the best team I've

ever seen here. I really root for all the boys," she said.

Joyce would like to work in a psychiatric hospital with occupational therapy clinics. Next year she'll be doing clinicals in Topeka, Kan., and Los Angeles.

"My gosh," she laughed, "when I get to LA I may never come back East."

On the question of marriage,

Joyce beamed, "I feel I can have a career and be a housewife at the same time."

A May Court still must be selected. This will be done in early Spring when each class nominates 10 coeds. The 40 girls will then be judged by a special committee at a tea given in their honor and from that group 10 will be selected for the court.

IBM System 'Flunks,' Fails to Make Grade

Even machines can make mistakes.

The new IBM system—installed this year to process grades—proved it can "flunk out," even as students do.

The "failure" came when the machine grew tired of marking "F" on student grade sheets and started registering "WF" (withdrawn while failing) on them instead.

Despite some fallacies, the IBM processing this year made it possible for final grades to be in the hands of advisors during registration for the first time.

According to Mrs. Sophia Hodges, acting registrar, this would have been impossible without the IBM system. Also the grades were ready to mail out within one week after the examinations.

In the past sorting of grades was done manually, thus lengthening

the time when the advisors could get the grades and the time in which grades could be mailed out.

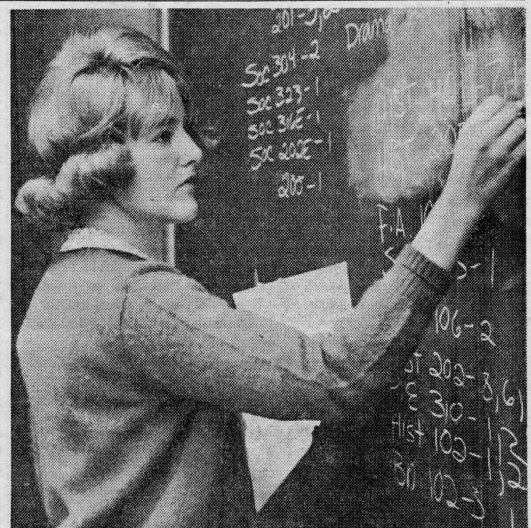
With the new IBM system, each advisor was able to know the progress of students and able to help them plan for the semester when they registered.

Mrs. Hodges said the plan met with 100 per cent co-operation from faculty members, however, there was some mix-up in getting grades in to the office from the Evening College faculty.

"Since many of the night school faculty commute from a great distance from Richmond, they did not check their college mail box for the information about the system," Mrs. Hodges said.

The Registrar's office cleared up the added machine mistakes on grade sheets and revised sheets

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Gormus Photo

Dayna Parker Writes Down Closed Class Sections Final Grades Were in Hands of Advisors for First Time

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Man The Machines

The answer to the registration and grading problems does not lie wholly in machines. This fact was verified during registration for second semester.

A few minor difficulties in getting out grades were presented by the International Business Machines (IBM) equipment and the mail room stamping machines, but machines still succeeded in making registration a fairly uncomplicated process.

Thanks to the machines, advisors were able to have grade sheets by registration and could work with their students more easily in planning course programs for the new semester. The machines also produced class rosters in time for the first class meetings of the semester.

These advantages were not to be had here until the new machines arrived. Instructors can recall a day in the not too distant past when class rosters consisted of packets of 3" x 5" cards, which were shuffled through each time role was called until the instructor or an assistant could unscramble them into a traditional role book.

This semester saw a first in grade reports. Never before had so complete a list of grades been available to advisors on registration day. This service was quite helpful in counseling students. Grades also were mailed out earlier than ever before.

The Registrar's office estimated on the basis of previous records that "drop-add" totals would run 25 per cent below course changes in previous years. Errors in individual course planning seemed to be greatly reduced. Whether this was due to the machines or better advisor-advisee planning is not known.

The machines, however, are only as accurate and efficient as the information they work with. Their capacity is based directly on human organization.

Mrs. Sophia Hodges, acting registrar, said this week that the pre-planning period is the point for improvement of the entire registration program. She explained that although conflicts can never be eliminated, registration can be made to run much smoother if a complete and accurate schedule of classes can be made available for the pre-planning sessions. She added that courses would have to be planned for three months before registration. The machines are made subject to decisions of faculty and administration.

The machines have not assumed the role of the elite; they are still the servant class.

