



Spring is sprung, the grass has ris—I wonder where the lower half is. This would seem to be the question discussed by this small group of RIT students reveling in the spring sun. (Plunket & Diamond Photo)

## Trustees Re-elected, Record Budget Okayed

The largest budget in RIT's history was approved by the Board of Trustees recently as enrollment reached new heights this year, with applications for next year's freshman class running 32% above last year.

At the same time, all board members were reelected for terms of five years while the officers were re-elected for regular one year terms. James E. Gleason, Chairman of the Board since 1941, and a board member since 1899, was re-elected to his usual position. Dr. Mark Ellingson, President of RIT cited the long and industrious service the president of the Gleason Works has rendered to the school.

To prepare for the anticipated increase in enrollment for the school year 1955-56, a total of \$1,844,000 was earmarked for the budget, \$174,500 more than for the current fiscal year. \$1,594,000 is to be spent for education, while non-educational activities will account for \$250,000. It is expected that this will be the eighteenth consecutive year that RIT has maintained a balanced budget.

The all-time high in enrollment this year includes 1,460 students in the day session, enrolled in either the A.A.S. or B.S. degree programs. Evening session students number 4,614, including special short courses for various businesses and industries.

Applications for admission for the fall quarter are at a new five-year high, with 668 applying as opposed to 505 at this time last year.

Re-elected as board officers were Edward A. Halbleib, honorary chairman of the board and former general manager of Delco; and Herman Russell, honorary vice chairman, RIT Board, and chairman of the board of

directors of the Rochester Gas and Electric Corporation.

Also elected for one year terms are Dr. Albert K. Chapman, first vice chairman of the school board, and president of the Eastman Kodak Company; Lewis



**James E. Gleason**

B. Swift, second vice chairman of the RIT Board, and chairman of the board of directors of Taylor Instrument Company; Brackett H. Clark, treasurer of RIT, and president of the Rapidac Machine Corp.; and Arthur L. Stern, secretary of the RIT Board, and a local attorney.

Re-named for five year terms as members of the board were John P. Boylan, chairman of the board of directors of the Rochester Telephone Corp.; W. Dewey Crittendon, former chairman of the board of the Genesee Valley Trust Co.; Ezra A. Hale, president of the Lawyers Cooperative Publishing Co; and Walter L. Todd, chairman of the board of the Todd Company, Inc. All officers were also elected to five year terms as members of the Board of Trustees of RIT.

## Counsel Center Member Wed

Margaret Fischer, Counseling Center psychometrist, left RIT on April 29 to marry John G. Doyle. She will be replaced by Dr. Gloria Ortner who earned her doctorate at the University of Buffalo. Dr. Ortner has had several years experience in student personnel and counseling work.

## Miss Lang Sets New Office Hours

Ruth Lang who handles the Veterans' affairs as well as being secretary to the Housing Director, has split her office hours and moved her housing office to 102 Spring St., Room 104. Miss Lang can be found in her new office every afternoon where she will help with the work of the men's dormitories.

Veterans affairs will still be handled in the Registrar's Office, Eastman Building; Miss Lang will spend the morning hours in this office.



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## Policy Committee Formed To Guide Gym Program

In keeping pace with the construction of RIT's new gymnasium on Livingston Park, an Athletic Committee has been formed for the purpose of formulating regulations and policy governing the operation of the new building. The committee is also in the process of employing a Physical Education Director.

Applications are presently being received from several sources for this position. The individual selected for this job will be in general charge of the new gymnasium and will be responsible for the co-ordination of all events that will be held in the building. This will include both inter-collegiate sporting events as well as intramural sports programs. In addition, outside events that are scheduled to take place in the gym will fall under this person's jurisdiction.

At the present time it is not planned to conduct a formal and required men's physical education program during the coming academic year. The present physical education program for women will be continued, however, under the direction of Mrs. Marie S. Kinnear.

The committee has been meeting for the past several weeks and it is expected that some major announcement will be forthcoming prior to the close of the school year.

Members of the committee include: Mr. Alfred A. Johns, Director Student Personnel, Mr. Sherman B. Hagberg, Chairman of Athletics at RIT, Mr. William Torporcer, of the Registrar's Office, Mr. Stanley Witmeyer, head of the Department of Art and Design, Mr. Clarence Tuites, of the Electrical Department, and Mr. Harold J. Brodie, Mechanical Department.

## Ellingson, Council Meet; Discuss Future Plans

Prior to the regular Student Council meeting on May 2, Dr. Mark Ellingson appeared before the Council and entered into an informal discussion period with council members regarding various Institute programs and activities.

Discussion centered around the Institute's present and proposed building program, convocation procedures, the B.S. Degree program, and the problems connected with the scheduling of classes and the scheduling of events for the new gymnasium.

Regarding the new gym, Dr. Ellingson stated that the facilities should be made available for social events that student organizations elect to hold in the building, as well as the usual athletic events. Dr. Ellingson expected that the ice skating rink would be reserved at least one night each week expressly for the use of RIT students, faculty, administration officials, and employees. On approximately three or four other nights of each week it was expected that the rink would be open to the general public, so as to justify the expense of building the rink. It was stated that any cost to RIT students for use of the rink would be quite nominal.

The President also indicated that it will not be general practice to rent the gymnasium facilities for the use of organizations outside the Institute.

Instructional classes in figure skating were also expressed as a possibility of being incorporated into the scholastic athletic program of the Institute. Students

## Annual Convocation To Cite 403 Students

Approximately 403 RIT students will be cited for degrees and diplomas at the Central Presbyterian church tomorrow, Saturday, May 14, at the 70th Annual Convocation Exercises which will feature Dr. John R. Dunning, Dean of the School of Engineering at Columbia University as guest speaker.

The exercises will open with the playing of the National Anthem. Dr. Mark Ellingson will introduce Dr. Dunning who will deliver the main address.

For many years Dr. Dunning has led a three-ply existence as educator, physicist, and public servant. He joined the Columbia faculty as assistant in physics in



**Dr. John R. Dunning**

1929, became assistant professor of physics in 1935, and has been dean of the engineering faculty since 1950.

Dr. Dunning has played a key role in America's atomic program. He performed some of the first neutron experiments in the U. S. starting in 1932. In 1939 he demonstrated uranium fission. He also directed and initiated the gaseous diffusion method for obtaining U-235.

Dr. Dunning is the author, with H. W. Farwell, of "Matter, Ener-

gy and Radiation." He has contributed scientific articles to the "Physical Review," the "Review of Scientific Instruments," the "American Journal of Physics," and the publication of the National Academy of Sciences. He has also written many monographs and papers on atoms, atomic transmutations, neutrons and atomic power applications.

This year for the first time, students who are eligible for the B.S. Degree will be cited at RIT. Eleven students will be graduated under this new program.

The Department of Printing will present citations to 59 students; Retailing, 37; Commerce, 22; Photography, 55; Electrical, 34; Mechanical, 30; Art and Design, 21; School for American Craftsmen, 4; Chemistry, 16; and Food Administration, 16.

Following the Convocation Exercises, the students and their guests will have an opportunity to visit the various departments at the Institute and meet the department heads and faculty members. All laboratories, studios and shops will be open from 1:30 to 3:00 p.m.

Later that afternoon, the junior women residents of Kate Gleason Hall will receive the senior women and their guests at tea.

The Annual Senior Dinner will be held at the Powers Hotel, at 6:30 p.m. on Wednesday, May 18. Reservations are required and all seniors have received an invitation from the Senior Banquet Committee. The dinner is being held for seniors only and no charge is being made.

Of further interest to the members of the graduating class is the invitation extended by the Alumni Association to the Alumni Dinner Dance. The cost of tickets for the dinner and dance will be \$3.42; for the dance only, \$1.02.

## Awards Assembly Slated for May 20

The Annual Awards Assembly will be held in the RIT Chapel on Friday, May 20 at 1 p.m. A large attendance is expected for this final Student Association sponsored all-school assembly of the 1954-55 school year.

