SPRIT T Attendants Make Merry At Freshman Mixer Social Event

Rochester, N. Y., January 26, 1945

RIT Aid Center For Disabled Veterans Seeking Placement

An advisement center for disabled veterans is being set up at the Institute, said Arthur C. Johnson, chief of the Vocational Rehabilitation and Education Division of the United States Veteran's Administration.

Mr. Johnson's district covers thirty-one counties in Western and Central New York, and the center at RIT is one of four being organized to serve disabled veterans of World War II in

Dr. Leo F. Smith, associate director of the Educational Research Committee, will work closely with the Veteran's Advisement Center at the Institute. Offices are being arranged by the Institute for this purpose of assisting veterans by Registrar

Purpose of the vocational rehabilitation is to restore employability lost because of a handicap due to disability incurred in

or aggravated by service.

Capt. Dentinger Birthday Tidbits Gets Bronze Star

For his research work in improving the operation of the Norden bombsights with which all the Eighth Air Force B-17 Flying Fortresses are equipped, Captain Ralph G. Dentinger, 22, Rochester, New York, has been awarded the Bronze Star, it was announced recently.

Capt. Dentinger is a member of the 385th Bombardment Group commanded by Colonel George Y. Jumper, Natoma, California. group is a part of the Third Bombardment Division, the division which was cited by the President for its now-historic England-Africa shuttle bombing of the Messerschmitt aircraft plants at Regens-burg, in August, 1943.

As group bombsight maintenance officer, it is Captain Dentinger's responsibility to see that all bombsights used by his group are in perfect operating condition, and are capable of maintaining the high standard of accuracy for which the Eighth Air Force is known. This job in itself is no small task, because of the intricacies of the equipment and the technicalities involved, yet he spent considerable additional time in research work and in coordinating the bombsight to release the bombs.

CAN'T TAKE IT WITH YOU

Beware of thinking all your own that you possess, and of living accordingly. It is a mistake that many people who have credit abuse the privilege by overdrawing. To prevent this, keep an exact account for some time, both of your expenses and your income. mention particulars, it will have this good effect: you will discover how wonderfully small, trifling expenses mount up to large sums, and will discern what might have been, and may for the future be saved, without occasioning any great inconvenience

The snow on the ground was reproduced in the form of cotton snowmen at our January birthday dinner which was held in the Institute dining room.

Chairmen of the affair were Ruth Kumpel and Florence Cel-

Miss Bernice Mohlenhoff, Miss er of Dorothy Fritz, Retailing Departroup ment, and Miss Bertha Thurber, e Y. Foods Department, were guests at the our dinner. Miss Thurber gave an 30m-exceptionally interesting and ensision lightening informal "talk" on etident quette which all enjoved.

The group singing was led by Doris Burch, and Ann Kepler was

The program closed with the singing of "Lights Out."

Girls, if any one of you has celebrated a birthday any time from September through January and has not yet been honored at our monthly birthday dinners, please notify Miriam Herman, Room 602, at once.

MIRIAM HERMAN

How Humiliating . . .

A visitor to one of our war plants had an embarrassing moment a few days ago when visiting a plant. He turned to a war worker and said:

"Look at that youngster-the one with the cropped hair, the cigarette and the trousers. It's hard to tell whether it's a boy or

"Well, she's a girl and she's my If you take the pains at first to daughter," the war worker replied

> "My dear sir, do forgive me," the visitor said. "I would not have been so outspoken had I known you were her father.'

mother," the war worker said.

Did you miss the Freshman Mixer at Reverend Cayley's church? You did? Well, here are a few things you should know about it then. Ask your Technologers who were present at this grand affair. Do you recognize some of them in the accompanying picture? They surely seem happy over it all.



STUDENTS ENJOYING MIXER MIXING IT

Miss Medden was there and was looking into the future by the way of the hands. Oh, come now, you surely understand—lines from Come on, all you wou

Oh, yes, before we go any far-ther, we'd like to let Mr. and Mrs. Kinnear and Mr. Wilson know that we think they were swell

The sparkling melodrama that was put on by our most famous drama club was done very well. Each of them deserves your most

The game room was open wide, and chess and checkers were the order of the evening, along with dancing in the large lounge. Thanks, Ann, for the tingling piano music. You, too, Dave. That guitar gets better all the

The ladies were out to meet the File ladges were out to meet the fellows. Weren't you there, Bob, Bill, or Harry? You don't know what you missed!

Say, those love-birds—those Art and Mechanic students were there in their gayest array.

