

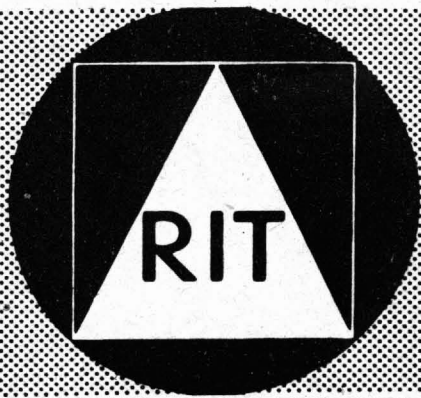
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First Reorganization Plan Defeated by Student Council

With one reorganization plan still under discussion, Student Council last Monday, April 27, defeated a motion to reorganize itself along class, rather than departmental lines.

Still under consideration is the plan sponsored by Bob Kohler, Kay Finley and Art Pavelle, calling for a strict parliamentary system of running Council. It would allow the organization of the "government" by winning candidates in school-wide elections, and "opposition" by the defeated party. In this way, the president would be able to take part in discussion and action on the floor of Council.

The main area of argument between factions supporting the two plans lay with representation by year groups versus representation by departments, as it is now done.

Discussion on the defeated motion took the form of a formal debate, the type of procedure that will be followed if the proposal presently being considered is accepted. Six speakers for the affirmative and six for the negative were allowed to talk on the motion for periods of three, two and one minutes.

Speaking for Jack Lloyd, the

originator of the motion who was unable to attend the meeting, Fred Guevara (Photo 3), presented the plan. He stated, "A smaller Council is what we have been striving for—one that will be more efficient. The epitome of efficiency is a dictatorship, but since we can't have this, we can have a smaller group that will be able to get the work done."

Kohler was the main speaker against the motion. His arguments centered around the statement that the purpose of Council is to teach students to think, and that the parliamentary system he advocated would increase the necessity to think out arguments before they were made in the Council.

He also stated, "This school is built on a departmental basis. Just because they're third year students doesn't mean a photographer and a chemist will think alike. The smaller we get, the closer we get toward a dictatorship."

Other speakers, four more for each affirmative and negative followed. After the formal debate, the floor was open to discussion from all members of Student Council.

School Announces Convocation Plans

Plans have been made to hold this year's convocation exercises in the War Memorial. The program will commence at 10:30 a.m., Saturday, May 23. Mr. Leston Faneuf, Chairman of the Board and President of Bell Aircraft Corporation of Buffalo will address the graduating class.

Rehearsal for participants will be at nine o'clock on Friday, May 22.

A buffet luncheon following the program will be held for students and their guests. This will take the place of the banquet that has been held in the previous years. The location of the luncheon will be announced at a later date.

Exhibits will be on display in several of the departments from 1:30 to 4:30 on Sunday, May 24.

This year will mark the institution of graduation with honors at RIT. Students will be graduated with honors if they have maintained a required cumulative grade-point average through the Winter Quarter of their final year in either the Associate or Baccalaureate programs. Those graduated with honors must have a minimum grade point of 3.25. High honors will require a 3.50 average. To receive highest honors a student must have at least a 3.75 average.

Parade to Start Weekend; Concert to Provide Climax

Mel Gross

"Seven months of work are now behind us. Many new ideas have been originated and I feel confident that everyone will have an enjoyable weekend," Bud Lockwood, chairman of the Spring Weekend committee, remarked.

Classes will terminate today at twelve noon, when a parade inaugurates Spring Weekend. The parade will form on Livingston Park at noon and Lockwood and his committee request that all cars be kept off of Spring Street between Plymouth and Washington. This also applies to Livingston Park during the hours of the parade and skits.

The parade which will start at 12:30, will include more than ten floats from school organizations. To add a note of music to the parade, the Holley Central High School Band will march. This band recently was judged third in the state in the annual New York State competition.

Starting on Livingston Park, the parade will proceed west on Spring Street, north on Clarissa, east on Broad, south on Plymouth, west on Troup, north on Washington, and east on Spring to the Quad.

At this time the parade will disband and each organization

will put on a skit to advertise its booth at the carnival tonight. A stand has been constructed across Spring Street to act as a stage for the skits.

Rollie Shoemaker and John Absalom will act as masters of ceremonies for these events. The highlights of this afternoon's program are the presentation of the Mr. Campus candidates and the awarding of the Spring Weekend permanent trophy to Phi Upsilon sorority. PUP will retain permanent possession "because it has won the trophy three years in a row. "Once Upon a Time" is the theme for this afternoon's festivities.

Tonight students may take a "Wonderland Journey" as that is the title of the carnival. From 8 to 11:30 the carnival will be in full swing. Spring Weekend money will be sold all night. A portable Hi-Fi will be presented as a door prize by the Alumni Association.

Elliot Lawrence and his band will play dance music for all couples tomorrow night at an "Enchanted Evening." Held in the gym, the dance will start at 9 p.m. and will end at 1 a.m. Decorations will be in shades of blue and olive green. Another new addition this year is the purchase of a false ceiling for the gymnasium. This will add atmosphere to the dance.

Voting for Mr. Campus will climax the evening. Ticket stubs will serve as ballots. Jack Lloyd, the recently elected president of Student Association, will present the Mr. Campus award.

"Happily Ever After," is the mood one may be in after Sunday afternoon's program. From 2 to 5 p.m. Elliot Lawrence and his band plus Abbe Lincoln and her trio will present a jazz concert. At this time the outdoor advertising trophy will be presented by the Alumni Association. The Spring Weekend Trophy for this year will be awarded at this time.

