New Honors Program in Political Science

An experimental program of honors in political science for the Spring of 1966 will be offered by the Department of History and Political Science, under the direction of Mr. Lee L. Verstardig.

This honors program will consist of an advanced extension of Political Science II (American Political Thought). In this program, students will be able to more fully investigate and develop the ideas of the major American political thinkers and trends that can only be touched upon lightly in the regular course of Political Science II. Such investigation should stimulate a deeper and more profound appreciation for American political thought.

The honors program of Political Science II will add one additional class period each week. This class will be limited to ten students of high standing and interest in the subject, who will be given an additional class to their regular work load. For this increased work, students will be awarded the word “Honors” on their college transcript after satisfactorily completing the regular course of Political Science II with a grade of “B” or better. An additional one semester hour credit will also be given in compliance with this requirement.

The following are the conditions for the acceptance of students to this honors program in Political Science II:

1. Student must be of Sophomore or Junior standing.
2. Student must have achieved a grade of “B” or better in American History I & II, or in Pol. Sci. I.
3. Student must have an overall academic standing of 2.75. This condition may be flexible under certain circumstances.
4. Student must submit a letter of recommendation from his faculty advisor.
5. Student must have demonstrated ability and interest in the intellectual probing beyond assigned academic work.

Any student interested in this program and who feels he might be a candidate for this program should see the acting chairman of the Dept. of History and Political Science, before final registration for the Spring Semester of 1966.

There is at Roger Williams, a significant element of capable students with interest in political science who feels he might critically: What is the role of... What is the role of... What are colleges doing to prepare their students to live and work in our complex society.

The honors program of Political Science II has already been touched up on lightly in the foundation of our traditions. It is this daily contact comes an under...

College Dean

A native of Rochester, New York, Doctor Salatino received his B.S. Degree from the State University of New York, and his Master's and Doctorate Degrees from Columbia University. He also took post-doctoral work at the University of Michigan and at the State University of New York at Buffalo.

Prior to accepting the post of Dean of the College at Roger Williams, Doctor Salatino was formerly the Dean of Allegheny College in Kentucky. He also served as president of the Higher Education Association of the state of Kentucky. Doctor Salatino has also served on various national committees in higher education. He has been the full-time faculty at Columbia University, at Ohio Northern University, and at the State University of New York at Buffalo.

Doctor Salatino has received several honors in education including the President’s Scholar Award from Columbia University, W. E. B. DuBois in American Education, and is listed as a Professor of Junior College Education by the United States Office of Education.

Welch Named Teen-age Head

Edward F. Burke, Esquire, State Chairman for the 1966 Rhode Island March of Dimes, announced the appointment of Chester J. Welch to serve as Program Chairman for the 1966 March of Dimes Campaign.

Mr. Welch, a student at Roger Williams Junior College, attended St. Matthew’s School and Bishop Hendricken High School, and has been associated with the March of Dimes for the past six years.

"You need two ingredients for an outstanding teen project: Enthusiasm and a good cause. We have the enthusiasm, and the March of Dimes has given us one of the most important causes in the health field," said Mr. Welch.

Mr. Welch will supervise the activities of hundreds of teenagers during the January March of Dimes campaign. He has some exciting ideas for events which we think will raise a lot of money for the March of Dimes and give us an opportunity to have some fun at the same time," he said. "But I know that all of us in the TAP program realize that beyond the fun and excitement lies the important purpose of fighting birth defects."

"Recent statistics show that with our increasing population, birth defects are on the rise," declared the TAP Leader.

At Roger Williams we also strive to achieve the balance in our student body to enable each individual to get the most from his education. We hope that each student has the opportunity to rub elbows with others from different environments, different heritages, and different talents. From this daily contact comes an understanding, and an appreciation of -- though not necessarily in agreement with -- a different viewpoint. It is this daily stimulation that helps to form a balanced individual, with a sense of proportion.

Another factor -- perhaps the most important of all -- that we hope to find in our faculty and students is creativity. We know that for knowledge to be valuable it must be used and applied. We strive to present an educational program in which both faculty and students can fully develop and utilize their power of creativity. And above all, we want to enlarge the capacity of each individual to think in terms of his own uniqueness.

Chester J. Welch

More than 250,000 American babies are born each year with serious birth defects. Birth defects are caused by the deaths of an increasing number of pre-school and pre-school-age children," he said.