At this time various trophies, block letters, and other awards will be presented to students who have earned outstanding recognition in various phases of campus activities. The specific areas in which awards will be made will include those for Student Council "Techmila," RIT "Reporter," all varsity sports, and the Neil French Award which is given to the outstanding fraternity for the current school year.

The final award of the afternoon will come with the presentation of the Rudner Award. This is a gift of \$25 which is given to the outstanding member of the Senior class who is completing work for an A.A.S. degree and who has contributed the most to campus life — scholastically as well as activity-wise. Four to six members of the Senior class who would be possible recipients of this award are selected by the Student Senate, which in turn hands over the selected names to two faculty members who make the final decision.

The RIT Band will perform at the assembly and closing remarks will be made by Dr. Mark Ellingson, Institute president.

## Nurse Offers Tip To Sunbathers

Mrs. Hugh McNair, School Nurse, gives a word of warning to sunbathers. With the warm spring days here, most people will be anxious to get out in the sun. Mrs. McNair advises to expose yourself gradually. Do not get too much sun at one time. This applies especially to people of fair complexion such as red heads and blonds.

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EDITORIAL

The Picture of Life

The picture of life ... blood !

The picture just to the right of this article dramatically emphasizes how precious this important commodity can be. Through this necessary life-giving fluid, the lives of thousands of people all over the country--like that of the small boy in the picture, or perhaps like that of the young mother next door who was suffering from post-parten hemorrhaging during childbirth, or like that of the man down the street who was seriously injured in an automobile accident—are being saved each day.

The lives of such people, possibly loved ones of your own or friends that you know, will be able to be saved because this gift of life will be available if it is ever desperately needed.

And how is such a supply of life-giving blood available to those who require it? It is available only through the generous and unselfish contributions of people like yourself. It is available when such individuals are willing to give less than an hour of their time to donate a pint of their blood, so that others may live. It is available when these people donate their blood to the various Red Cross regional blood banks that are located throughout the country.

Here in the Rochester area, this blood is made available throughout the local Red Cross Regional Blood Program which supplies blood for the needs of approximately 43 civilian hospitals within a 12 county region. In addition, the local blood bank has a quota of blood available for possible military and civilian defense needs.

One of the unrecognized services of the program is the meeting of blood requirements of area residents who become hospitalized outside of the Rochester region and require blood. This fact is graphically represented here at RIT by a fourth year student in the Electrical Department. Just a few years ago this individual underwent a heart operation in a Boston hospital. During the course of the operation, approximately 25 pints of blood to Boston were ordered that this person might live. The Rochester Red Cross Chapter flew the required amount of blood to Boston where it was administered. Today, the individual is able to lead a normal life. Blood donations from people like you made such a life possible.

In this service of supplying blood to area residents who are hospitalized outside the Rochester region, as in all other cases throughout the entire program, the blood is given without charge. The only cost involved is the hospital's administration fee for transfusion. No charge is ever made for the blood itself !

On Wednesday of this week, the Red Cross Bloodmobile will visit RIT. Have you signed up to make a donation of this . . . gift of life? If not, how about giving a few moments of your time so that someone else may be given the chance to enjoy life again, such as you are doing today? Yes, it takes so very little to give so much . . . to give the gift of life!

Support the Home Team!

RIT's baseball team played, and won, their first home game of the year at Genesee Valley Park Saturday April 30. The weather was beautiful, the team was fast and sharp but the crowd was meager. An uninformed bystander might have had trouble deciding which was the home team. Less than 100 students were in attendance at the home game where they were needed most.

Realizing the difficulty many students have in attending the games held on week nights, efforts were made to schedule more games for Saturday in hopes that a larger percentage of the student body would be able to attend. Why not take advantage of this convenient time and get out to enjoy the games and most important—support the team.

Here We Go Again

If you have read the April 25 edition of the Student Council Meeting Minutes, you have noticed the resume of business concerning the parking lot at Troup and Clarissa streets.

It all starts off with a complaint by one of the members against the proposed fee increase to \$7.00 per year for parking privileges. (This fee is 233 per cent of the current year's fee.) And then there are two pages of history on "progress" made in the parking lot situation.

Plans are now to have the lot covered with some type of topping. Perhaps this means that those holes at the base of the ramp that have plagued car owners throughout the year have their days numbered.

We assume that this \$7.00 fee also includes money for maintenance and supervision. We specifically state supervision because only a few weeks ago the cars in the lot were being used as a playground for neighborhood children—and this play went on for several hours according to reports from irate car owners.

When we return in the fall, we should be greeted by a vastly improved parking lot—without holes, marked off and supervised by some group with a little authority. This might make it worth \$7.00 to all automobile drivers at RIT.



« « « Tech Speaks » » »

QUESTION

Just over 100 persons attended the baseball game last Saturday. Do you feel that 3 hours a week is too much time to be spent in support of your team?



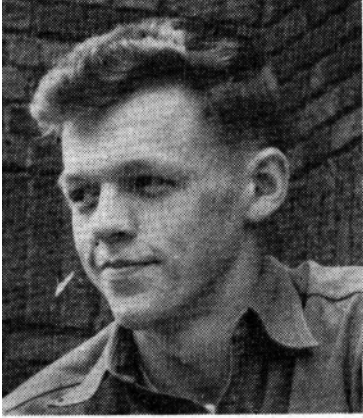
Celia Morgenberger . . .  
Retailing

Many of the students work on Saturdays so it is impossible to go to the baseball games. However, I don't believe three hours is too much to spend supporting the team.



Ginger Holt .. .  
Commerce

If students enjoy baseball games, then 3 hours spent watching a game on a Saturday isn't a waste of time. The lack of attendance of the first game was due to the fact that no one had any knowledge of it. What we need are a few pep assemblies,



Fred Todel . . .  
Photo

Sure it is if the three hours have to be spent on a school day sitting on a muddy field. Hold the games on a Friday or Saturday and give us a place to sit and you will probably have much better attendance.



Joe .Burger  
Photo

No, I don't believe that three hours is too much time to spend supporting the team. It would be nice to know when, where, and who they are playing. A suitable place to play would help greatly in getting people to the games.



Some folk say  
"The Government is rotten."  
Others say  
"It's wonderful—visionary!"  
Does it depend on  
What party your folks vote for?  
Where taxes jump to?  
What subsidies you receive  
and therefore like?  
What subsidies you don't get  
and therefore condemn!  
I heard a Senator say recently  
that the Governmeht bought  
millions of bushels of potatoes  
at \$1.68 per cwt.—sold them  
for 1 cent a cwt. to be de-  
stroyed—at the same time that  
The war dept. bought 2 million  
. more bushels at \$2.95 per cwt.  
Well—here we go!  
What a wonderful chance  
To rake somebody  
Over the coals  
Especially  
If they are far enough away  
That they can't defend them-  
selves.  
It's easy  
To be "agin something."  
But, what are you FOR?  
Are you for peace?  
Then promote it!  
Are you for interfaith under-  
standing?  
Then support R.A.C.  
Are you for a decent society?  
Then get on the  
R.A.C. Social Service Commit-  
tee  
Just give me your name.  
R.A.C. had a magnificent  
meeting  
a week ago.  
(That Kosher supper  
By Hillel  
was really something  
A la Markus and Blobstein)  
Plan  
To get on  
the bandwagon  
In the Fall.  
Chaplain M.A.C.

Dear Editor

**Editor, RIT "Reporter"**

When a team of men go on the playing field and play their best to win the game, why is it that a small group of know-it-all's al-ways have something unpleasant to say?

Courtesy at least demands di-rect and positive criticism with a tactful approach—if it must be given at all. Attacking the team with back-handed and insipid remarks during the game will certainly not help promote good feeling or good sportsmanship.

Last Saturday when the base-  
ball team played Paul Smith's,  
both teams, (not just the RIT  
players) made errors. At Paul  
Smith's bench there was no com-  
ment from the spectators and  
little among the players . . . yet  
at RIT's bench, belittling re-  
marks clouded the air. Needless  
to say, these remarks were  
unsolicited.

Perhaps it would be best to  
move the bench far from the  
"cheering" section so that the  
air the players breathe may be  
clearer. Or maybe the spectators  
who believe in making back-  
handed remarks can be throttled  
in some way.