Many people have worked for many months to make this year's weekend a success. Committees and their chairmen are: Music, Bob Grunzinger; Printing, Ben Goldberg and Bob Levy; Arrangements, Jim Closser and Linda Marz; Publicity, John Fitzgerald; Favors, Jan Carlson; Finances, Ann Herbert; Mr. Campus, Esther Mack; in charge of Friday afternoon, Bill Hughs; in charge of Friday evening, Dick Bojanowski; Saturday evening, Morris Kirchoff; Sunday afternoon, Don Reicks; Assistant Chairman, Sue Joyce; and Chairman, Bud Lockwood.

Four Candidates Vie For Mr. Campus Title

As a highlight to the Saturday evening dance of Spring Weekend, this year's Mr. Campus will be announced.

This climaxes the weeks of campaigning by campus sororities and the girl's dorm for their respective candidates.

Students attending the dance will receive the opportunity to cast their vote for one of four candidates—Chuck Riter, Don Palladino, Joe Zigadlo, and Bud Lockwood. They are sponsored by: Delta Omicron, Women's Residence Hall, Phi Upsilon Phi, and Alpha Psi respectively.

Chuck Riter is a third year Art and Design Student majoring in advertising design. Chuck was

born in Kenmore, N. Y. Among his activities are varsity basketball, Interfraternity Council, Art School Art Society, Gamma Phi Fraternity, and the Lettermen's Club.

Riter is a Dean's List student, and lists as his hobbies sports and music.

Don Palladino is a second year Business Administration student majoring in accounting. He is from LeRoy, N. Y. Don is a member of the Lettermen's Club and played varsity basketball this year. His hobbies consist of reading and woodworking. He is the candidate of the Woman's Residence Hall.

Joe Zigadlo is a fourth year

Electrical student who hails from Auburn, N. Y. His career ambitions lean toward the teaching profession.

His activities consist of Newman Club, Electrical Students Association, the Student Council Summer Social Division Co-Chairman, Chairman, Election Board of Control, Students Affairs Division Head. He is active as a brother of Kappa Sigma Kappa, and has acted as Secretary, House Chairman and is now President.

His main interests are sports and civic affairs.

He is the candidate of Phi Upsilon Phi.

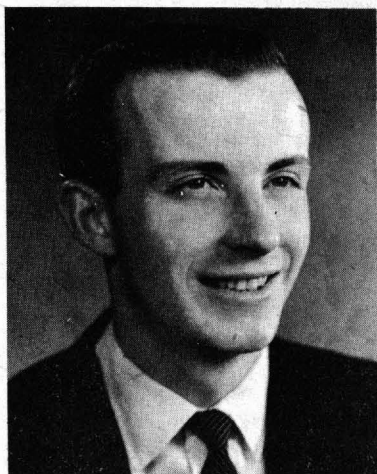
Bud Lockwood is a fourth year

Photography student majoring in Applied Photography. His home is in Wolcott, N. Y. He is a member of Delta Lambda Epsilon. He has been the Chairman of the Social Division of Student Council for two years, and is presently the Public Relations Manager of the Reporter, and 1959 Spring Weekend Chairman.

Bud is a Dean's List student whose hobbies include sports and music.

He is the candidate of Alpha Psi.

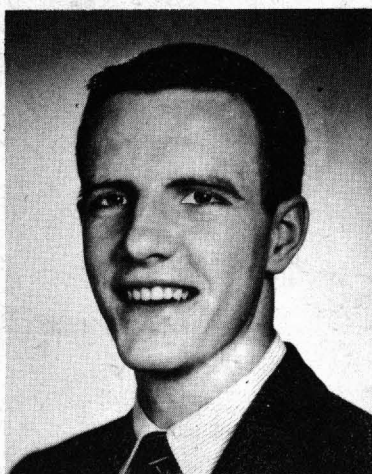
Of the candidates, only one will be chosen Mr. Campus. It is the highest non-academic award presented to an RIT male student.



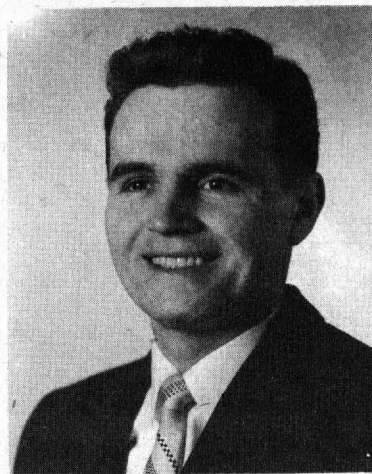
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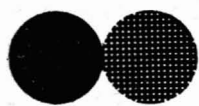
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EDITORIAL

Time to Relax

Every Tiger likes to have a good time. We all enjoy a break from academic pursuits and a trip into the social world. The big weekend for RIT students to play the social role is upon us. Spring has sprung!

Pinocchio, a pink castle, a river boat and a Treasure Island stockade beckon the interested student to get away from it all.

Bud Lockwood and his staff have spared no effort in arranging for what looks like the biggest and best weekend yet. Friday noon the rally, Friday night's carnival, Saturday's dance and Sunday's Jazz festival, all are there for you, the student.

Memo to Somebody

One seldom gets the chance to see true democracy in action. Witness the Student Council meeting of last Monday evening. Theoretically, it could have been an ideal place for putting democracy into effect, but unfortunately, it turned into something more like a three ring circus.