"Teenagers should be especially interested in the nationwide educational program on pre-natal care now being launched by the March of Dimes because more teenagers marry each year than any other age group. By getting the right information on this important subject, we can really help improve chances for the birth of healthy babies," Chester Welch stated.
EDITORIALS

Strategic Bombing in North Vietnam

On March 1, 1965 the President, acting by executive authority, ordered units of our Air Force and Navy to initiate limited bombing activities against North Vietnamese military installations, supply routes to the south, and industrial complexes producing war materials. The stated aims of the bombings were to stifle the flow of arms and military advice to the Viet Cong in Indochina, and to force the cessation of hostilities in South Vietnam.

The supply lines to the Viet Cong have, in fact, been decentralized and unified by all appearances seem to have grown in efficiency as the improved quality of Viet Cong equipment and the presence of regular North Vietnamese infantry units attest. The blocking of jungle footpaths by American and South Vietnamese aircraft has been an embarrassment of Mr. McNamara and the Joint Chiefs of Staff, proved impracticable. The destruction of the North Vietnamese industrial capacity might have bailed the military out of an otherwise disastrous situation and would have cost Ho Chi Minh and another march on McNamara's Band and concentrated his armies in Hanoi. This capital city had been spared the aerial bombardment the rest of North Vietnam in an attempt to cast a lawn-mower type of inlay out of an otherwise attempt to bomb Hanoi at this point might convince Ho Chi Minh that he as no recourse but to accept the unlimited aid that China is all too willing to give. The North Vietnamese have repeatedly intimated that they fear communist forces in Vietnam but backed into a corner they must ask for help from Hanoi. The remaining argument for bombing expresses the forthright hope of disproportion on the part of the North Vietnamese would lie in effect, result in their capitulation in the south. This concept excludes all historical evidence which points overwhelmingly toward a different conclusion. Certainly the German aerial assault on England in 1940 did not cast inlay out of an otherwise attempt to bomb Hanoi at this point might convince Ho Chi Minh that he as no recourse but to accept the unlimited aid that China is all too willing to give. The North Vietnamese have repeatedly intimated that they fear communist forces in Vietnam but backed into a corner they must ask for help from Hanoi. The remaining argument for bombing expresses the forthright hope of disproportion on the part of the North Vietnamese would lie in effect, result in their capitulation in the south. This concept excludes all historical evidence which points overwhelmingly toward a different conclusion. Certainly the German aerial assault on England in 1940 did not cast inlay out of an otherwise attempt to bomb Hanoi at this point might convince Ho Chi Minh that he as no recourse but to accept the unlimited aid that China is all too willing to give.
NOTHINGNESS

There is an EMPTINESS in some.
A bit of NOTHINGNESS, but growing.
I pour in KNOWING and WORKING,
And LOVING and things...

Like heated vapors, they swirl
And down—finally diffuse
Only to condense on cooler,
Leaving wanting parts of my soul.

The GAP.
Something I can grasp!
Not a passing unseen vapor.
This SOMETHING—
I can't buy it,
I can't earn it,
I can only absorb it into myself—
But WHO will give?—
They tell me wait.

How long until the VOID
Consumes my being.
Leaving only a THIN and Brittle shell.
Lillian Calise

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Snow tires or chains are necessary in winter, particularly in rural areas and where roads are not maintained. Most highway departments today prepare to clear trouble spots by spreading calcium chloride as the snow falls.

USE WINTER RULES when driving. As with golf, motoring requires patience and its own set of rules. Sometimes the only way to proceed is to drive with only the snow tires while you ask for assistance.

WICK'S WEEK

"Worrying about Medicare is making me ill."

ORIENTATION COMMITTEE

A special orientation committee was formed to assist the incoming freshmen class during registration week. The main purpose will be to familiarize the new students with the operations of Roger Williams Junior College.

The freshmen will report to their advisors for morning interviews and pre-registration. They will then be turned over to the Orientation Committee who will host the new members for dinner at the Martinique Restaurant on Broad Street. The students will then return to the school and gather in the auditorium.

A short informal meeting will be held as a question and answer period to give representatives from all recognized organizations in the school a chance to explain their particular group's purpose. Each organization will be given a host room in one of the classrooms on the second floor where the groups will have a chance for recruiting new members.

At the sixth meeting of the R. W. Science Club, election of leadership positions. The followings were elected: Robert Muto, President; David Lange, Vice-President; Steven Greenfield, Secretary-Treasurer. Congratulations to the winners. The faculty advisor to the Science Club for the year 65-66 is Dr. Hetzler.