Bob Lorenzen  
Printing, '55

Harvard Offers Roscoe

(ACP)—The Harvard Lampoon, student humorous monthly, recently voted "The Caine Mutiny" as the best argument against naval ROTC.

They voted special "Roscoes" to Tony Curtis "whose marcelled and mobile grease locks have titilated scores of bobby soxers," and to Grace Kelly "who easily earns the title Ironclad Virgin of 1954."

Wright or Wrong

San Francisco—( ACP )—Seated next to each other in a psycho-logy class at City College here are two students named Wright and Wong. The Guardsman reports.

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# Reporter Selections Announced; First Organizational Meeting Held

In addition to the four editors named in the last issue of the "Reporter"—Donn McDonald, Arthur Borock, Rodney Brower, and Arnost Blobstein—the complete list of the new staff for 1955-56 has been released. The first meeting of the newly-appointed newspapermen and women, totaling 21, was held in the Clark Building on May 3. Mr. Hector H. Sutherland, faculty advisor to the "Reporter," after welcoming the group, outlined the duties of the new staff.

To head the important photo department, David Allen was reappointed Photo Editor. His staff will include Barbi Brill, Assistant Photo Editor, and Pete Turner who will handle the Special Features, such as color, which has become an important part of this newspaper.

Allen has been Photo Editor of the "Reporter" for the last two months and he worked on "Techmilla" last year. He is a member of the Camera Club and of Eta Beta.

Miss Brill, who comes from Buffalo, is a member of RIT's champion Fencing Team, and also of the Camera Club, Phi Up, and the Choraliers. Her photographs have been used for her high school and RIT publications.

Harry Airey has been chosen to the post of Sports Editor. Airey comes from East Greenbush, N.Y., where he graduated from Columbia High School. He was on the staff of his high school yearbook and a printer in the Navy. Airey is a member of Pi Club and the recently-organized Forensic Society.

The Alumni Editorship, a new post, goes to Kay Markus, a veteran staffer. This will be Kay's third year with this newspaper. She was Women's Editor this year and a reporter the year previous. Born in Germany, Kay lived in Brooklyn, N. Y., and is now a Rochesterian. She is a graduate of Benjamin Franklin High School where she was on the staff of the newspaper, literary magazine, and yearbook.

Kay is active in a large number of RIT's extra-curricular organizations, including Sigma



BRILL



BALL

Kappa Delta Sorority, Masquers Guild, Hillel, RAC, Art Students League, Dance Club, and she is also a youth group leader in the city.

Sharla Klein, a Rochester girl and also a graduate of Franklin High, will be the new Women's Editor. Sharla was one of this year's reporters and while in high school she worked on the school's publication. At RIT she is an active member of Hillel.

Returning for another year as Art Editor is Richard Grant who has done a good job in this position this year. Dick is a native of Pittsburgh, Pa., and a graduate of Penn High School, Verona, Pa. He was Art Editor of his high school newspaper and yearbook. At RIT he is a member of Theta Gamma fraternity and the Arts Students League.

Grant's Associate Art Editor will be George Brown from Binghamton, N.Y. George is a Marine Corps veteran of the Korean war.

Heading the circulation department will be Robert Rice, Circulation Manager. Rice comes from Auburn, N.Y. and is a graduate of Auburn East High School. He was a photographer for his high school paper, and for six years worked for the "Auburn Citizen Advertiser" until he became assistant circulation manager. He is a member of Pi Club and the Newman Club.

Richard Cruwys will be the new Business Manager. Cruwys is an Air Force veteran and during the Korean war was stationed in the Philippines. There he worked with the Psychological Warfare Division on various service publications.

Robert Ball and Ray Hites, two Navy veterans who served together on the USS "Wisconsin," will share the duties of Mechanical Superintendent.

Ball comes from Reading, Pa., and Hites from St. Louis, Mo. Both assisted in the mechanical



AIREY



HITES



DAVID ALLEN

make-up of this paper during this year.

Ball graduated from Reading High and Naval Lithography School. Hites is a graduate of Cleveland High and David Ranken Trade School.

Other appointments of assistant editors were: Harris Rusitzky (Campus), Morton Selter (Alumni), Leon Brandes and John Fix (Assistant Business Managers), and Francis Sicker (Assistant Circulation Manager).

## Club Elections Held

The Crafts Club of the School for American Craftsmen has announced its next year's officers. Those elected were John Dunnson, president; Dan Valenza, vice-president; Marcia Rothman, secretary; Barbara Soudan, treasurer.

## WUS Donations Still Accepted

It's still not too late to donate your dollar locker deposit to World University Service. Those who did not sign the pledge to donate their locker deposit to WUS during the WUS observance in April, will be given the opportunity to do so the latter part of this month.

At the time that students turn in their lock, a member of the WUS committee will be on hand.

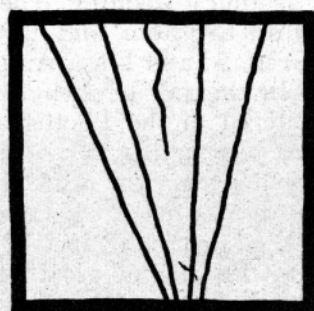
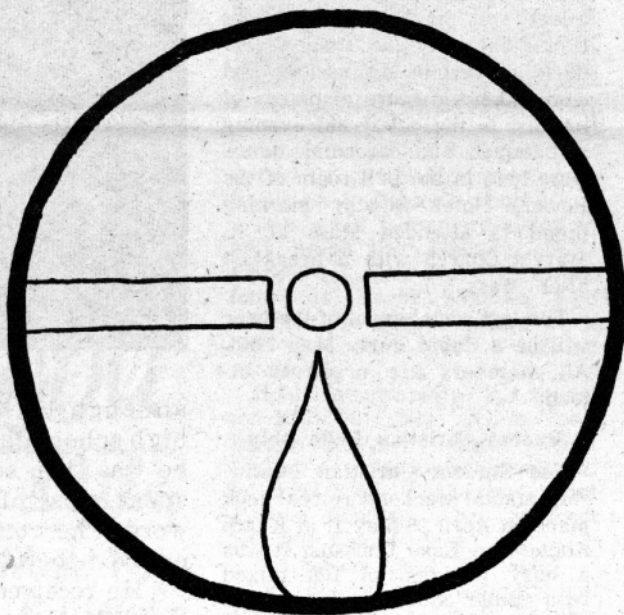
All students are reminded that they must personally turn in their locker lock for the refund of the deposit. This applies to those students who have already pledged their \$1 refund to World University Service as well as to those students who wish to donate the money at the time the lock is turned in.

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Cannot be seen  
There are no ivy walls  
To make us proud  
Of an emerald shroud  
About our hallowed halls

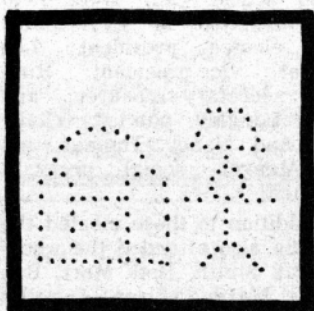
Who is to blame  
For this concrete frame  
The least in beauty's class  
Was it you or they  
Who answered, "Nay."  
When a survey came around  
And asked enmass  
"Will you cut the grass.  
If we move to fertile ground?"