The item under discussion was the reorganization of Student Council—something that cannot be taken lightly—and the method of argument was parliamentary: six affirmative and six negative speakers. The meeting ended in defeat of a motion that would allow Council to form a smaller, more efficient group, and create closer ties between departments.

But the purpose of this editorial is not to discuss the pros and cons of the reorganization of Student Council and the advantages of each proposal, although that is controversial subject. Mainly what has to be said here concerns the way in which the defeat of that first proposal was accomplished.

The first two speakers, Mr. Kohler and Mr. Guevara, were by their own admission, emotional. Mr. Guevara played on the heart-strings of non-debating society members of Council by stating that he was not a debater, and apologizing for the fact. Mr. Kohler relied on an appeal to patriotism. "The smaller we get, the closer we get toward a dictatorship," is a pretty strong statement, especially when unwarranted.

When influential members of Student Council, and leaders of the student body, state, for the record, that their opponents are not thinkers, one begins to wonder if the Viceroy advertisement has really wormed its way that effectively into the minds of Americans.

When they take one statement by an opponent out of context, and twist it to make it repulsive to their listeners (as one speaker did when he turned the statement "a dictatorship is the ideal in efficiency" into an advocacy of Hitlerism by his opponent), the situation is pretty sad. The day when the stigma of "Nazi" or "Communist" can be used indiscriminately to smear one's foes, is the day when integrity is lost, and Nazism and Communism are closest to taking over.

The types of arguments seem to show that the men who spoke were not really practicing what they preached. Instead of making Council members think out the question for themselves, they attempted to push them into decisions based on emotions and prejudice.

Yet, as one of the speakers pointed out, the purpose of Student Council is to teach the members to think. He did not seem to have learned too well.

RIT Groups Charitable

RIT's social organizations deserve a note of praise for their interest in community affairs.

Many times during the past year one group or another has individual or group. Perhaps more important than the material factors are the good-will and cheer they have spread. Very little publicity is given to these services.

Free Ride for Students To End in Near Future; Education Cost Rises

(ACP)—From PIONEER LOG, Lewis and Clark College, Portland, Oregon:

"For years American college students have been getting a long free ride toward their education," says G. K. Hodenfield, the Associated Press education writer.

Today the college student on a nationwide average pays for only one third of his education. The difference is made up in both public and private institutions by the school through state taxes, federal grants, endowment incomes, church support, private gifts, alumni donations and low teacher salaries.

Here are a few facts and figures to explain the situation. Presently there are more than 3,500,000 college students. The combined annual budgets of more than 1800 colleges and universities now run about \$3,000,000,000. By 1970, the total number of students will be 7,000,000 and the budget will go up to at least \$6,000,000,000. In 1956, there were 196,000 full time college teachers; by 1970, 500,000 will be needed. Unfortunately, it is becoming increasingly difficult to recruit new teachers while hanging on to the old. According to Hodenfield, the "free ride" will soon stop and most students and their parents will have to dig deeper into their pockets to pay for the higher costs of education, which in turn means paying for increased faculty salaries and for better facilities for more students.

There are several ways in which colleges and their students may meet the inevitability of a tuition raise.

First, it is a fact that many private scholarship and loan funds are not being used each year. A little investigation in local banks on the part of students may make it possible for them to take advantage of these sources instead of relying on aid from the college. In turn the

FROM HERE TO OBSCURITY



Some Spring Weekend notes . . . Abbie Lincoln will sing Sunday. Elliot Lawrence, who plays both dancing music and listening jazz, will entertain both Saturday Sunday. . . . For an RIT first the parade will be over three blocks long and will include a marching band. John Absalom and Rollie Shoemaker will emcee the stage show following the parade. . . The gym has a brand new \$508 temporary ceiling purchased (from the surplus fund) especially for S. W. . . . other Saturday night novelties will be a new bandstand (thanks to the crafty americans from SAC) and over 100 full-size psuedo-trees.

On The Cover...

Just as one would imagine, put a woman and Spring together and next comes hats. Fourth year art and design student Sue Sokol has brought the Mad Hatter from Wonderland to the cover of this week's Reporter.

(Continued from Center Column) college could use the money for faculty salaries. In the future borrowing for college may become as commonplace as loans for cars and more profitable in the long run.

Second, there is a future possibility of more direct federal loans and scholarships to students or of tax exemptions for students enrolled in private colleges. (Their parents now pay for higher education through the taxes without direct benefits.)

Third, most alumni are unaware that they owe anything to their Alma Mater, largely because colleges in the past, have failed to publicize this debt.

One last word . . . to the Phi Ups who marched so prettily around in their castle guard uniforms . . . you didn't really have to shout for attention . . .

MEMO to WRIT . . . It pays to advertise. Now that sweater weather is gone, my suggestion would be to find a coed who likes fresh air, clothe her in a large orange barrel, and have her carry a sign . . . "I don't have anything on but WRIT!"

Anything for a laugh. . . While going through one of my favorite magazines I came across this masterpiece:

Once upon a time there wuz this guy what razed bulldawgs. At last he had razed the perfect bulldawg. One day he wuz out walking the bulldawg when he met an urchin follered by a mangy yeller mongrel. The bulldawg ambled over to the mongrel and sniffed, as dawgs will.

The mongrel bit off his haid with one fierce snap. Chawmp, Chomp.

The man gazed sadly at the remains of his prize bulldawg. "Son," he said, "just what kind of a dawg would you call that thing?"