Alumni News

1959 Graduate Named DE Area Supervisor

I. Win Johnson, 1959 School of Distribution graduate, has been named area supervisor by the Distributive Education Service, a division of the State Department of Education.

In his new position, Johnson works with Distributive Education coordinators in the area.

Donald Snodgrass Elected

Donald L. Snodgrass was elected president of the Greater Washington chapter of the Alumni Association on January 11.

Douglas Hurd is vice president.

Louise Timberlake, secretary and Eugene Arrington, treasurer.

Alumni in Colorado

Alumni F. Gordon Peters, bachelor of fine arts, 1953, writes the association that he and alumna Barbara Hart Peters, BFA, 1954, have four children.

He is a sales representative for Moore Business Forms, Inc. Currently, she is a graduate assistant in Speech Pathology at Colorado State University. Her master of science degree is scheduled to be awarded in June.

Campus Calendar

February 13—Dance, Technicians club, 8-12 p.m., gymnasium.

February 14—Student Concert, 3 p.m., Hibbs 203.

Newman club, 6:30 p.m., Rotunda.

February 15—Bible Discussion, 3 p.m., Student Center, 2C.

February 16—Wrestling, 4 p.m., gymnasium.

February 17—C-Quo's Meeting, 5:30 p.m., Hibbs 403.

Cave club, 5:30 p.m., Student Center, 2G.

Fine Art Group, 4:30 p.m., Student Center, 2B.

Circle K International, 5:30 p.m., Student Center, 2C.

Letter to the Editor

Miss Richmond Being Sought

Editor, the Proscript:

For the eighth consecutive year, the Ginter Park Junior Woman's club of Richmond will sponsor the Miss Richmond Pageant which is an official preliminary to the Miss Virginia and Miss America Pageants.

Since it is difficult for us to contact college girls who would be interested in entering the pageant, we would appreciate your including in your next publication information regarding our search for young ladies who are eligible to enter. . . .

Awards to Miss Richmond 1965 will include a \$400 Pepsi-Cola Scholarship, an all-expense paid trip to Roanoke to compete in the Miss Virginia pageant and many more.

Participation in the state finals will afford her the opportunity to win an additional \$1,000 Pepsi-Cola scholarship. Should Miss Richmond become Miss Virginia 1965, she will then compete in the Miss America pageant for a \$10,000 scholarship.

Deadline for entries is February 17. Entry blanks may be obtained by contacting Mrs. Juan R. Anderson, 9305 Woodcrest Road, Richmond, telephone 282-6296.

Thank you so much for any assistance you can give our club to this tremendous but very worthwhile project.

Sincerely,

MRS. C. O. LONG, III
Publicity Chairman

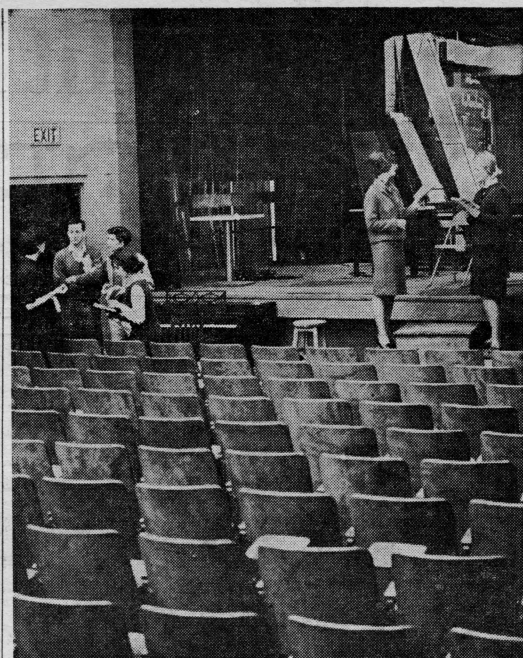
Chairman Expects To Make \$1400

Landon Woolridge, Student Book Exchange chairman, said this week the exchange hopes to make \$1400 from the sale of books this semester.

The book exchange, sponsored by Alpha Delta Rho, School of Distribution club, re-opened February 4. The exchange, operating out of a second-floor room at 824 Park ave., buys and sells used books at reduced prices to students at the beginning of each semester.

It receives a 12 per cent operating fee from books sold. Profits are contributed to a scholarship fund for students majoring in Distribution and related fields.

Woolridge said that the exchange expects to sell between 350 and 400 books before it closes today.