## LUCKY DAY! MORE LUCKY DROODLES!

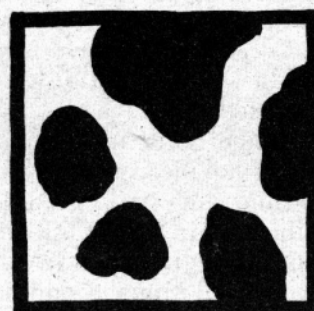
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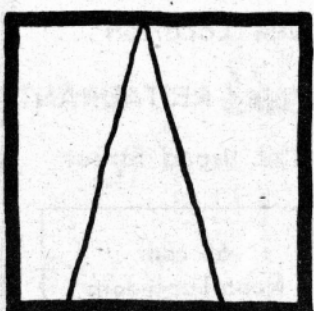
BOY WHO HAD FIVE BALLOONS  
Martha L. Mednick  
Northwestern University



PERIOD FURNITURE  
Travis Williams  
Hendrix College



DALMATIAN AS SEEN BY FLEA  
APPROACHING FOR LANDING  
Eugene B. Doggett  
Yale University



TWO SHIPS MEETING  
Robert Grimes  
West Virginia University

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*Manquet*  
Powers Hotel  
JUNE 4 5:30



# Camera Club Banquet Held At German Club

Friday, April 29 marked the Annual Camera Club Banquet held at the German Club on Gregory Street: The springtime affair was well attended by both students and faculty and their guests. Although Bermudas were the suggested apparel, only a few brave souls wore them.

The dinner, mostly German fare, was served smorgasbord style. After the meal, President Bill Pease introduced some of last year's officers that attended and the newly-elected officers for next year. John Alsup, incoming president, expressed his desire to have many more members in the club next year.

Introductions done, the rest of the program was devoted to entertainment. First on the list was Frank Vetare, who sang to the accompaniment of Gordon Young's piano playing. Their numbers included "Little Croquette," "Darktown Strutter's Ball," and "Young and Foolish."

# Students Set To Rate Faculty

During the weeks of May 16 and 23, all Institute students will participate in the annual faculty evaluation. They will be asked to fill out a form, which requests information on various phases of the instructor's personal habits and of the effectiveness of the course he teaches.

These anonymous forms will be completed without the faculty member ever seeing them. He will not be present at the time of the completion.

After the completion of the forms, they will be returned to the Office of Educational Research where they will be summarized. Following the summarization, they will be discussed with the individual instructors in an attempt to improve the different course contents and methods of teaching.

Dr. James W. Wilson of the Educational Research office is in charge of directing the evaluation.

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JUNE 4 6:30 P.M.

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# Bloodmobile To Visit RIT Wed. May 18

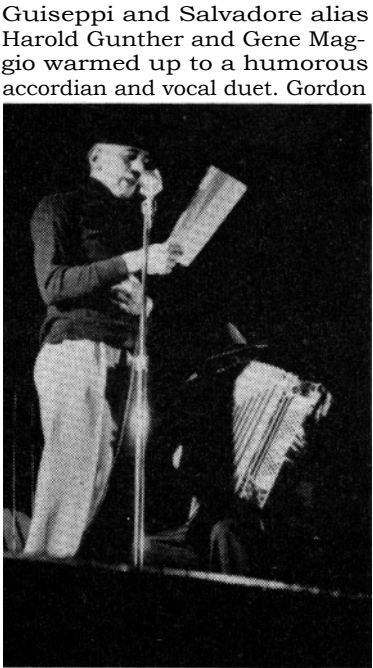
The Rochester Regional Red Cross Bloodmobile will again visit RIT for the second time during the present school year on Wednesday, May 18.

As in previous visits, the Bloodmobile will establish headquarters in the Eastman Assembly Hall in the Eastman Building.

Prospective donors were solicited by Student Council representatives from their respective departments. The names of these donors were turned over to the Blood Drive Committee which will schedule the appointment times for the donors. Donors between the ages of 18 and 21 need parental permission in order to give blood. To accomplish this, two-part post cards requesting this permission are being sent directly to the parents by the committee members.

At the present time approximately 160 donors have been signed up. Any other students and faculty members who have not signed up to donate blood and who wish to do so are requested either to contact any of the committee members or report directly to the Eastman Hall sometime during the hours that the bloodmobile will be in operation.

Student committee members who have been working on the blood drive include Bette Bassett, Roberta Masseau, Dick Mort, and Rod Brower.



Young returned to give the audience a few solos in both modern and classical music.

A highlight of the evening was the take-off on two freshmen doing a project as seen through the eyes of Jerry Uelsman and Gene Maggio. A little amateur magic was performed by Ben Barton, assisted by Mr. Hollis Todd who got tied up in his work.

The rest of the evening was devoted to dancing to the music of John Petrycki and the Quintones.

# Student Religious Groups Report on Varied Program

**Hillel**

The last Hillel Sabbath Service of this school year was held in Clark Union on Friday evening, April 29. A group of U of R students were the guests of RIT Hillel.

The Service was conducted by Sheldon Potter, and a talk on Israel's Independence Day which occurred two days earlier was given by Judah Landies. Mr. Landies reviewed the happenings in Israel since its creation seven years ago.

On Sunday, May 1, the Hillelites were guests of the Hillel Symphony Orchestra at a concert given in the U of R's Strong Auditorium and at a reception that followed in Todd Union. Under Hillel sponsorship, orchestra membership is open to individuals of all religious groups and to all colleges in the area. The orchestra's conductor, Paul Douglas Freeman, is a student at the Eastman School of Music.

Hillel is concluding this year with the dinner given for the Religious Activities Council on May 8; a dinner dance on May 15; and elections for next year's officers at the end of the month.

**Newman Club**

The Newman Club's big event of the year was held April 22, 23, and 24th here in Rochester. It was the Annual Province Convention and it was attended by students from various colleges in New York State.

Friday night, registration and a mixer was held at the Powers Hotel. Saturday the students listened to various discussions and were taken on tours of places of interest in the city. That evening a banquet and informal dance were held in the ball room of the Powers Hotel. Sunday morning members attended Mass at St. Mary's Church with a breakfast after Mass.

The last social event of the year will be a Cabin Party May 22nd. All members are urged to attend.

**Student Christian Fellowship**

The Student Christian Fellowship annual weekend retreat took place on April 29-May 1, at Kamp Kontent on Lake Conesus. It was a busy weekend of fun mixed with Bible study and business meetings.

Elections of officers for the 1955-56 school year were held which resulted in Earl Short being elected president; Lee DeLyser, vice-president; Ruth Lang, secretary-treasurer; and Wright Langley, publicity chairman; and Nancy Thomas and Jim Mengel, social program chairmen.

In addition to those elected the following also attended the weekend: Bill Smith, Dick Mort, Bob Wright, Marge Wilson, Dorothy Czadzeck, Carl Smith, and Andrew Yoggy.

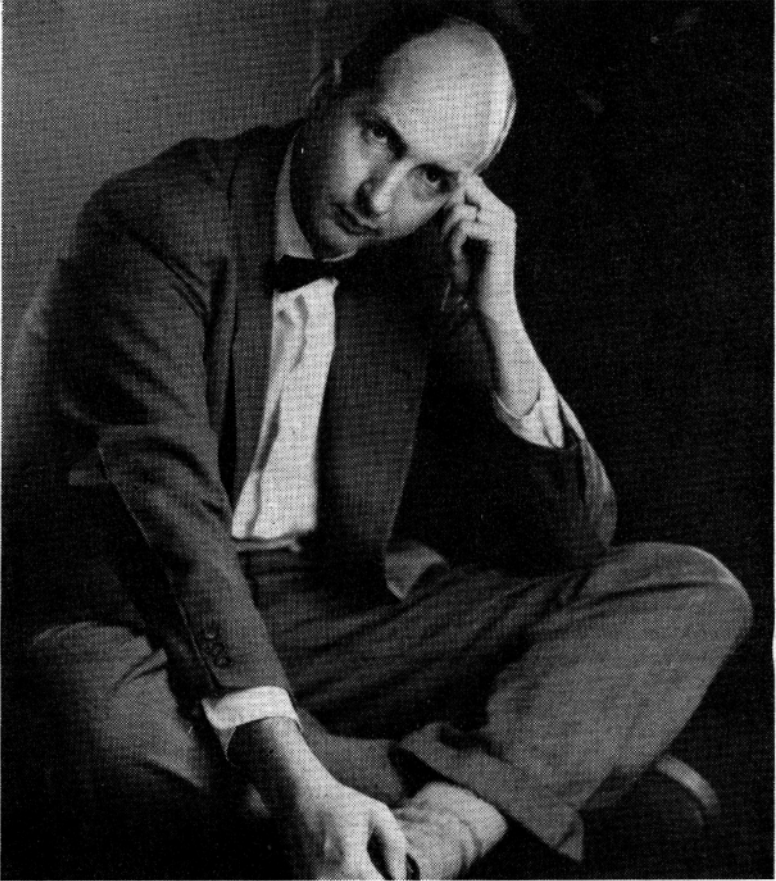
# Photography. and Art Combined by Hattersley

Art and photography have been successfully combined in the career of Ralph M. Hattersley, Jr., the subject of this month's faculty profile. An instructor in RIT's Dept. of Photography for the past eight years, Mr. Hattersley has become a familiar figure to students in both the Photo Dept. and the Art Dept. as well as the rest of the school, through his courses in Creative Illustration, Photographic Design and Communication, and the special Photography course keyed to the needs of Art students.