"Well," the urchin replied, "Mister, I don't know what you'd call him now, but before I cut his tail off and painted him yeller, he was a alligator."

—U. of Texas "Ranger"

Student Awards To be Presented

On Wednesday, May 13, many students will attend the annual awards dinner to be held at the Colonial Hotel. These students will be representatives of Student Council, Techmila, Forensic Society, RIT Reporter, WRIT, and they will receive this year's awards.

The awards are to be gold keys, silver keys, bronze keys, and certificates, except in the case of the Forensic Society where special awards will be made.

Kay Finley, president of Student Council; Techmila editor Bob Grimm; Mary Alice Bahler and Jack Franks, co-editors of the Reporter; and Bob Miller, the president of WRIT, will be the recipients of the gold keys, the highest award.

The Forensic awards are forensic keys to first year debaters with eleven rounds of intercollegiate debating, plaques to the second year debaters, bookends for the third year group, and desk sets for the fourth year debaters.

The other keys and the certificates go to members of the staffs and officers of the organizations mentioned above, according to the work that they have done for their organization and their position in the organization.

Introductions of the recipients will be by the faculty advisors of the different groups. They include Messrs. Fram, Davis, Fitzpatrick, Sutherland, Rinfret.

Dr. Mark Ellingson, president of the Institute and Mr. Robert F. Belknap, director of student activities have also been invited to attend the banquet.

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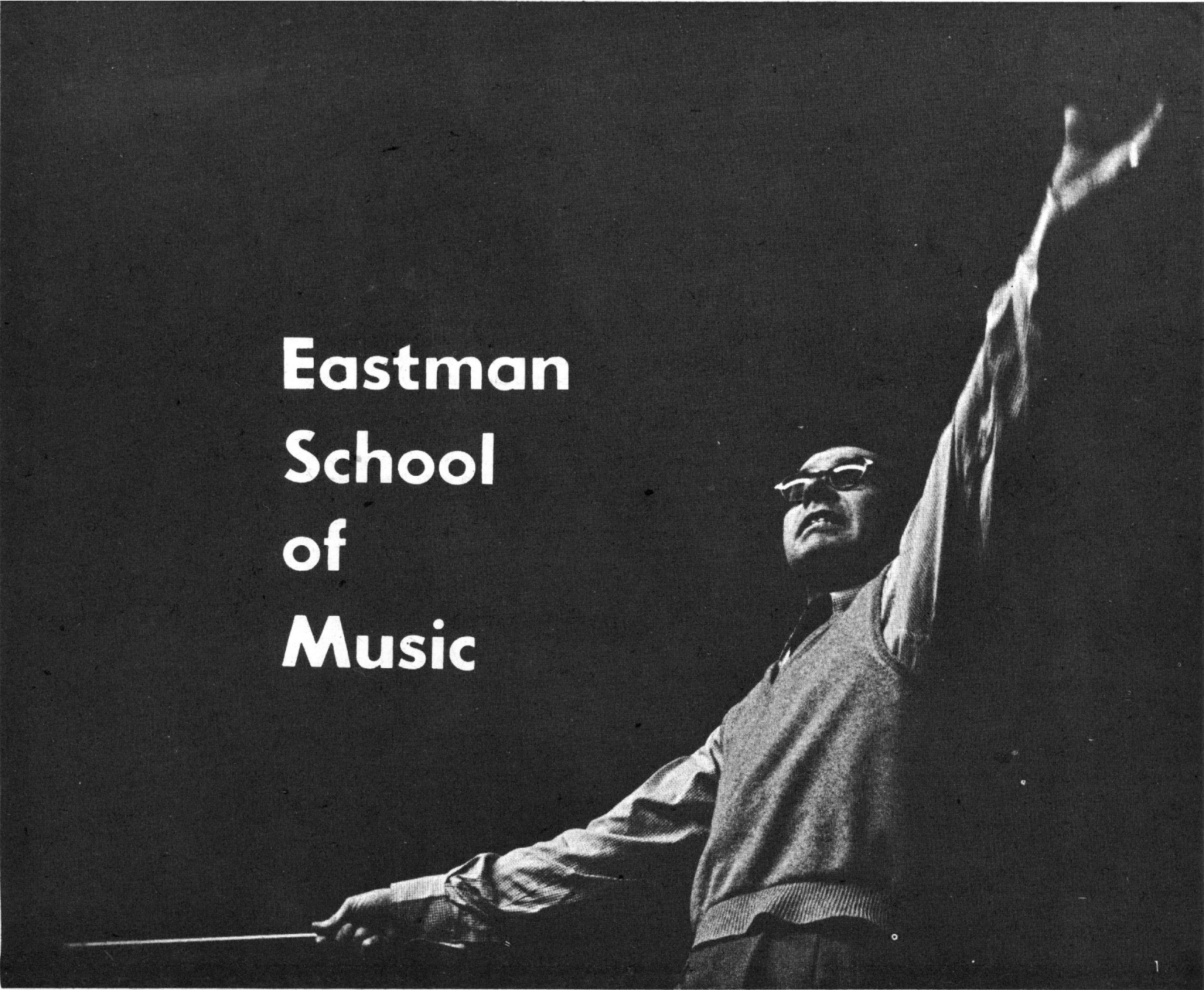
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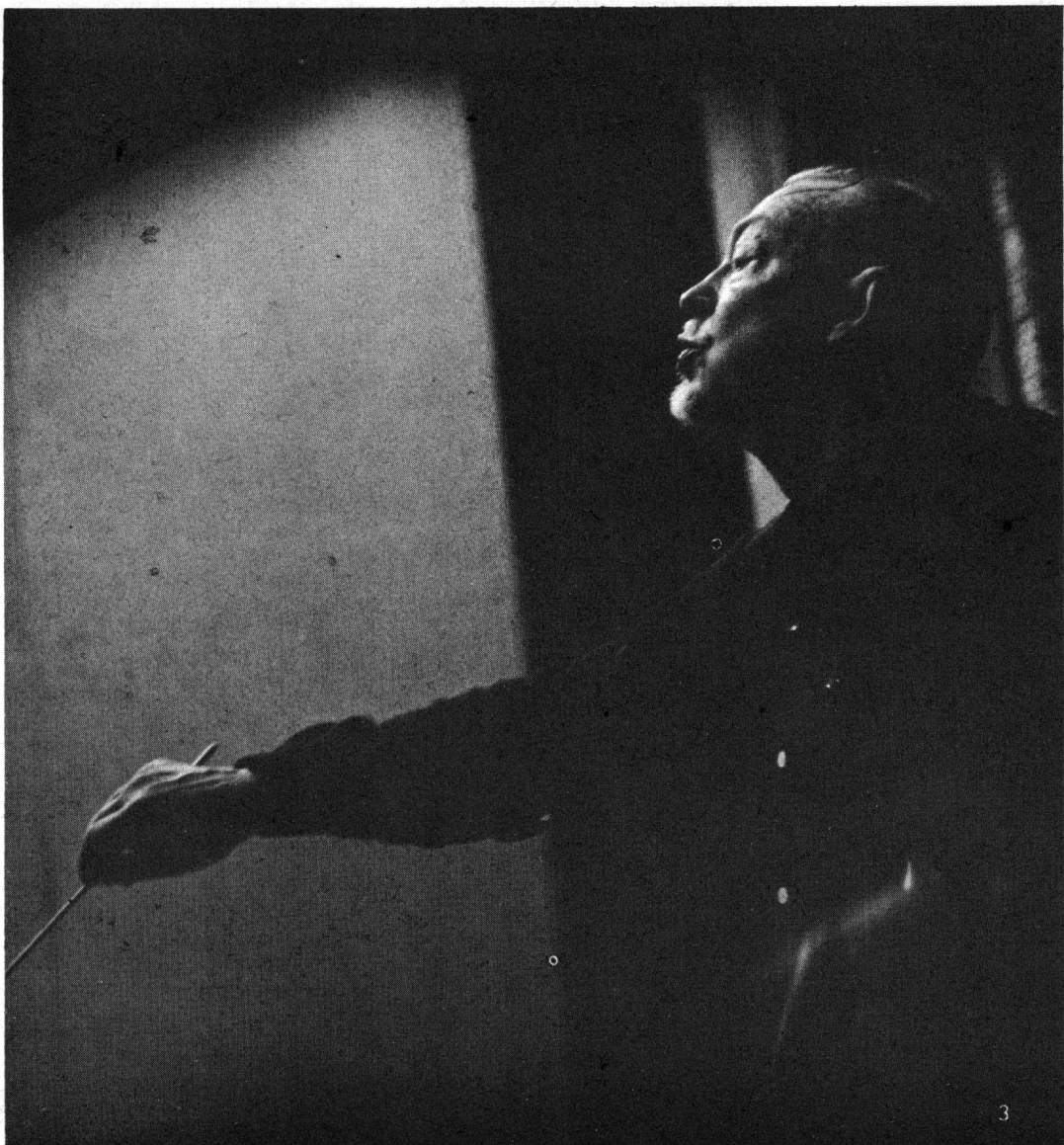