The Science Club is presently meeting on Wednesdays at 8:00, in Room A-0, at Pine Street. Movies involving all phases of science are being shown at the meetings. The projects in which members participate in the greatest interest are those of building a laser and launching rockets. California Polytechnic is a year old electrical engineering student at Roger Williams, spoke to members of the club about rocketry. He and a friend have launched several rockets. Mr. Hilbert introduced the group to a company which manufactures rocket kits, and he described the work of the club in the design, construction, and launching of rockets. Other club members gave talks, and Dr. Hetzler presented us with several oddities of the science world.

NOTES OF MEETINGS are posted weekly in the club bulletin board. Since no knowledge of science is required, any student is welcome to become a member. If you attend the meetings, but are unable to do so, contact any member of the club for information. We hope to see many new faces at future meetings.

Wake Up, Collegiate

Recently there has been much controversy over U. S. participation in Viet Nam. On October 16 and 17, demonstrators opposing U. S. participation in Viet Nam, marched through city streets throughout the country. They carried placards that read, "Stop U. S. Aggression in Viet Nam", "Oppose U. S. Militarism in Viet Nam", and demonstrators also included paper marche figures depicting war- ravaged Vietnamese women and children.

In New York City alone, 13,000 persons were aroused by the same sentiments to march down Fifth Avenue in protest of our foreign policy in Viet Nam on the very same day that demonstrations occurred across the country from Berkeley, California to Providence, Rhode Island. What a marvelous country we live in that so many persons feel the same way at the same time and can organize to demonstrate in the same manner on the same day. Our vast network of communication systems must be in great use.

Our communication systems? Working for our people? For our government? Or are they working for such organizations listed under the "Dirt that is called to be clean" such as the National Coordinating Committee to end the War in Viet Nam, the Viet Nam Day Committee, and the Students for a Democratic Society which has formed the most political of the "causes"? Students for a Democratic Society is an interesting name for an organization whose avowed purpose is to pressure the government to reverse its role in Viet Nam and pull out. In order to achieve this, they have resorted to such democratic means as burning draft cards, marching en masse, lying prone on the pavement (as eleven did in Madison, Wisconsin), carrying placards using words such as aggression and intervention, and last but not least the tried and true democratic action of the vigil of the smudgy pot.

The future plans of the "Students for a Democratic Society" include an invasion of our public high schools to persuade eighteen year old boys not to register for the draft. If this action materializes, it could be a threat to our draft system and make our nation even more vulnerable to the disease of Communism. A nation that passed a law banning prayer from public schools from this type of propaganda. The war in Viet Nam, the "new left", fighting, yet it is obviously being used by so-called "American" youth organizations as a spearhead.

If by a margin of chance, there are persons who were swayed to demonstrate against the war in Viet Nam out of genuine concern for the peace and the fear that we may be trapped into war with Red China, their feelings are admirable, but their actions are not. Perhaps, they haven't yet realized what communism is. Perhaps they haven't realized that by saving South Viet Nam from the rule of communism, we keep ourselves further from its continuation to be saved. Perhaps they haven't realized what organized groups working against their own government can do to spread the communism in their own country.

Not very long ago, Nikita Krushchev said that communism will conquer us through our youth. Are these youth organizations that are spread throughout our country fingers of the communist movement? Are we going to follow with our placard raised high against our own government? Are we going to buy draft cards and refuse to fight for what we believe in whether for other peoples or for ourselves? In other words, are we going to contribute to the United States becoming a "nation of sheep"?
Army Offers OCS Gold Bar To Qualified College Graduates

WASHINGTON (ANF)—Guaranteed assignment to an Officer Candidate School is in the Army’s enlistment incentive offered to college graduates with no prior military experience.

The offer comes as part of the current expansion program to meet an increased requirement for junior officers. The OCS training program uses its annual total of candidates from 3,400 to 11,700 beginning this month and boosts the number of school facilities to nine.

College seniors and men already graduated from accredited colleges may apply for active duty with assignment to Officer Candidate School if they are U.S. citizens and at least eighteen and a-half but not over 27 years old. The special OCS option goes into effect upon the successful completion of Basic Combat and Advanced Individual Training.

Applicants may indicate a preference for one of the three combat arms or the technical and specialist services.