Mr. Hattersley hails from Conrad, Montana, a wonderful little town with a population of approximately 2,000 people. After high school, Mr. Hattersley spent a year at the University of Washington in Seattle as an art major. In 1941, he went to Montana State College for further art study, and after two years he entered the Navy as an Aviation Cadet.

After a futile struggle to fit his tall rugged frame into the confines of the naval plane cockpits, a "slight disagreement" led to his reclassification in 1943 as an enlisted man, and his subsequent entry into Gunnery Officers School.

In 1944, he was transferred to Photography School at Pensacola, Florida. It was here that he received his first professional training in photographic techniques,



Ralph M. Hattersley

although his interest in photography stems back to his high school days. After finishing his training at Pensacola, he was then sent to the Atlantic Fleet Camera Party, and spent most of his time in Trinidad. To quote his own words, he remarked, "Except for the flying business, I enjoyed the navy very much."

He received his Naval discharge in February 1946, and the following April, he married pretty blonde Mitzi Myers, a college student from Great Falls, Montana. They met at his brother's wedding. They are now living at 55 Kimbark Road in Brighton, and have three active youngsters, Cleve, 7; Greg, 5; and Lissa Ann, 3.

In the fall of 1946, Mr. Hattersley came to RIT and registered in the Photography Dept. for the two year diploma program. After receiving his degree, he returned the following year for study in the Dept. of Art, and also to teach part time in the Photo. Dept. In 1949, he became a full time instructor in that department and has been a successful teacher of creative photography ever since. Never one to follow strict rules and orthodox principles to any high degree, here is his own statement concerning what the ideal student should be :

"I think the student's primary objectives should be to learn some of the facts in his field of specialization, and to build the foundations for understanding what he means when he says something and what others mean when they say something."

When he is not immersed in his work, he enjoys a variety of hobbies including ceramic sculpture, cartooning, oil painting, and fishing. His paintings have hung in several exhibitions in Great Falls, Montana. An unusual and interesting sidelight of his favorite sport (fishing) is his interest in eating all kinds of odd fish, such as shark, barracuda, etc.

His plans for the future are aimed at a Master's Degree in Educational Philosophy from the University of Chicago. He attended summer sessions there in 1952 and 1953 for courses in Educational Psychology, and hopes to return to these summer sessions for his master's degree in the near future. Other than this, he plans to go right on teaching and inspiring the creative abilities of future artist and photographers right here at RIT.

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## Miss Hogadone Touring Europe

Miss Edwina Hogadone, Retailing Department Head, left May 7, via Scandanavian Airlines, to spend several weeks visiting various European countries including Denmark, Norway, Germany, and Switzerland.

The purpose of this trip abroad is to visit the European Zonta Clubs, of which Miss Hogadone is the immediate past president. The Zonta International is a clas-sified service organization of business executives and profes-sional women of good character and reputation who devote much of their time to the business or profession in which they are gainfully employed.

While visiting abroad, Miss Hogadone plans to visit various stores to see and study their operation.

## Mr. Archibald Speaks to MSA

On Tuesday, April 21, mem-bers of the Mechanical Students Association heard V. W. Archi-bald speaks on a subject con-cerning heat exchangers and oil separators in modern refriger-ation.

Using slides, Mr. Archibald outlined the progress that has been made in the commercial refrigeration field to make cool-ing units more compact and ef-ficient. At the conclusion of the talk the speaker answered ques-tions and discussed the various phases of the refrigeration indus-try with the students.

Mr. Archibald is the eastern sales manager for the Temporite Products Corp., of Birmingham, Michigan.

# Baseball Team Beaten By U of B; Topples Paul Smith, Potsdam State

The University of Buffalo soundly beat the RIT base-ball team for the second time in two weeks by the over-whelming score of 23-1, Saturday, May 7.

Buffalo got away to a flying start as they combined four stolen bases and two Tech errors to score two runs in the first inning. RIT's Ralph Van Peursem bobbled a ground ball batted by the first man up for Buffalo who Then stole second base and moved to third on another Tech error. A passed ball by Dick Anderson permitted the first run to cross the plate and then the second came over as a Buffalo man stole home plate.

Buffalo pilfered eight bases during the course of the game and profited by ten Tech errors. The Bisons also rapped out 18 base hits including four doubles and one triple as they rode over the Techmen.

RIT banged out only four base hits and scored one run. The Techmen scored their only run in the third inning on a Buffalo

were scored, the RIT baseball team fell victims to Geneseo State, 20-19, Friday, May 6.

RIT started off slow, unable to score in the first six innings, while being belted by Geneseo for 20 markers. Ten of Geneseo's runs came in the first inning as they routed Paul Dickenson and Harry Barnes from the mound. Frank Silkman, RIT's leading batter, provided the Techman with a seven inning relief pitch-ing job in addition to banging out a double in the five-run ninth inning.

### RIT Whips Potsdam

RIT banged out 10 base hits to beat Potsdam State by the score of 15-6, at Genesee Valley Park, Wednesday, May 4.

Frank Silkman led the Tech attack by rapping the Potsdam pitching staff for five base hits in six at bats. Silkman pounded out four singles and one triple to up his batting average to .666.

RIT got off to a fast start scoring five runs in the first in-ning on three walks, three Pots-dam errors and a wild pitch. They scored another in the third, six in the fifth inning, one in the sixth and two more in the ninth .and final inning.

Pitching for the Techmen 'was George Hodridge who went the complete nine innings.

**Tech Beats Paul Smith's**

A ninth inning double by Frank Silkman scored two runs and enabled RIT to win their first home game over Paul Smith's College by the score of 16-15, Saturday, April 30.

Silkman's big blow was struck after RIT had come from behind trailing Paul Smith's 14-9 in the bottom of the eighth inning. Jim



Frank Silkman

Chappel started off the big ninth inning via a walk and a steal of second, then Mike Durkot hit a double with Chappel stopping at third. Ralph Van Peursem was intentionally walked to set up the double play, but the Paul Smith strategy backfired as Silkman stepped up and slammed the first pitch far over the heads of the Paul Smith's outfielders.

George Holdridge, gunning for his first win of the year, pitched the last three innings of the game. Holdridge struck out the last three men to face him before RIT scored the winning run.

## Tennis- Team Drops Opener

Opening their 1955 season against Brockport State Teachers College, at Brockport on Satur-day April 30, the Techmen suf-fered their first setback by a score of 5 1/2 and 31/2.


RIT winners of single matches included Ed Meyers, 6-1, 6-4; Roger Ault, 7-5, 4-6, 6-4. In dou-bles; Ed Meyers and Dick Shar-gel scored 5-7, 6-1, 6-2 victories, as Wheatly and Parker went on to tie.

No longer having the facilities of the Fitzhugh Street Courts, Coach Bill Toporcer's team now hold practice sessions at the Colgate-Rochester Divinity School courts.

Next year more matches are anticipated as Coach Toporcer's team initiates home matches at the new Livingston Street gym.

## RIT Band Gives First Concert

The newly-organized RIT Band presented its first formal concert last Friday, May 6 in the East-man Auditorium. Among the se-lections played were the "Then-dara Overture," "Choral and Overture," "Lassus Trombone," "Marcho Poco," and the "Stars and Stripes March." Phillip Erb-land played "The Trumpeter's Lullaby," a trumpet solo, and John Garland, Dick Clark and Phillip Erbland formed a cornet trio to play "Triplicity."