Besides RIT, downtown Rochester boasts of another institution of higher learning, but one in a slightly different area—the Eastman School of Music. Located about a mile from the Institute at Main and Gibbs Street, the School offers vocal, instrumental and orchestral instruction, as well as music theory, history, music literature, criticism, education, opera, conducting and academic courses.

This photo series on the Eastman School of Music is the work of Robert Anderson, a third year student in the Photography Department. Last year as part of a quarter project for photo-journalism class, he spent three months taking pictures of rehearsals and other activities at the school. Part of his work is reproduced here. These photographs and the rest of the series are currently on display in Kilbourn Hall at the Eastman School, as part of the Festival of American Music, which takes place this week, April 27 to May 3.



1 Frederick Fennel, conducting
2 Instrumentalist
3 Dr. Howard Hanson, composer-conductor-educator
4 Rest
5 Dr. Howard Hanson, director of the Eastman School of Music, conducting the Eastman School Chorus and Eastman-Rochester Symphony Orchestra.



Batmen Face Buffalo in Home Opener

After playing five consecutive away games, RIT will meet the University of Buffalo in its home opener today at Genesee Valley Park.

Tomorrow the Tigers will play their second home game against Oswego State Teachers College.

Tennis Team Wins First Match of Year

Splitting in the six single matches and winning two of three doubles gave RIT's tennis squad a 5-4 victory in its opening match against Fredonia.

Alan Lupton remained undefeated in college as his masterful playing buried Weber of Fredonia in all but two games while winning 6-2 and 6-0.

Bob Gelder, who also was undefeated last year, topped Albrecht 6-3 and 6-1 while Dick Greene, returning from a one-year lapse, outlasted Bez 6-1, 5-7, and 6-0.

The other three singles were lost by Dave Drazin, Dick Beals, and Gene Okun.