Successful candidates will be commissioned second lieutenants and go on to their respective branch officer basic courses. They will serve an obligated tour of at least two years after commissioning; men who do not successfully complete the program will serve the remainder of their obligated tour in enlisted status.

Outstanding soldiers in the upper tenth of their OCS class may be designated Distinguished Military Graduates and may apply for a Regular Army Commission.

Ski Club News

At a recent meeting of the newly formed Ski Club the following students were elected to office; President, George Richard Jr.; Vice-president, Richard Laferte, Treasurer, Brian Amabel; Corresponding Secretary, Jim Maccaroni; Assistant Officer, Jim McGuire.

The aims of this organization are to develop a school spirit, to promote safe skiing practices, and to give ski instruction to non-skiers and novices.

Future Ski Club plans include ski instruction during the Christmas Holiday and a three day trip to Mt. Snow during the winter months.

Also, the Ski Club raffle committee wishes to announce that the proceeds of the raffle will go to the Ski Club. The special option has been decided upon.

The Marine Corps Reserve collects and repairs thousands of toys each year for distribution to needy children through the “Toys for Tots” program.

Then & Now

Everywhere will be used as decorations for thousands of years, but it wasn’t until 1966 in Germany that a New Year’s Eve custom was first recognized. The tradition has now become a worldwide celebration.

Elm Springs is almost universal and over 45 million are used in the U.S. alone. The paper decorations, which shine brilliantly under colored spotlights, are now available in stores.

Pledges Clean Capitol

Greek organizations have started the year with clean-up activities. The Phi Alpha Epsilon Fraternity has taken up the challenge of keeping the campus clean.

Wicks’ Week

By Ben Wicks

Alphabetic Epsilon

The soothing sounds of the Atlantic Ocean filled the room as the Phi Alpha Epsilon Fraternity held their first meeting of the year. The new members were sworn in by the current officers, and the men eagerly waited to be inducted into their new organization.

The second meeting was held on September 20, 1965, when the Fraternity was held for the first time. At this meeting the new officers were elected and sworn in. Elected were: Frank Procacci, president; Richard Constantinou, vice president; Pasquale Matrone, treasurer; and John McNamara, recording secretary.

On December 4, 1965, the Alpha Epsilon Fraternity was held for the first time. At this meeting the new officers were elected and sworn in. Elected were: Frank Procacci, president; Richard Constantinou, vice president; Pasquale Matrone, treasurer; and John McNamara, recording secretary.

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Good Will Is Generated

BY RAY WALSH

On November 10, 1965, King Regit made his initial social debut as mascot of Kappa Phi Fraternity. The occasion was marked by a dinner party in the Royal Empire Room at the Venus de Milo in Swansea, Massachusetts, given by Kappa Phi brothers and their dates. Several faculty members were also present.

As most of you know, Kappa Phi has functioned at Roger Williams since 1956. The recent acquisition of a mascot represents a first step in establishing and fostering its effective operation for many years to come.

Following the dinner, King Regit reigned over a semi-formal dance at the Venus which was attended by approximately one hundred and fifty couples. Only about forty percent of this number consisted of Roger Williams students; the remaining sixty percent hailed from the University of Rhode Island, Rhode Island College, Providence College, Sacred Heart College, Massachusetts Technological Institute.

Because Kappa Phi did succeed in drawing patrons from much larger colleges, it is evidenced that Kappa Phi initiated a campaign to facilitate communications and exchanges with other area institutions.

Aside from marking the initial appearance of the fraternity mascot, the dance marked an innovation of perhaps greater import. For probably the first time, the blue and white banner of Roger Williams Junior College was displayed at the dance alongside the Kappa Phi fraternity banner within clear viewing distance from any point in the dance floor.

This served as an introduction for many patrons of the dance to a school of which they had never even heard.

For Kappa Phi this event was a pretextative budget to the fraternity's investment. More important than any monetary profit was the profit of the initiation, by the fraternity, of having a student, for a spirit of rapport between our relatively small college and larger colleges and universities in the area.

Many satisfied remarks were heard both during and after the dance. Perhaps most gratifying was the invitation extended by the owner of the Venus de Milo to the President and to Kappa Phi as a whole to return to his establishment at any time in the future.

Truly this is a most crucial time for Roger Williams Junior College. Change is imminent. The transfer of the college to a four-year status on a spacious campus will necessitate closer ties and exchanges between Roger Williams and other institutions with which it will be in competition.