Member, you saw them?
Thanks to Alice Rosen and Ann wish to thank those who helped out in the kitchen, especially genial "Moe" (our K. P. kid from the P. T. department).

It was a huge success, kids, so right here and now we'd like to thank Al Brennan, Al Horton, Dwight Putney, Ray Corrigan, and Ruth Williams. You know we'd feel swell if you came around with another party real soon! Cheerio! JOHN HUTCHESON

Make no expense but to do good "I'm not her father. I'm her to others or yourself, i. e., waste teresting at this time to the In-

Come on, all you would-be Sonja Henies. Get out those silver Sonja Henies. Get out those silver skates, ski-suits, bright ski hats, plaid jackets, and come on down to try your skill on skates. The weather's just right. The ice is smooth. You can take a bus out evening or take a subway out to

Cobb's Hill.

You beginners, don't be afraid to try your hand either. You may be a little wobbly at first (I'm speaking from experience), but buck up. With a little practice you, too, can twirl, spin, and practically fly through the air! Of course, after the first try you may have to eat your dinner standing up, but that shouldn't stop you if you really want to make with the you really want to make with the

You'll probably see "Tiz" Lowell and Bobbie Hadfield, a couple of our very enthusiastic skaters, off in a corner practicing a new

times in the evening, our little boys in navy blue who hail from the U. of R. may be seen among the crowded throng.

All together, there is plenty of inspiration for all you sports lovers. So why not give it a try?

Bruce Thomas, war correspondent, will speak on the war in Eu-rope in the Eastman Assembly Hall, 9 a.m., Wednesday, Jan. 31. Mr. Thomas' talk should be in-

stitute assemblage.

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Clark Union Amen Corner



STUDENTS ENIOY SOCIAL ADVANTAGES

This new year is well under way, and isn't it a good feeling to be back with friends at Clark Union? I don't know how each of you made out during the holidays, though sincerely I hope your time was as enjoyable as mine. From some of the stories I have heard from Technologers, they were howling successes.

Now you should be prepared for the work and study to put you over that well-known 'hump' dur- for technical reasons. However, ing exam week. Wish you luck, things are well under way, and and if you have a spare prayer around—not in use—send it my way. Yours truly will undoubtedly need it!

I don't believe anyone has noticed anything new since their Perhaps you haven't noticed return. The weatherman hasn't that there is a romance budding even changed his tactics. Snow, snow, and more snow; only it appears rather dirty now. So I am still sliding around, as you can

easily understand. Happened into Rud's Clark Union's chief competitor, the other than cevening and saw no other than Louise Strauss. And listen, lads that anything and everything can and lassies, while I inform you of the trip the Senior Retailers enjoyed up New York City wayeducational tours through department stores, tapestry markets, textile mills, and visits to the bright lights of the big town. All in all, the trip was a great success. Wonder what they think of Rochester now

Amid the rush parties the sor-orities have given at Clark Union and the interesting lecture on Hosteling, which was given by a Hostel representative, Clark Un-Hostel representative, Clark Un-ion is again giving the students a fresh crack at a pot full of fun.

Our intentions are to form our own Hostel right here at RIT and the first date we have in this respect is a snow-train this com-ing week-end. Now I realize many

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I'll have more news about enjoyable times to be had later on. Hold onto this line—these things are being planned for you.

Perhaps you haven't noticed right under our very noses at Clark Union. It involves a certain town boy and an Art student. Yours truly wonders if Art and Mechanics will go well together. Straighten up and fly right! The

This proves my early statement happen at Clark Union.

Flash! Just before my deadline, I heard about a certain Photo Tech belle who was invited South for the summer. Could it be going by the way of romance, North Carolina, and a Photo Tech gent?

Drop in some time soon, tomorrow! Make "meet me at the Union" your byword.

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LET YOUR HAIR DOWN . .

There is a mystery, a happy expectation and a thrill of surprise that accompanies all unfolding, whether it is of a package received, unexpectedly, through the mail, the story in a book, or the unfolding of a friend's character.

Nature is forever unfolding. It is fascinating to behold the tight bud of a rose, and then to watch its unfolding, until it pre-

sents itself in unbelievable beauty, in full bloom.

Self-unfolding is perhaps going on within us all, but in many of us an unconscious movement, unknown to us because we give

it no thought.

Life should unfold-naturally, and in a way to make us feel that we are progressing and are a part of the unfolding of life about us, and in the events that depict the story of the world a large. Right now there is an unfolding of the human spirit, as never before, in all lands and among all peoples. It is a people's hunger, a people's hope, and a people's determination that justice and freedom shall be the ruling factor in all life and in all gov-

This consciousness of self-unfolding is something that we should become awake to, and grasp as an advantage-for it is an advantage, a very great one. Unless we can become conscious of our strength of mind, of our spiritual heritage, and of our right to go forward, the way ahead must present itself as indeed full of confusion and darkness.