In the doubles, Lupton and Okun swamped Malcolm and Griese 6-0 and 6-2, while Greene and Gelder were beaten by Albrecht and Gullo 6-2 and 6-1.

Beals and Dick Compo then clinched the match for RIT as they edged Weber and Bez 6-4, 4-6, and 7-5.

The tennis squad will open its home schedule tomorrow as it meets Potsdam State College at the Ellison Park courts.

With a three-day break from Tuesday's game against Brockport, Marty Smith, with a 2-1 record on the year, will probably get the starting nod from Coach Lou Alexander Jr.

Against Oswego, Ron Shurtleff, with a 0-1 record, will probably draw the starting assignment.

As a team, RIT is sporting a 2-2 mark, with Marty Smith having been credited with all the victories thus far. Zeke Zilka, Henry Werking, Marty Smith, and Don Paladino have been leading the offense.

For Oswego, which defeated RIT 3-1 during the 1958 campaign, junior Ted Grinnell who had a 5-4 record and 1.35 ERA last season, will be on the mound. Heading the offensive department of the Walt Nitardy coached nine will be sophomores Ralph Maru, who last year hit .400 with 3 triples and 18 runs-batted-in, and Elliot Yezer, a second baseman with a .340 average which included 3 triples and 12 rbi's.

Tennis Squad Faces Potsdam in Home Starter

The Tennis squad will play its first home match tomorrow when they meet Potsdam State Teachers College.

Heading the team, which has a 1-0 record, will be Alan Lupton and Bob Gelder, both who have won 9 straight matches since the beginning of last year. The rest of the squad will consist of Dick Greene, Dick Beals, Charles Mattison, Gene Okun, Dave Drazin and Dick Compo.

Ed Baucum Receives Award As RIT's 'Athlete of the Year'

Ed Baucum, RIT's 6'5" record setting center for the past four years, wound up his basketball career last Monday by being awarded the Athlete of the Year trophy.

This trophy is one of the most coveted sports awards that is awarded by the Institute.

The Kentucky Colonel, who comes from Maysfield Ky., received the award on the basis of his record setting performance in basketball. He has scored over 300 points in each of the four campaigns, getting 301 in 1955-56, 365 in his sophomore year, 361 as co-captain of the team in his junior year and then dropped to 308 last season, when he was also co-captain.

The total of 1335 set a new record for total points in a career by replacing Ken Hale's 3 year old record of 1044 set in 1955-56.

During the Invitational Tech Tournament, which was won by RIT, he averaged 16 points for the two games and was named to the Honorable Mention All-Tech Team.

Baucum played his first basketball on an industrial team and then, during his five year stay in the army before coming to RIT, he picked up the rest of his experience.

A Backus Street daddy, Ed has been married for six years and has two children. In speaking of his wife, he feels "that they have written about me for four years now without mentioning Dorothy, but she has been the one that has made it possible." Ed's oldest son, Daryl, who is five, was the mascot of the Tigers during the 1958-59 season.



Ed Baucum

Tiger Nine Splits Weekend Games

Fredonia

Two four-run innings carried Fredonia State Teachers College to a 9-8 victory over RIT last week at Fredonia.

For the Tigers, it evened their record at 2 and 2 and pitcher Marty Smith was dealt his first loss of the year. He was the winning pitcher in both of RIT's previous wins.

RIT opened with a 2-0 lead and in the top of the fourth increased this to 6-1. In the bottom of the fourth, however, Fredonia came back with four of their own to drop the lead to one run, 6-5. Four more runs in the bottom of the sixth after the Tigers had scored one in the top half of the inning gave Mangano, Fredonia's starting pitcher, enough of a margin to carry him to his initial victory of the year against one loss. Mangano also contributed a home run and four runs-batted-in to the offense.

For the Tigers, Marty Smith led the offense with a 2-4 performance at the plate and collected 3 runs-batted-in. Paladino also collected 2 hits.

On the mound, Smith gave up 11 hits, while striking out 13 and walking 7. Five of the runs he gave up were earned. Mangano gave up 8 hits, struck out 10 and walked 5. Only four of the runs off him were earned though as the leaky Fredonia defense made 6 errors.

Roberts Wesleyan

Coming back from a two run deficit, RIT knocked over five runs in the eighth inning to top Roberts Wesleyan College 8-2 at North Chili field last week.

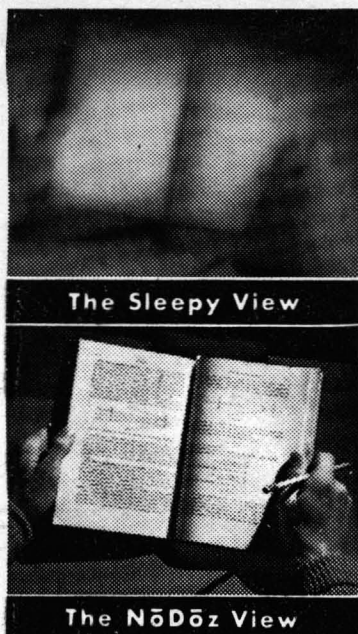
The host team had gone into a 2-0 lead when errors by Shurtleff and Kramer permitted them to score an unearned run in each of the first two innings. Defensively Roberts Wesleyan's Estelle pitched masterful ball as he held RIT scoreless for the first five innings. The Tigers were able to nick him for a run in the sixth and then added 2 in the seventh to go ahead 3-2. The five run eighth put the game on ice.

Marty Smith, RIT's star southpaw pitched and hit his way to his second win of the year as he limited the Roberts nine to 6 hits while striking out 10 and walking five.