Harvey Photo

Near-Bare Shafer Street Playhouse Before Auditions
Tryouts Were For 'He Who Gets Slapped'

Shoffner Wins Role In Drama Production

Robert Shoffner, Junior Drama major from Charlottesville, won the lead role of "He" in auditions held this week in the Drama Department's third production — Andreyev's "He Who Gets Slapped" — scheduled to run March 17-20.

Three drama majors from Richmond received the other major roles in the play. Junior Barbara Brown will play Consuela, Freshman Nancy Adams will play Zinida and Junior John Arnold is Count Mancini.

The remainder of the cast includes Drama majors Betty Gray, Sophomore, Nashville, N. C.; Dolph Armstrong, Junior, McGaheysville; Walter Williamson, Freshman, Richmond, and Maxine Doyle, Sophomore, McKenney.

Also cast were Madoline Long, Freshman, Newport News; Alice Burlock, Freshman, Poquoson; Tim Anderson, Sophomore, Ridgefield, Conn.; Mark Johnston, Freshman, Roanoke; Jon Smet, Freshman, Newport, N. H.; Bob Adding-

ton, Senior, Wise, and Earl Bailey, Sophomore, Richmond.

Others include Norman Marshall, Sophomore in Liberal Arts, Mechanicsville; Scott Underwood, Freshman, Richmond; Jim Mills, Freshman, Portsmouth; Stephen Kennamer, Freshman, Roanoke; Obie Howell, Freshman, Martinsville; George Elmer, Sophomore, Alexandria; Larry Clarke, Freshman, Alexandria; Joe Fletcher, Sophomore, Burlington, N. C., and Bill Camp, Freshman, Salem.

Thomas R. Long, assistant professor of Dramatic Art, will direct the play.

Johnson Hall Dorm Has New Manager

Sam Assaid, Junior Drama major from Roanoke, was named dormitory manager of Johnson Hall this week.

Assaid replaces Chester Henderson, who had been manager of the dormitory for a year. Henderson recently was married.

Campus News Briefs

Students Show Art

The Fine Arts Department's first spring semester exhibition features 19 paintings by students from an intermediate painting class taught by Miss Theresa Polak, professor of art.

The show, in the Studio Gallery on the third floor of the Gymnasium, will run through February 26.

Ring Sale Scheduled

Official school rings will go on sale the first week of March with delivery by mail scheduled for May 15.

The women's gold signet ring with black onyx shield will sell for \$32. The women's plain gold signet ring is \$37.

The basic men's ring will be sold for \$55, and in white gold, \$60. Any one of 12 different stones may be ordered for the men's ring.

Rings for students completing two-year certificate programs will be sold for \$38.95.

Two hundred and fifty rings were sold last semester. The Ring Committee—which is the agent selling rings here for the Josten Company

of Minnesota—said it expects to sell the same number of rings this semester.

Later Curfew Given

Freshmen women dormitory residents who enrolled for the first time this semester will be given the same hours as second-semester freshmen, Mrs. Jane B. Gladding, dean of women, announced this week.

New Freshmen coeds will have 11 p.m. hours during the week instead of the 10 p.m. hours usually given first-semester freshmen.

Honor Court

The Honor Court announces that in case No. 4 a student has been found guilty of an infraction of the Honor Code. The offense was cheating. The student was suspended from school.

The Honor Court announces that in case No. 5 a student was charged with an infraction of the Honor Code. The alleged offense was cheating. The student withdrew from school.

Teachers' Exams Set

The National Teacher Examinations will be held here March 20. Final date for applications is February 19.

Applications and additional information may be obtained from Dr. W. L. Tucker, associate professor of Business.

Police Force Grows

Joseph A. Vass Jr., 38, of Richmond, has been added to the campus police force.

The campus force now numbers four.

Ernest V. Woodall, bursar, said Vass has "an excellent background" in police work. He served as a military policeman during World War II and the Korean conflict.

Loan Forms Ready

Applications for National Defense student loans will be available in the Financial Aids Office, second floor, 912 Park ave., Tuesday.

Loan applications must be returned to the office by April 15.

Rams Wallop Frederick; Winning Season Assured

RPI struck for revenge Tuesday night and walloped Frederick College, 99-78. Frederick won an earlier contest this season 106-89.

The win was number seven in a row for the Rams and lifted the home court victory string to 11 games. The clash also marked the first time that RPI has beaten Frederick in four years of competition against the Lions. The "Big Red" won the first eight encounters against RPI.