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George Holdridge

error and a ground ball that per-mitted George Holdridge to come home on a fielder's choice.

Tech's big guns were silent as only Ralph Van Peursem, Mike Durkot and Fred Moss registered four hits. Frank Silkman, who entered the game batting at a .666 clip, went 0 for 5 for the afternoon.

Holdridge strated on the mound for RIT, but gave way to Tony Lipani after the third inning. George's arm seemed to still be tired from Wednesday's stint against Potsdam when he went the full nine innings.

**Geneseo Tops Techmen**

Despite a power-packed last three innings in which 19 runs

## Staff Members Attend Meeting

Alfred A. Johns, Director of Student Personel; Alfred Davis, Director of Public Relations; and Lawrence Lipsett, Director of the Counseling Center, attended the meeting of the New York State Counselors Association that was held May 5-7 in Albany. The ob-ject of the convention was to keep the counselors in touch with new developments in their field and to relate high school coun-seling to college level work.

## '55 Seniors Meet Before Convocation To Rehearse



Dean Leo F. Smith addresses the senior students who are preparing for their convocation. Dean Smith outlined the two day program which will include an early morning rehearsal today, the convocation exercises at the Central Presbyterian Church tomorrow and a tour of the Institute facilities after the convocation ceremonies.

Your contributions to Keep Up With the Alumni are wanted. Especially needed are photos. Address contri-butions: c/o Mr. Burton E. Stratton, Evening Division.

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## Council Notes

In recent weeks, several issues of major importance have been acted upon by Council. These issues deal with limiting the use of the Student Association parking lot to upperclassmen, and the changing of the Student Association fee.

### Parking Lot

Student Council members felt that the elimination of freshmen cars from the school parking lot would partially help to solve the parking problem that has plagued the Institute during the present school year. With this thought in mind, a motion was passed to the effect that Student Council, and the Institute, would offer no guarantee to freshmen to make available Student Association parking facilities during the 1955-56 school year.

Those students to be affected by this motion will be those students who are so designated by their respective departments as freshmen.

It should be pointed out that this action will in no way entirely eliminate the congested parking situation that has been in evidence in the school area this year. It is, however, as stated by Mr. Alfred Johns, Director of Student Personnel, "a step in the right direction." "Some step must be taken and this seems to be as satisfactory a solution as any," Mr. Johns further stated.

### Student Association Fee

A \$1 increase in the Student Association fee from \$25 to \$26 has been approved for the 1955-56 school year. The new amount of \$26 is to be collected in two equal installments of \$13 each during the first two quarters that a student is in school.

This means that for full-time students the amounts will be collected in the fall and winter quarters and collection for block students will occur during the fall and spring quarters.

An increase in the Student Association fee to \$10 per quarter had been advocated, but Council felt that such an increase was unwarranted. The present increase in the fee was made due to the increasing number of clubs and organizations that are expected to ask for appropriations during the next school year, and also as a means of simplifying the bookkeeping connected with the collection of the fee.

### SC Gets New Office

Student Council has recently acquired a new "home" as a result of a change of offices in

Clark Union. The Council office is now located in a room that is just off the main lounge. This space had been unused previously. By making this switch in office space, another comparatively large room has been made available in Clark Union for meetings of various organizations.

The annual banquet for Student Council members is slated to be held on Tuesday evening, May 17.



Coffee break! Bernie Boston and Carl Chiarenza enjoy that refreshing pause (10 minutes and no longer) that is dear to the heart of every coffee drinker. This happy throng of guzzlers can be located any mid-morning at the local coffee shop.

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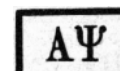
Eastman Assembly Hall will be the scene of the Choraliers third annual spring concert on Friday evening, May 13 at 8 p.m. Under the direction of Dr. Phillip Kaufman the Choraliers will present as a feature selections from the "Pirates of Penzance," a light opera by Gilbert and Sullivan.

Many other wonderful numbers will be presented.



RIT Choraliers conduct final practice sessions before the annual Spring Concert to be held tonight. Dr. Phillip Kaufman (extreme left) leading. (C. Allen Photo)

## Greek Talk



The members of Alpha Psi were glad to see that the "Big Blast" at Bay View on May 1st turned out to be such a success. Everyone who attended had a tremendous time.

As this will be almost the last chance to wish everyone a happy summer, we take this opportunity to wish everybody good luck on their exams and we'll be looking forward to seeing all of you back next fall. Alpha Psi would also like to take this opportunity to thank our President for the fine job she did for us this past year, and good luck to all other members who will be leaving RIT. Two of our members Joan Robinson and Carol Kehoe will be married shortly after their completion of school. The members of Alpha Psi wish you every happiness.

## Students Visit Textile Center

A group of students from the Weaving and Textile Printing division of the School of American Craftsmen, RIT, recently visited many of the establishments in New York City which are akin to their studies here at RIT. On this trip which extended from April 12 to 16, the students visited some of the finer furniture, textile, weaving and silk screen concerns to be found in the entire country.

A highlight of the visit was a guided tour of Scalmandri Silks Inc., outstanding in the field of textile manufacturers and interior decorating. The students, accompanied by Karl Laurell instructor of Weaving and Design at the School of American Craftsmen, also toured Dan Cooper Company a silk screen, hand weaving, and textile concern.

Other tours included: America House, the outlet for all the products made by the students of all departments of the School of American Craftsmen; Dorothy Liebes, noted designer, interior decorator, and hand weaver, the Museum of Modern Art; and the Metropolitan Museum of Art.

Pleasure was not overlooked completely, as the group visited the Statue of Liberty on Bedloes Island, Rockefeller Plaza, National Broadcasting Company radio and television studios, and Greenwich Village, art center of New York.

## Ellingson Comments . . .

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pected to inaugurate such a program by the fall of 1955.

There will be several definite changes about the Institute which will greet students returning for the 1955-56 school year. The two gymnasiums in the Eastman Annex will be converted into approximately six classrooms to meet the ever-pressing demand for more classroom instructional space. Also contemplated is the establishment of a Snack Bar somewhere in one of the Institute buildings.

In discussing convocation procedures, Dr. Ellingson remarked that the convocation ceremonies here at RIT have always been held a little early so as to avoid conflicts with similar programs of other area institutions.

In concluding the discussion, Dr. Ellingson commended Student Council for the fine, constructive job that they have carried on throughout the current school year.

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## Forensic Society To Make Debut

A newly-formed organization on Campus is the Forensic Society, which has been meeting quietly for the past quarter. Representing seven of the Institute's departments, the sixteen members have accomplished a great deal in bringing new prestige to RIT with the formation of two debating teams. They will participate in inter-varsity debates with 17 other schools all within a 75 mile radius of RIT.

Under the advisorship of Joseph Fitzpatrick, the work this quarter has been concentrated on developing the verbal facility and capacity of the participants as well as the argumentative ability. They hope to begin their debates sometime during the first quarter of next year, after the National Debate topic is chosen by the National Council of Speech Teachers.

A constitutional committee has been appointed, and is in the process of drafting a constitution. Interested students are invited to contact Mr. Fitzpatrick in the General Education Division office.

To date, both teams consist of male participants only, as a mixed team would involve traveling difficulties when out of town. The group is in hopes of beginning a women's team next year. Practice sessions are held every Thursday noon in E248, and interested students will be welcomed.

## Christensen Work Wins Wichita Award

Hans Christensen, instructor in metalsmithing at the School for American Craftsmen, was awarded two of the three prizes offered in silversmithing at the current Decorative Arts and Ceramics Exhibition of the Wichita Art Association. The Special Award of a silver plate with 24 kt. gold inlay designed and awarded by Leo Brom, international silversmith- of Utrecht, Netherlands, was given to Christensen for the best group of silversmithing which included three pieces. The \$100 First Prize, offered by Handy and Harman of New York City, was won by his silver teapot.