On the offensive side, Smith collected 3 hits including 2 triples while driving in one run. Kay Kramer and Zeke Zilka each collected 2 hits, one of Zilka's being a triple.

For Roberts Estelle gave up only 5 hits during his 7 inning stint but four walks combined with 7 errors allowed the Tigers to turn the hits into five runs. He struck out 8 before being relieved by Robertson after giving up 2 runs in the eighth.

Center Fielder Bining provided most of the punch for the losers as he collected 3 of their 6 hits.



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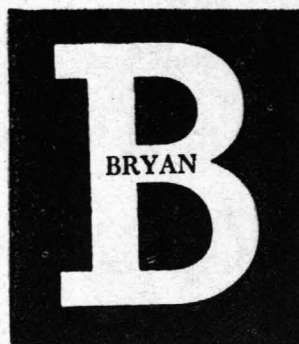
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'April in Paris' Presented

LA VIE PARISIENNE—An authentic French atmosphere prevailed last Friday night at the dance held in and sponsored by the residents in Nathaniel Rochester Hall. French waiters and an outdoor cafe were added to the effect. (Conboy Photo)

Art Confab Held Here

"Architecture, Art, and the Community," a conference sponsored by the Division of Arts at RIT, was held last Wednesday, April 29, in E-125.

An afternoon seminar from 3:30 to 5:30 p.m. and an evening talk and discussion from 8 to 9:30 p.m. made up the day's activities.

Purposes and objectives of the conference were to: 1) consider the relation of the arts and architecture in religious, public, and commercial building, with particular reference to the opportunities in Rochester in the Civic Center, Midtown Plaza and elsewhere; 2) review the means by which a community plans for renewal and growth; and 3) attempt to find the means for increased collaboration on the administration, building and the physical and cultural enrichment of Rochester.

Speaker for the evening section of the conference was Perry Coke Smith of the New York

architectural firm of Voorhees, Walker, Smith, Smith, and Haines. Mr. Smith and the firm he represented were consultants to local architects collaborating on the planning and design for the Civic Center.

Mr. Smith's talk was followed by a discussion period. Acting as moderator was Allan Macomber, president of the Rochester Society of Architects. A concluding statement was made by Evelyn Segal, president of the Arts Council of Rochester.

Dr. Mark Ellingson, president of RIT, opened the afternoon session of conference, and Mr. Harold Brennan, chairman of the Institutes' Division of the Arts, introduced the program.

Discussion for the first part of the afternoon centered around the newly-constructed R. J. Strassenburgh building. Dr. Carl HERSHEY, of the University of Rochester; Albert Balestiere of the Emil Muller Construction Co.; Frans Wildehain, artist; Robert Strassenburgh, president of the company; and Vincent S. Jones, executive editor, the Gannett Newspapers, made up the panel.

The second discussion of the afternoon was on the subject of "Problems, Challenges and Opportunities." Father Robert McNamara of St. Bernard's Seminary was moderator. Members of the panel were John Menihan, artist and designer; Peter Barry, mayor of Rochester; Gordon Howe; Langdon Clay of the Memorial Art Gallery; and Dr. Arthur Adams, minister of the Central Presbyterian Church.

Decorators Chartered

The National Society of Interior Decorators accepted the charter of a student chapter at RIT this week. This is one of the few student chapters in the country and one that is a great honor for retailing students majoring in interior decoration. Fourteen students have been accepted.

The NSID is a coordinated professional organization whose aims and purposes are to represent the interior design profession in the public and trades, establish and administer the highest standards of admission for professional membership, to successfully accomplish the licensing of qualified interior designers as a protection to the public, and serve the public as responsible professionals whose obligation is to contribute to its well-being, culture and satisfaction.

At the first meeting of the student chapter on Wednesday, April 22, the officers were elected and a program of organization set up. Bob Strouse was elected president; Allen Platt, vice president; Nancy Bell, secretary-treasurer; Natalie Slocum chairman of the board and Eleanor Million, program director.

Society Holds Dinner

The Western New York—Ontario Section of the American Society for Testing Materials will hold its annual award Dinner on Friday evening May 8, at the RIT Cafeteria.

Mr. C. L. Pope, of the Eastman Kodak Company, will act as chairman. Five students selected by a committee of the Mechanical Department faculty as recipients of the awards are Vaidevutis Draugelis, Juergen Matke, Richard Mykins, Ernest Wass, Nicholas Soures.

Evening Division Set To Offer B.S. Degree

A new educational program, leading to the awarding of a Bachelor of Science Degree will be initiated by the Institute's Evening Division this coming September according to an announcement made recently by the Division Director Mr. Burton E. Stratton.

The Bachelor of Science degree will be offered with an electrical or mechanical option in the Technical area. Beginning students will enroll in the Industrial Technology Program and will receive the Associate in Applied Science Degree. The Bachelor of Science will require a minimum of 70 semester credit hours of work beyond the Associate's Degree.

A total of 135 semester credit hours are required for the baccalaureate degree which is designed to be completed in eight years. Students may extend their time of study if they desire.

Printers Visit RIT

Tuesday night, April 21, found fifty members of the Syracuse chapter of Printing House Craftsmen visiting the Institute.

After a welcoming meeting, seminars were held in various labs of the Department of Printing and the Web Offset Lab of the Graphic Arts Research Department. These seminars were later repeated so that the Craftsmen could have the opportunity to attend two different meetings.