The Lions took an early 3-0 lead on a basket by Al Joseph and a foul shot by Steve Cottrell. But the Rams came storming back on field goals by Mel Dunnivant and Al Blackburn and two free throws by C. G. Winston to take a 6-3 lead with 18:13 remaining in the first half. Although the Lions pulled close on numerous occasions, the Rams never lost control of the lead.

RPI raced to a 10 point spread, 23-13, with 11:38 in the half on baskets by Dunnivant, Bubba Crone and John Magill and would have broken the game wide-open had it not been for violation of the three-second rule six times.

Rams Surge

Frederick narrowed the RPI margin to one point, 48-47, with 17:17 remaining on baskets by Cottrell and Bernie Flynn. RPI did not falter during the next four minutes as they collected 11 points while limiting the Lions to three points.

A three-point play by Neil Hodges

pulled Frederick to within three points, 64-61, with nine minutes left, but that's as close as the Lions came to RPI.

The Rams got off to a slow start against Bridgewater College Saturday night before finally coming from behind to post a 84-78 Little Eight Conference victory.

The win put the Rams league mark at 5-2, or one-and-a-half games behind league leader Randolph-Macon College. (RPI met the Yellow Jackets last night at Ashland but due to publication deadlines the story of the game will be printed next week.)

Short-Lived Lead

After taking a short-lived, 19-16, lead the Rams settled back to watch the Eagles pour in 11 points while RPI could only manage a field goal and two free throws.

Numerous missed shots under the offensive backboard and lost possessions on fast breaks kept the Rams from breaking the game open in the first half.

Reserve Dan Moore of Bridgewater kept the Eagle attack alive with an outstanding fill-in job for the state's seventh leading scorer, Paul Hatcher, who ran into foul trouble.

In the second half the Rams knotted the score on four different occasions but did not take the lead until Bob Griffin's three-point play with 15:37 remaining to play.

With the Rams leading 51-50, C. G. Winston, Lyn Creech and spark plug Johnny Magill combined to give RPI a commanding 59-50 lead.

Hatcher fouled out of the game for the Eagles with little more than ten minutes remaining in the game.

Bridgewater pulled to within four points, 74-71, with 3:50 remaining on baskets by Joe Browder, but Creech ended the threat with two buckets of his own to ice the game for the Rams.

Rams Visit Newport News

January 19 the Rams made a visit to Newport News to play the Apprentice School. RPI was trying to surpass the century mark for the fourth consecutive game but fell short in winning, 98-65.

The Rams took a quick, 4-0, advantage on baskets by Mel Dunnivant and C. G. Winston and never relinquished the lead.

The Shipbuilders did not make it an interesting game until the beginning of the second half, after the Rams had rolled up a 53-29 lead at intermission. Four foul shots by Billy Rew, along with a

pair of baskets by Owen Smith, sandwiched around another by Jim McKinney, gave the Apprentice School new life to cut the Ram lead to 53-39.

That was the only time Shipbuilder fans had thoughts of a come-back win as Bubba Crone, who played his best game of the season, and bulwark Lyn Creech promptly scored two baskets apiece to pull RPI out of danger.

Southeastern Falls

Tough Southeastern University fell to the Rams for the second time this season before a small "snow" crowd, 102-80, on January 16.

The outcome of the game was never in doubt as the Rams ran up a 20-2 score in six minutes of play. RPI scrambled to a 52-38 advantage at halftime and did not let up in the second 20-minute period. Lyn Creech with 38 points and C. G. Winston with 28 points gave RPI its biggest lead, 99-71, with 4:02 left to play before leaving the game.

The postponed game of January 30 with Hampden-Sydney College will be played on February 23 (Tuesday) in the Franklin Street Gymnasium in what the Ram players expect to be the game that decides the Little Eight Conference champions.

"Bury RPI"

Coach Allen received a wreath from the Tigers the day of the game with the inscription "BURY RPI."

"I think the wreath was terrific," Coach Allen said. "It got us up even more for the game and then the (darn) snow came."

During registration the team practiced in the Benedictine High School gym to keep in shape for their home court encounter against Bridgewater.