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BOOK REVIEW

PENTHOUSE IN BOGOTA By Virginia Paxton

Virginia Paxton (Mrs. Charles Harner) and her husband and their baby son left the University of Illinois to go to Colombia, South America, where Mr. Harner was Associated Press repre-sentative. Without knowledge of Without knowledge of Spanish, and ignorant of the intri-cate social and housekeeping regimen of the Colombian, Mrs. Harner managed to get to learn how to shop, to prepare the local dishes, to entertain the aristocratic townspeople, and to gain for herself and her family a certain popularity and respect among them. All her experiences are told in breezy and very amusing style and the book is excellent for those who want something different, and yet informational.

This book has been added to the Library recently.

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Fads And Fems

Another year has vanished into a lot of memories, and here it is 1945. Here also, is Becky, to give a few hints for '45.

Skating seems to be figuring in pretty well these days, so what to wear? I've seen some gay ski tights which are just the thing to wear under ski pants while skat-ing. Molly Ann admits to wearing ones, and they keep her Bobbie Hadfield believes

keeping her ears warm and ties her definitely different wool scarf under her chin and succeeds in looking extremely cute.

A gay splash of color is added

to any outfit when you wear a pair of "above the knee" socks. Ruby Jabo and Jo Swantz create a striking effect with their colorful socks; and incidentally, they're Delicately tinted scarfs tied art-

istically around your neck dress up your nicest sweaters and suits. Martha Etter adds a scarf matching her sweater and creates a lovely effect.

Hand knit socks seemed to be one of Santa's predominating gifts. Jane Patterson is the proud possessor of a pair of hand knit argyles. Speaking of argyles, Betty Dresseur has quite a collection. Others on Santa's list were Dee Dekin and Jo Dennis.

Just couldn't help mention the

cute plaid pedal pushers belong-ing to the gals in 509. Of course, everyone has worn them! Inci-dentally, the girls made them themselves.

In case you are interested, 502 has two of the cutest occupants. Stroll down sometime and meet Betty Homkey's friends, Raggedy Ann and Raggedy Andy.

Valentine Day is just around the corner, girls. So-o-o-o, how about a picture for that Serviceman? And, are you writing often?

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R.I.O.T. NEWS

Here we are back again after a Christmas vacation which we hope was smooth for all. There certainly was plenty of snow for the majority of us. So, it should have promoted plenty of skiing, ice-skating, and all of those energetic sports which snow always seems to inspire. Now to get on with the news which, of course, you are waiting to hear; not a lecture on snow.

Marion Bailey, Freshman Art student, dated a flight officer last Friday night. He certainly must have been a hero by the look of the medals that gleamed on his

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Kerchgessner, the former Esther Gay Booth, are home in Rochester now for a short stay. Jerry is now studying navigation in Texas.

'Baby" Myers' Marine from Cornell, Bob ("Butch") Schultz, was in town for the weekend of January 12. He must have had a good time 'cause he's expected back again soon.

"Dink" Coleman took Ted Collins, V-12 from U. of R., home with her last weekend. That's getting to be quite a twosome! Sam di Paula, home from the

Army, paid a surprise visit on Barb Wood last Thursday nite and we do mean surprise!

Watch for the "opening". Brad is changing the pictures on his door in the Rogue's Gallery. "Ya never know, ya know"-you yourself might appear!

The Juniors in Retailing will be interested to hear that a former classmate, Ruth Palmer, is engaged to Pfc. Frederick McCleery of Sharon, Pennsylvania.

You'll all be very glad to hear, also, that that enduring romance between Dottie Lou and Blackie is still going strong. She hears from him real often, and he may be expected home real soon.

Lois Mortimer, Junior Retailer, is to be married very soon. We weren't able to uncover the groom-to-be's identity, but it all comes from an authentic source, so we'll believe it.

"Cookie" Webber and Sally Mc-Gee, Freshmen Retailers, apparently decided that Retailing wasn't their field, 'cause they made their exits at Christmas time. We are all sorry to see them go, but what they think is best we think is best, too, natcherly.

While we're on the subject of school, we wish to welcome the War Veterans who have entered after Christmas. Incidentally, one of them is Johnny di Paula, brother of Sam, a former student here.