Eleven students and faculty members of the School for American Craftsmen were among the 150 exhibitors at the Wichita Exhibition: Ruth Currey '48, Marilyn Fox '54, Joy Lind Noble (former instructor in weaving) John J. O'Leary '51, Joan J. Pearson '52, Olin L. Russum (former instructor in ceramics) and Alfred H. Wardle '54.

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# Keeping Up With Institute Alumni

Class of 1931

Albert R. Coleman (Elec) is now Divisional Chief Engineer of the Clyde Division of the Whirlpool Corp. Clyde, Ohio.

Class of 1934

**Beverly T. Hall** (Mech) is now a field representative for the National Manufacturing Corporation. He lives at 109 Pleasant St., Utica, N. Y. with his wife and two children.

**Fred E. Hall** (Mech) is metallurgist with the Taylor Instrument Company. He lives with his wife and two children at 290 Mt. Airy Drive, Rochester 17, N. Y.

Class of 1935

Retailers are planning a special reunion of their class to be held on Alumni Day. Martha **Randall Shepard** (Ret) is cooperating in plans for the day which include a luncheon at noon in the Powers Hotel. Invitations have been sent to all class members, and a good crowd is expected.

Class of 1940

**James Liccion (P.T.)** who is Graflex district manager in Los Angeles, recently won a company sales contest. As winner of this

contest, he will attend the Paris Exposition.

Class of 1943

Harris Segelin (Art) is filling the position of advertising manager of an industrial manufacturing company in Philadelphia. He and his wife recently purchased a new home in the suburbs of Philadelphia. Free-lance a r t commissions and membership in the Eastern Industrial Advertisers Association make up the balance of a busy schedule for Harris. He would enjoy hearing from some of his former classmates. His address is I629 E. Middleton St., Philadelphia 38.

Class of 1946

William E. Hallatt (Mech) is now a design engineer with the Carborundum Company of Niagara Falls, N. Y. His address is 132 61st St., Niagara Falls, N. Y.

Class of 1948

**Ozzie Arnts (Ph)**, who has long been with the Photo Science Department of Cornell University is leaving to take a position with the Waltz Studio in Canton, Ohio.

Classmates of Willis Sanders (Ph) will be interested in knowing that he is with the Bachrach

Studios in Newton, Mass., and lives at 24 Channing Street.

**Bruce Polden** (Ph) and his lovely wife visited the Institute in Jan. Bruce is a Technical Representative for Eastman Kodak Co., with a very large territory to cover in Western Canada.

Carlyle Chamberlain (Elec) visited the Institute recently. Carlyle is at present installing a hydroelectric generating unit on the Racquett River in Northern New York as Engineer in the Service Department at General Electric Company. Carlyle has his permanent home in Webster, New York.

William Moss (Elec) is now working for the Oceanographic Institution at Woods Hole, Mass. He is now on the ketch "Atlantis" on a scientific expedition through the West Indies and Virgin Islands.

William recently made revision of Section V of the Standard Handbook for Electrical Engineers.

A recent visitor to RIT was **Caroline Davis** Simonson (Ret). She participated in a recent fashion show in Charleston, S.C., and was the subject of a feature article in the evening paper which described her interest in sewing and interior decoration . . . knowledge which she gained in her days at RIT.

Barbara Burroughs **Hults** (Ret) and her husband have moved into a new home in Livingston, N.J., at 30 East Drive. This home is complete with swimming pool which may be welcome news to alumni living in that area.

Edward **H. Owen** (Pr) recently joined the staff of Printing Magazine as Associate Editor. Ed is married and has a son, Jeffrey. He was assistant editor of Printing Equipment Engineer for 6 years prior to his new post. The Owens address is 169 Hardenbrough Ave., Demorest, N. J.

**Robert M. Waples** (Pr) left the staff of Printing Magazine to join the staff of Stecher-Traung Lithographing Corp., Rochester, N.Y.

**Steven Hrcirek** (Art) holds the position of Art Production Director with Williamson Associates here in Rochester. Steve writes: "I have a very pretty wife, Marilyn, 2 wonderful daughters, Patricia and Bonnie Lee. Who could ask for anything more!" We agree!!!

Shirley Carrier White (Mrs. John N.) (Art) holds the position of Greeting Card Artist with the Artistic Card Co., Elmira. She and her husband live at 423 West 4th Street.

Class of 1949

**Rosalie Merrill** (Ret) was married Saturday, Jan. 29 to Robert Rebhan. They will reside at 120 Shelbourne Rd., in Rochester.

**Alfred J. Norman** would like to hear from some of the 1949 grads. His address is 134 Merrill St., Rochester 15. Al is associated with the Empire Outdoor Advertising Company.

**Eleanor Sutherland Reynolds** (Mrs. R. Robert) (Art) bought a home at 522 Liberty St., Penn Yan, where she is now living with her husband and three sons, Parker, 4-1/2, Marshall, 2 and Kristian 9 months.

Ralph **H. Maier** (Art) has been in Washington for the past three and a half years. He worked for the government for 2-1/2 years of this time, Navy and Air Force. His present position is with a printing and publishing house, Ramsdell, Inc.

Last Aug. 21, Ruth **E. Rinker** (Art) became the bride of Donald O. Peterson of Buffalo, N. Y. in a ceremony in St. Matthew's Lutheran Church. Our very best wishes to the young couple. Ruth has been art teacher at the Rochester School for the Deaf since her graduation from RIT.

It is always good to hear from "old grads" and Norman **B. Biggart** (Ph) is no exception. Norm is photographic technician with Edgerton, Germeshausen and

Grier, Inc., which specializes in electronic and photographic research. He lives at 65A Dana St., Cambridge 38, Mass. Let us hear from you again Norm!

**Bob Reynolds** (Pr) formerly assistant to the plant manager of the Standard Publishing Company of Cincinnati is now General Plant Manager of the Roessler Brothers, Printers and Publishers, of the same city. His home address is 215 Farragut Rd., Green Hills, Cincinnati 18.

**Joyce Bailey** Coppola (Mrs. Vincent G.) (Art) has been married seven years and is the proud mother of two boys, Chris, age 6 and Larry, age 3. She hopes to continue in the art field as soon as time permits, for she still has great interest in ceramics and wood sculpture particularly.

Class of 1950

Vitaly V. Uzoff (Ph), the father of a new 6 lb. baby girl named Angela Liana, has recently received an army reserve commission as a 2nd Lieutenant in the Signal Corps and will serve as Signal Officer in the 100th Signal Co. of the 100th Infantry Reserve Division, Louisville. Vitaly is working in the movie department of the Reynolds Metals Company in Richmond, Virginia.

We learn through Joan Heatherley and Joan Foss that Nancy Darrow (Art) is now Mrs. John Tighe and is making her home in Boston. Our best wishes to you, Nancy!

Thomas Liotta (Art) now handles layouts, illustrations, lettering, cartoons and general art work with the Hutchins Advertising Agency here in Rochester. He has been in the Hutchins art department for over two years.

**Glen Powers** (Ph) is the Technical Representative for the Dupont Corporation with headquarters in Jackson, Miss. Glen, like several others, is thinking of returning to the Institute to study toward his B.S. degree.

Ralph Houck (Ph), is the technical representative in a territory in North Carolina, South Carolina, and Virginia for the Eastman Kodak Company. Before going out on the road, Houck was a technician in the Color Technology Division at Kodak Park. His career began a t Eastman Kodak in 1950.

The **Entwistles, Bob and Edith**, (Ph) are again the proud parents

## New York Alumni To Form Chapter

On Tuesday, April 19, 1955 a group of RIT Alumni met for lunch at the New York City Community College in Brooklyn, N.Y. to initiate plans for an alumni group in the metropolitan area. The territory covered by this group will include the New York and Long Island area, as well as Staten Island, New Jersey, Connecticut, and eastern Pennsylvania.

All present were enthusiastic over the idea of forming the new chapter, and an organizational meeting will be held at New York City Community College, 300 Pearl St., Brooklyn 1, N.Y. on Friday, June 3, 1955 at 8 p.m.

of a daughter who was born on Nov. 14. They are at home at 3 Burke Terrace, Rochester.