Business Students Take Field Trip To New York City

Thirty-eight Division of Business students have returned from an educational trip to New York City. They visited manufacturers and business concerns that related to the field in which the third and fourth year students are studying.

On April 13, Monday, the group split up to visit the New York Life Insurance Company, the New Design Center or the dietary kitchen of the Veteran's Hospital. In the evening, the students either saw the Broadway play "My Fair Lady" or "Westside Story."

The group also saw such places as the Frederick Atkins buying office, Wall Street Stock Exchange, General Foods main plant, an ocean liner kitchen, Lever Brothers, J. C. Penny, the Japanese department store, the American Institute of Public Accountants, Batten, Barton, Durstine and Osborne, Cheeses of all Nations, U. S. Testing Company and, watched Lord and Taylor change their elevator windows.



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Students Will Evaluate Faculty Members

For the first time in several years, the students at RIT will be given an opportunity to participate in a faculty evaluation program to be undertaken sometime during the spring quarter.

The study is expected to point out some of the needed improvements in staff and also show what areas are satisfactory to students. The questionnaire being prepared by Dean Leo F. Smith will cover such topics as subject matter, method of presentation, ability to hold student interest, and preparation of the instructor.

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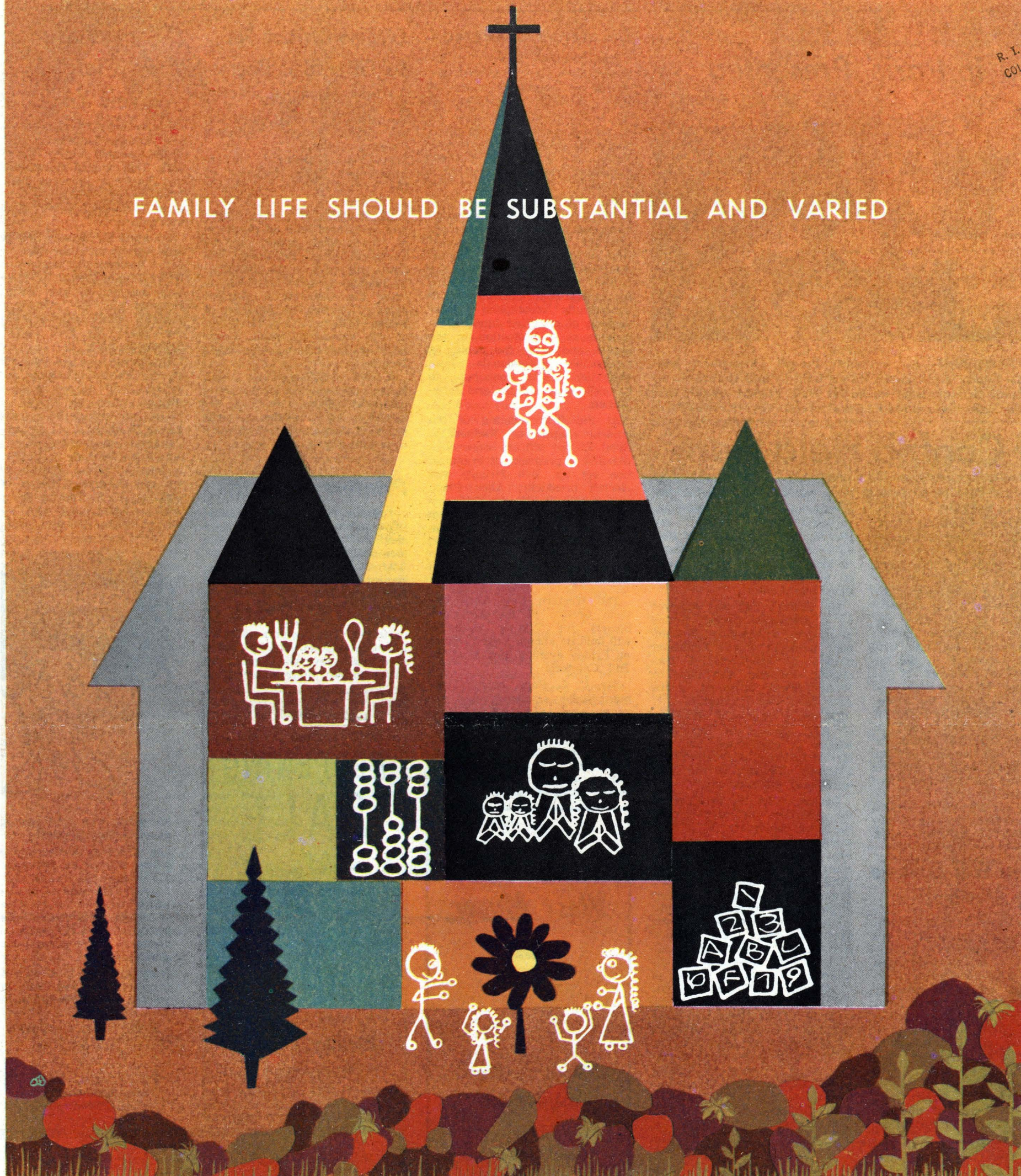
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quet (c)
Friday 8, KSK party, 6-10 p.m.
(o)

Saturday 9, TEP dinner dance,
8 p.m.-1 a.m. (c)
Men's Dorm, 2-6 p.m. (c)
Sunday 10, Newman Club picnic,
2-6 p.m. (c)
Friday 15, TG dinner dance, 6-
12:30 p.m. (c).
Saturday 16, GP clambake, 5-12
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