Exchange between colleges seems an integral factor for mutual and complementary benefits. By sponsoring an activity to publicize the college in a beneficial manner, Kappa Phi has maintained interest not merely in social gatherings limited to Roger Williams students. By broadening its horizons, Kappa Phi seeks to transcend mere "good times" by assuming its role in the establishment and the confirmation of ties between other colleges and Roger Williams of the present.

If this can be realized, Kappa Phi will partly feel that it has made a mature and significant contribution to the Roger Williams College of future years.

Although the Coast Guard is usually thought of as an "at home" Service, Coast Guardsmen are on active duty in Spain, England, Guam, Japan, Viet Nam and Turkey, and many other countries throughout the world.

### Puzzle Answer

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**Kappa Phi News**

**BY RON AUBIN, EXEC. SECRETARY**

Since the beginning of the semester Kappa Phi fraternity has done well to make known its name and the name of Roger Williams Junior College to the residents and students of Rhode Island and nearby Massachusetts.

On October 3, Kappa Phi began its adult and civic-minded "Hell-Week" initiation with a "Smoker" for its prospective pledges.

On October 8, the pledges were taken to the new alumni newsletter where they began an anti-litter campaign in conjunction with pledges from Phi Kappa sorority. Parts of the campaign were televised by WRTI-TV and WJAR-TV and several radio stations announced the campaign over the air.

President Walsalbo received two letters of commendation concerning the constructive arrangement from President Gauney and from Joseph P. Campo, Chief of construction and maintenance for the Rhode Island Department of Public Works.

On November 5, terminating the probation period for the pledges, Kappa Phi accepted eighteen men into the fraternity. At this time the men received their long-awaited Kappa Phi emblems.

Last June, Kappa Phi elected its officers for this semester. They are: Ray Walsh, President; Roger Belisle, Vice President; Ron Aubin, Secretary; Skip McDaniel, Treasurer; Leo Leclere, Public Relations; Ken Suncliffe, Sergeant at Arms; and Bob Jacobsen, Orientation Officer.

On November 10, Kappa Phi held an open dance at the Venus de Milo. Feature of the evening were the fabulous "Ballermanns," the party was a tremendous success and the fraternity was conducted by several members of the faculty and guests as once again being a success.

Next semester Kappa Phi fraternity will sponsor several social affairs that will be pleasantly surprising. These affairs will be open to the student body.

**Phi Kappa News**

**BY CAMILLE VOLLARO**

The past month has constituted a heavy schedule for Phi Kappa Sorority.

The sisters totally collected donations of groceries for Thanksgiving baskets which were distributed to the needy families of the state.

As in the past, the sisters held their annual cake sale on November 24. At this time, the sorority wishes to extend its appreciation to all the members of the student body who helped to make this event a tremendous success.

Sunday, December 5, the sisters of Phi Kappa held their annual Alumni Dinner at Johnson Hummings Restaurant. This affair was attended by our faculty advisor, Mrs. Finger and along with many of our alumnae, the future family and student body of R. W. J. C., Phi Kappa Sorority now extends its warmest wishes for a happy and prosperous Christmas and New Year.

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Seminar Activities
By DENNIS MC CARTHY
This past fall a new seminar program was introduced at Roger Williams. This seminar is an experimental program designed to cater to the scope of the students involved. This is accomplished by sharing one's experiences, by inviting outside speakers, and by conducting outside tours and activities. The seminar is an attempt to go beyond the traditional classroom experience, to share one's other experiences and to stimulate independent study to complement the formal-in-class curriculum.

The guided and assisted seminar is conducted by a faculty moderator, Dr. J. Harold G. Way, who lends expert assistance to each seminar. Dr. Way's assistance, have carried on many activities and projects that have been completed on the first semester of the program.

Dr. Anthony Salati, our new Academic Dean, gave very interesting and profitable talk on the subject of the Appalachian Academic Dean, gave a very interesting and profitable talk on the subject of the Appalachia. This talk was on the subject of the Appalachian, which was given by Mr. Frank, the executive director of the Appalachian Repertory Theatre. Mr. Frank, the executive director of the Appalachian Repertory Theatre, appeared before the Roger Williams Col. Seminar, in an open conference on the Appalachian Repertory Theatre. Mr. Frank, the executive director of the Appalachian Repertory Theatre, gave a very interesting and profitable talk on the subject of the Appalachian.