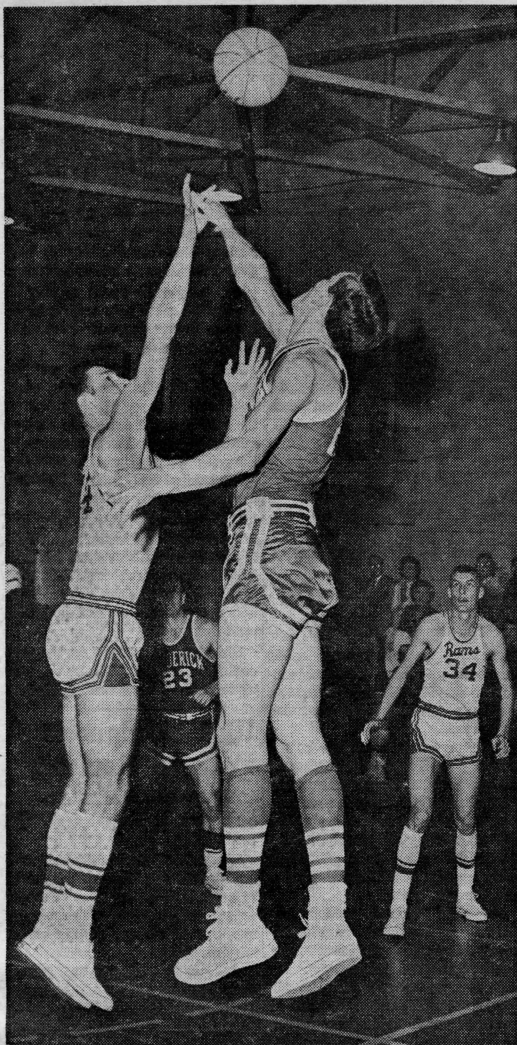
RPI's next four games will be played on the road.

The Rams travel to Roanoke for a Conference game tomorrow night and Washington and Lee University will play host to RPI Tuesday night.

Tryouts Monday

Coach Ed Allen announced this week that all pitchers and catchers trying out for the baseball team are to meet in the Gymnasium Monday at 3 p.m.

All persons interested in trying out for the golf team this spring should see Coach Dave Magill sometime during the next week. According to Coach Magill, the cut-off score for tryouts will be 90.



Shield Photo

Mel Dunnivant Scores for RPI
Steve Cottrell Defends for Frederick College

Sots Press Lettermen For Intramural Lead

By Al Shahda

In a game between the intramural basketball league's two biggest rivals, the Sots defeated the Traitors, 75-58.

The Sots built up a 23-11 lead with 11:26 left in the first half and never let up as they ended the half with a 44-30 advantage.

The second half saw the two teams exchanging baskets as the Sots' second team continued to hold the Traitors in check.

Several fights broke out late in the game as a result of alleged tripping by one of the players.

Harold Starke pumped in 21 points for the Sots, while teammates, Rick Lyons and Jerry Stone collected 18 apiece.

High scorers for the Traitors were Bernie Mann and Stan Sweeney who each scored 14 points. Ed Coffman added 12 points.

The Carpetbaggers stayed in contention for fourth place by whipping the Yankees, 64-40.

High scorer for the Carpetbaggers was Howard Clabough with 16 points.

Hasbeens Easy Victors

The Hasbeens had an easy time defeating the Bangers, 76-51.

Jerry Harding led the Hasbeens' attack with 20 points.

The Yankees defeated the Commuters, 48-41, for their first victory of the season.

For the Yankees, Frank Williams pumped in 19 points, and Ashton Bishop added 13.

Larry Wadsworth had 12 points for the Commuters.

It was strictly no contest as Lafayette Dormitory ran away from the German club, 64-38.

Ed Allan enjoyed his finest night in the intramural league scoring 28 points for Lafayette Dormitory. Neil Burton tallied 11 points for the German club.

The Liabilities-Yankees and Varsity club-Lafayette games of January 19 and the German club-Bangers and Commuters-Hasbeens games of January 20 were postponed because of the change in the Fall semester exam schedule.

Top Scorers

The top three intramural individual scorers are Jerry Harding, Hasbeens, 20.2 points per game; George Shaheen, Varsity club, 19.2; and Howard Clabough, Carpetbaggers, 16.9.

The league standings are:

Varsity club	W	L
Sots	6	0
Hasbeens	5	1
Carpetbaggers	5	2
Traitors	4	3
Liabilities	3	3
Lafayette Dormitory	2	4
Bangers	2	4
Commuters	1	5
German club	1	6
Johnson Hall	1	6
Yankees	1	6

The Varsity club puts its perfect record on the line against the Bangers Wednesday at 5:30 p.m.