We received notice that Allen Lawrence (Ph) has recently been employed by Stanolind Oil and Gas Co. as apprentice draftsman. His address is P. O. Drawer 1980, Corpus Christi, Texas.

One of the recent inquiries about the B.S. program was from Joseph Armstrong (Ph). Joe is currently with the USAF and expects to be discharged in less than a year. He is now living at 418 N. Magnolia St., Sumter, S. C.

Host at the April luncheon meeting was Dr. Otto Klitgord, president of the college. Others attending were the following Electrical graduates: Kenneth Tayer '30; Reginald Penfield '30; Paul Ellis '29; Harold Peterson '29; Harold Morse '29; W. F. Plotts '35; Walter Hasselwander '27; L. M. Bellinger '29; Clyde U. Fosmire '26; and Charles Colacino '29.

Acting chairman of the group is Clyde U. Fosmire, and temporary secretary is Lewis M. Bellinger. Any correspondence to this group may be addressed to Mr. Bellinger at 300 First Avenue, New York 9, New York. All RIT alumni in that vicinity are cordially invited to attend.

Congratulations are in order for Morris Miller (Ph) and his wife on the birth of Morris Rex on Jan. 28. Morris is living at 1528 Cone St., Toledo 6, Ohio.

It was nice to have Charles Shepard (Ph) drop in for a chat a few weeks ago. Charlie is with the Sylvania Electric Products, representing their Photolamp Dept. in New England.

Congratulations to Alvin Cronik (Ph) who recently received his BS degree from the University of Houston. Al is back in New Bedford, but does not yet know what his future plans are. Good luck!

Kenneth Grover (Mech) is now employed by the Carrier Corporation of Syracuse, N. Y. as an engineer in the Construction and Service Department. Ken had previously been a service engineer with Clark Brothers of Olean, N. Y. His address is 117 Mary St., North Syracuse, N. Y.

A daughter, Wendy, was born to Mr. and Mrs. John B. Wait on March 7. Mr. Wait (Ret) is furniture buyer at Rothschilds, Ithaca, N.Y. and resides in Watkins Glen, N.Y.

**Edward W. Boutelle, Jr.** (Art) holds the position of Technical Visualizer with General Electric Company, Schenectady. His family consists of one boy and one girl. After a year and a half with the Direct mail advertising firm in Schenectady, he started with General Electric where he works (Continued on Page 8)

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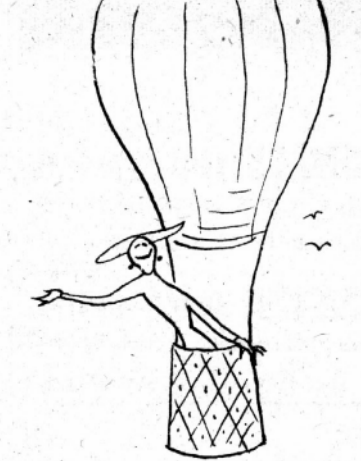
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on technical publications, sales proposals covering company equipment and government projects.

**Charlotte Florescue** (Art) is now Mrs. Jack Firkser, living in Cincinnati, Ohio at 1783 Yorktown Road. Our best wishes, Charlotte.

### Class of 1951

**John Simpson** (Art) has had an addition to the family, a son, whom he has named Scott. John is working as a detail draftsman with A. O. Smith-Rochester Works. Our congratulations to the parents and best wishes to little Scott.

**Jean Brewer Armstrong** (Mrs. Joseph T. Jr.) (Art) writes that she and her young daughter are living with her parents in Geneva while her husband is completing his service in Germany with the Air Force. By the way, her husband is a graduate of the Photography Department, class of 1950.

**John M. Carney** (Mech) is in military service and is now stationed at Johnstown, Penna.

**Calvin Bailey** (Elec) is now serving as an electronics technician in the Navy and is stationed on the USS "Paiute" (ATF-159) Box F, Rodman, Canal Zone. Calvin writes that he would like to continue his education at RIT for the Bachelor of Science degree as soon as his service in the Navy has been completed.

**Charles M. Blanken** (Pr) is serving as Production Manager for the Intelligencer Printing Company, in Lancaster, Penna., and is a member of the Board of Governors of the new Harrisburg Club of Printing House Craftsmen. Present address 122 Cocoa Avenue.

**James D. Nims** holds the position of Manager of the Service Catalog Department, Sealright Co., Fulton, N. Y. He has entered the field of technical illustration which he feels has great possibilities for him.

Word has been received from **Bernard Weis** (Art) that he is back in Rochester after serving two years at Fort Jackson, being discharged as a Sergeant. He is now working at Great Lakes Press as a process artist, correcting color separations for lithographic reproduction.

**John M. Fladd** (Art) is doing well for himself as a freelance artist in display and signs. He, his wife and youngster are living in a new home at 218 Colonial Drive, Webster, N. Y.

We learned that **Andrew Stasky** (Art) is stationed in Korea, having enlisted in the U.S.A.F. shortly after graduation. He worked with Combat Intelligence Public Information Office, Photo-Recon-Outfits, flying recon-and-observation missions over enemy territory, plotting and making sketches on photos and maps. He flew 17 missions in Korea, and received the Commendation Medal. He arrived at Pope A.F.B. in July 1953 where he set up an

art department and a Central Advertising and Publicity Office for the Base, Fort Bragg, N. C.

### Class of 1952

Another alumnus not heard from in a long time is **Boyd Reynolds** (Ph) who was inquiring recently about the four-year program. Boyd is now living at 807 N. Stiles St., Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

**Fred Rapell** (Ph), was a professional technical representative for Eastman Kodak before transferring to the Photofinisher and School Sales Division. A Kodaker since 1950, Fred's now in eastern Pennsylvania.

**Joan E. Mayer** (Art) became the bride of Ronald Wendell last August. We extend our very best wishes to the young couple.

### Class of 1953

**John G. Hagen** (Mech) owns and operates Hagen's Greenhouse in Hudson Falls, N. Y. He is married and has three boys. He has recently been president of the Warren Washington County Florists Association and vice-president of the Hudson Falls Rotary Club.

**Jesse Millet** (Ph) and his wife were recent visitors at the In-

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stitute. Jesse is working for the Research Laboratories with General Electric in Schenectady, N.Y.

**Janet Bon** (Art) is House Director at Cutler Union Dormitory in addition to her position as art teacher at Charlotte High School. Janet took an Art history study lecture tour through Europe last summer.

From Japan comes word that **Adrian V. Prince** (Ph) is now taking pictures in Japan and working at the same time for Uncle Sam. He finds the assignment very enjoyable.

Congratulations to **William Kroll** (Ph) who is replacing Ozzie Arnts in the Photo Science Department, Cornell University.

**Pfc. David F. White**, US 51291048, Antilles Photo Lab, APO 851, New York, N. Y. writes us

from Puerto Rico where he is working in a photo lab getting all types of assignments which make it interesting.

**Ellen M. Eggleton** (Pr) has left for Europe where she plans to make an extended tour, with the possibility of some further study or experience in the Graphic Arts.

### Class of 1954

**Marilyn Boucher** (Ret) has recently announced her engagement to Richard Mills '55. At present, Marilyn is assistant buyer for E.W. Edwards & Son, Rochester.

**Laura Thompson Fuller** (Ret) has written us recently from St. Louis where she and her husband reside at 5360 Alfred Ave. Laura is assistant buyer for Scruggs, Vandervort and Barney

**Bob Kersjes** (Ph) visited the Institute while on a business trip for the Lithochrome Corporation of Erie, Penna. He is their three-color offset cameraman. Bob expects to get married next month to Ester Hartman from his home town of Grand Rapids, Mich.

**Marilyn Nelson** (Ret) has returned to Rochester and is presently employed by McCurdy and company in the advertising department.

Had a letter from **Frances Howcroft** (Art) informing us of her marriage on Feb. 12 to Renald Dembs. The young couple are making their home at 116 Woodruff St., Watertown, N. Y. Our best wishes are extended to them.

**Bernard Wandersee** (Art) was married the 29th of Jan. to Nancy Lenheim. Our congratulations to you "Bernie"!



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