Since this sorta winds up the latest dope on what's new, we'll be looking for you in the next

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Elec. II	17	10	706	629
Me. II	13	14	658	598
Me. I-B	8	19	687	578
Ph. Tech	8	19	632	536
Chem	0	27	588	504
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Individual Averages High Single Came

Palmer—Elec. II 222	2
High Two Game Average-	
Palmer—Elec. II 193	3
High Team Game—	
Elec. I 794	
High Team Two Game Average-	
Faculty 75	7

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Student Blood Donors Keep The Revealer Faith With Our Service Lads It's 12:30, lunch is over, so let's join the mad dash to Clark

December 19, 1944 and some gave at times other than the regular Institute days for donations. They also registered their der that's "T" Dorsey's Boogle Woogle bouncing around. There's names with Mrs. Karker.

Students who have given seven pints of blood or over, please give his or her name to Mrs. Karker or Miss Medden by Febru- she keeps the slim trim.) ary 5th for suitable recognition.

Special recognition should be given to the Art School and Gillman? Has Davey Boy got two the Chemical Department for their fine representation. Congratulations go to Phyllis Kipp and Alice Rosen for their good work in getting this great number of students to donate blood.

This is an incomplete list but it includes the names of those either. who have given blood on the date assigned to the Institute.

Barbara Nicholson

Pat Lenox

Gay Miller

Evelyn Rose

Corwin Skinner

Gladys Lowell

Audrey Pratt Maxine Reed

Maxine Frost

Mary Lawson

Betty Cayford

Sally Barber

Phyllis Kipp

Cathleen Reid

Muriel Watkins

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Mechanical-Barbara Childs Electrical-

Ted Rojek

Retailing-

Norma Meyers Vivian Lockwood

Mary Ellen Lundquist

Those who kept faith and donated blood on January 23 are hereby gratefully and duly commended for their devotion:

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Mechanical-

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Joan Champion

The following dates have been established for future blood donations: February 20, March 20, April 17, May 1, June 12.

A shoulder strap is a piece of Knees are a luxury. If you don't ribbon worn to keep an attraction think so, just try to get hold of from becoming a sensation.

Union and get a glimpse at what views of private interest, but to goes on with some of the "regu-go straight forward in doing what appears to me right at the time

The room's rocking, and no won-Electrical's slick chick, "Mickey" Robinson, keeping up with the ol' beat. (Take note, girls, that's how Ansel, Stop!"

Why the sad look on "Casanoa" dates crossed again or is he trying to determine where to meet

Eleanor? The piano in the audi-torium is always nice, but then the library didn't prove so bad "Ansel, you mustn't bang your head against the wall".

Here comes Ginny Rouse with her own private little stag line behind her. She's sprinkling that "slide powder" on the floor again. She enjoys watching people dance

"No, Ansel, you don't have to, you can come down now.

Ah! the music has changed and to Artie Shaw's "Star Dust" is just be "drooling" out. That familiar twosome, Johnny Hutcheson and has Rosen, are gliding by. Johnny has removed his chin from our cute form's" forehead long some, Johnny Hutcheson and Alice enough to say something. Perhaps he's giving that super-duper sales girl a formula for evaporating 70 into 16

It makes no difference to Bob Warren which block he's in. When that feature attraction "Bobbie" Nicholson is around, he can't even remember what a block is. Nat-urally we know the record playing is "How Many Times Do I Have To Tell You."

Over in the corner there we have our own "hard-to-gets," fiendishly pondering over a wicked game of

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DO GOOD ALWAYS

My rule, in which I have always so found satisfaction, is, never to turn ark aside in public affairs through appears to me right at the time leaving the consequences with Providence.—Franklin

> checkers. I guess "Doc" McKin ney has got the boys stumper again. "Ansel, no!"

> Our favorite character Bobby Nobles seems to be spieling off on of his tall tales; let's listen:
>
> Nobles—So the Cop came up

> Notics—So the Cop came up and grabbed my arm.
>
> Cop—Don't you know you'n supposed to wait for the red light Notics—Who, me?
>
> Cop—Yes, you.

Nobles-But, officer, I go to

Cop-Ignorance is no excuse. "Ansel, get up, it wasn't that bad." Who's the neat new dancing

partner Bobbie" Searls again today? W mustn't forget Les, honey.

Well, there's Diana telling C. I to douse that last Chesterfiel because the bell is about to ring. "Come, Ansel." Due to circumstances beyond my control, Editor Frannie suggeste I leave a few of the more torn

items out. But as you see, I wa merely trying to "Accentuate th Positive."—BETTY LOU RIEKER

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