The two remaining "big" games will match the Sots against the Hasbeens on March 10 and the Varsity club against the Carpetbaggers on March 16—the last day of league play.

Pool!

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Apprentice School, William and Mary Defeat Grapplers

The wrestling team dropped two matches last month—the College of William and Mary, 26-8, and Newport News Apprentice School, 35-3.

The Rams against William and Mary gave up 28 points on three pins, a decision and a forfeit. Charlie Hall pinned the Indians' John Jacobson in the heavyweight division in 2:03 and Lynn Gibson decided Jim Murphy in the 130 lb. weight class for RPI's only points.

Butch Cook was the only bright spot for the Rams against Newport News. Cook decided Stump Bumgardner, 8-4, in the 137 lb. weight class.

The matmen will travel to winless Hampden-Sydney College tomorrow night and will host the College of William and Mary in a return bout in the Franklin Street Gymnasium on Tuesday afternoon at 4.

The RPI grapplers will be without the services of three wrestlers who withdrew from school this semester. They are Tom Tate in the 167 lb. weight class, Terry Padgett in the 137 lb. weight class and Mike Winchester in the 123 lb. weight class.

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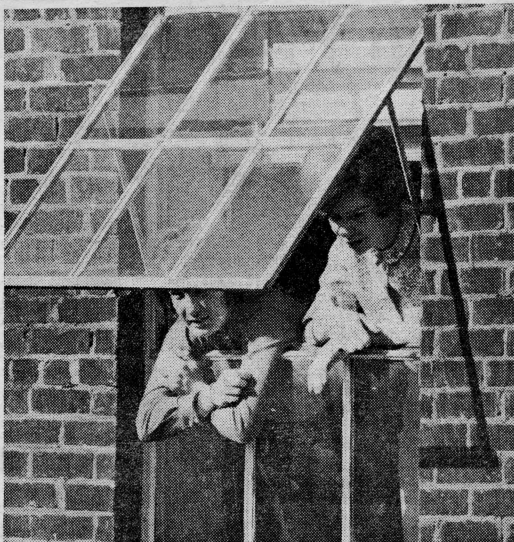
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Shades of Spring Fever

Judy Chatham, left, and Cheryl Zatcoff gaze dreamily into the wild blue yonder of a touch of Spring, Monday. The two coeds were caught unaware by the zooming, telephoto lens of staff photographer Dave Harvey. The weather was perfect for the first day of the Spring semester.

Changes Will Be Made In Dance Club Format

There are going to be some changes made in the Dance club, including its name.

Mike Boblitz, club chairman, said several problems have created the necessity for the changes, especially where the club name and functions are concerned.

At present the Dance club not only sponsors dances, but concerts. If the club continues to do so, the name will have to be altered, probably to a Greek letter name, Boblitz said.

In checking the club's constitution, Boblitz found that the club is authorized to sponsor dances only. He said the name might still be changed, but in the future the club will probably stick to this function and have more free dances for club members.

SGA Would Sponsor Concerts

In this case the Student Government Association would sponsor concerts and other entertainment, with the possibility of reduced rates for Dance club members.

Two other changes have been necessitated by illegal use of Dance club cards.

Technicians Dance Tomorrow Night

The Engineering Technology Department will hold a dance tomorrow night from 8 to 12 p.m. in the gymnasium.

The original Chartbusters, now called Prince James and the Royal Knights, will provide the music. The group from Washington, D. C., is best known for its recordings of "Why" and "She's the One."

Tickets for the dance are on sale in the Rotunda of the Hibbs Building for \$2. Tickets at the door will be \$2.50.

Boblitz said students have been lending membership cards to students who do not belong to the club, which is an offense of the Honor Code.

To prevent this at the Mid-Winter dance, students will be required to show club and identification cards.

In regard to concerts for the rest of the year, club members will receive reduced tickets by mail.

German Club Dance Draws Coach's Criticism Over Floor

The German club is preparing for its third dance in the "Shake-a-Tail Feather" sequence scheduled for March after last month's "Shake-a-Tail Feather, Part II" drew both praise and criticism.

Praise came from German club President Rocky Smith, Freshman Business major from Richmond, who said the dance was one of the most successful held here. Approximately 400 people went to the four-hour affair that grossed about \$355.

Coach Allen Makes Criticism

Criticism, however, came from Coach Ed Allen, who expressed concern for the gym floor.

He said the floor had just been finished and the shoes of dancers removed some of the new finish. Several shiny spots, he said, were

The Administration said this week it was in the process of obtaining plastic-covered canvas to be used on the gym floor during activities there.

visible on the floor, and the surface was slick for the following night's basketball game against Southeastern.

Students Give Entertainment 84% Support

Most students interviewed in a poll during registration are in general agreement of the Student Activities Committee (SAC) increasing its present financial support for entertainment on campus.

The poll was conducted by Dance club Chairman Mike Boblitz at the end of the registration line in order to determine student reaction to different phases of the SAC and the Dance club.

Aid From SAC

The Dance club receives financial aid from the SAC.

Of more than 500 students questioned, 84 per cent of them indicated they would like to see the SAC increase its support of entertainment.

Sixty-four per cent of the students were in favor of increasing the allotment to the Dance club (currently \$2,000 per year) even if it meant a higher tuition. Twenty per cent said they wanted the Dance club allotment increased but did not want a higher tuition.

Against Increase

Sixteen per cent said they were against an increase in SAC allotments to the Dance club in any form.

In answer to the amount of money students would be willing to have tuition increased, 44 per cent set the amount at \$3, 21 per cent said \$5, six per cent indicated \$10 and 16 per cent wanted no increase. Thirteen per cent gave no answer.

On another question, 66 per cent of the students said they would like class dues included in tuition; 34 per cent were against including class dues.

The Dance club is presently a fund-raising organization of Student Government Association for the purpose of providing entertainment for the college.



Staff Photo

William Ivey III
Assistant Dean

Students Hit Low Grades Of SGA, Clubs

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Dormitory representative, made the motion to table Clayton's motion to the SGA Rules Committee. Webber's motion was seconded and passed.

In other action this week, the Senate passed a motion suggesting the Administration check into the feasibility of obtaining a new public address system or see if the present system can be repaired.

Senators said a good public address system would improve campus communication.

President Woolford said he received a letter from the Administration concerning improvement of medical services for students.

In part the letter said, "The Administration is aware of present inadequacies in some areas of our medical service and is currently making a rather detailed survey in an attempt to improve certain areas. We are hoping for improvement in the near future."

The Senate had previously suggested to the Administration that it inquire into the possibility of obtaining another school physician. Students have complained that the school physician, Dr. John C. Call, was overloaded with work and it sometimes takes from four to six hours to see him.

Shakespeare Expert Will Lecture Here

Dr. Bernard Grebanier, professor emeritus of English at Brooklyn College, N. Y., will speak here at 3 p.m. Friday, February 26, in Shafer Street Playhouse.

Dr. Grebanier will speak on "Shakespeare's Women."

The author of several books and articles, Dr. Grebanier is a member of the Poetry Society of America and editor of the living Shakespeare recordings.

William Ivey Is Named Assistant Dean

The Student Personnel Office has added a new member to its staff.

He is Assistant to the Dean of Students William I. Ivey III, a 25-year-old Richmond native, whose main duties will be to work with student financial aid and to help with the student activities program.

Mr. Ivey transferred to RPI in September after five semesters at Cornell University and received a BS in Psychology last year.

Mr. Ivey said that he will be trying to do what the deans could not fully accomplish because of their overload of duties: to contact various firms and organizations in the city to find out how many scholarships and financial assists are available to students.

"My primary duties now are scholarships and loans, and working with the students themselves to solve financial problems," Mr. Ivey said. He added that he probably will not get into student activities until next year.

His office is located on the second floor of 912 Park ave., with office hours from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

IBM Equipment Fails to Register

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were sent out to students this week.

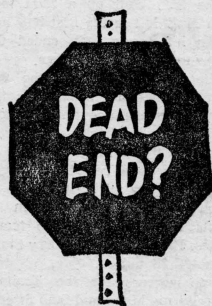
The only other complication during registration came on the behalf of another machine. The "culprit" was the stamping machine when it ran out of stamps at the school mailing room.

The failure caused a slight delay in mailing of some of the grades. Most of the envelopes were in the mail by the Wednesday following examinations.

Most students and faculty, as well as the administration, agreed that the IBM system is much faster, and has helped in making plans for the second semester.

Students registered without the customary pre-registration period, which had been the practice at mid-term of previous semesters.

This year a period of academic counseling and planning replaced pre-registering since IBM registration involves individual course cards.



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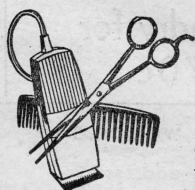
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