In addition to the outside activities and speakers, each student member of the seminar has selected a project of particular interest to himself and has or will, in the near future, share his work with the group as a whole. These projects take the form of a talk by the interested student and then a discussion by the group as a whole.

It is evident that the group has had a busy semester and this reporter, as a member of the seminar group, can attest to the fact that the experience has been enjoyable and productive for the students as a whole. The members of the Seminar group are in agreement that the entire program is indeed rewarding and has been a significant learning experience.

PROGRESS FOR PROVIDENCE
At a recent meeting of the newly formed Roger Williams University Caldera, there was a very interesting and profitable talk on the subject of the Appalachian. This talk was given by Mr. Frank, the executive director of the Appalachian Repertory Theatre. Mr. Frank, the executive director of the Appalachian Repertory Theatre, gave a very interesting and profitable talk on the subject of the Appalachian.

Students from Brown University and Providence College were well aware of the fact that the group had been formed to work in the field of new subjects. Since the agency is carrying out its work, it is safe to say that the students are already equipped with a good deal of information about the subject. The group has also made a trip to one of Progress for Providence's Garage centers located in South Providence.

Another tour was made, this time to the Rhode Island College of Pharmacy. The students were fortunate enough to meet Dr. Way, the Supervisor of Psychiatric Care, at the center, Dr. Nicotra gave a very interesting and profitable talk on the subject of the Appalachian. This talk was given by Mr. Frank, the executive director of the Appalachian Repertory Theatre. Mr. Frank, the executive director of the Appalachian Repertory Theatre, gave a very interesting and profitable talk on the subject of the Appalachian.

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WANT A JOB IN EUROPE?

Grand Duchy of Luxembourg — Every student in America can get a summer job in Europe and a travel grant by applying directly to the European headquarters of the American Student Information Service in Luxembourg. Jobs are much the same as student summer work in the U.S. with employers offering work periods ranging from three weeks to permanent employment.

Students interested in working in Europe next summer may write directly to Dept. II, ASIS, 22 Ave. de la Liberté, Luxembourg City, Grand Duchy of Luxembourg, enclosing $2 for the ASIS 36-page booklet which contains listings of all jobs, wages, working conditions and to cover the cost of handling and overseas air mail postage.

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**HISTORY OF CHRISTMAS CAROLS**

Called noels in France, le pas torali in Italy and Weihnachtslieder in German, carols are the welcome sound of Christmas everywhere. But did you know that originally carols were not songs but dances? It’s a fact! These “round” dances were part of early Christian worship, and one of the first “carollers” was St. Francis of Assisi, back in the 12th century.

When was the first carol sung? Probably as an accompaniment to early nativity plays. And one of the earliest of the choruses of praise, Gloria in excelsis Deo (glory to God in the highest), can be heard in church services to this day.

The custom of outdoor caroling, now many hundreds of years old, According to research- ers at the Aeolian Music Foundation, it seems to have started in the Middle Ages when groups of people went from house to house singing by torchlight.

Yet despite these joyous beginnings, the Christmas Carol eventually fell into rough going. As Puritan influence grew, carols became gloomy and grim; finally the Puritans made it a crime to print or sing carols publicly.

But the carol — which plays so large a part in giving Christmas a spirit of gaiety — couldn’t be suppressed for long, and many great writers such as Martin Luther and Charles Wesley and composers including Felix Mendelssohn and Friedrich Handel began to take an interest in this form of music.

In the England of Charles Dickens’ time, the practice of “wassailing” or group singing of carols from house to house at Christmas time was popularized.

At the turn of the century, Americans added their own contribution to Christmas caroling as singers gathered around the family player piano. With the recent revival of the player piano, this delightful scene is being recreated all across the country. Most popular of the modern players is the Pianola, both a regular piano and a player piano that encourages family togetherness during the holiday season or any time of the year.

Family gatherings for carol singing should be better than ever this season with more Christmas music available on music rolls than before. Among a selection of almost 50 popular Christmas tunes and traditional carols, several rare and beautiful Scottish and Welsh carols are being put out on Aeolian player piano rolls for the first time.

The happy memories that are revived each Christmas are composed of many ingredients — the smell of the fir tree, the glitter of tinsel, the taste of a Yuletide treat — but of all of them, perhaps the most evocative is the sound of carol playing and singing in the home.

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**MERRY CHRISTMAS**
Roger Williams Ruins Debut of RIJC Five, 82-80

Roger Williams Junior College edged Rhode Island Junior College, 82-80, at Whipple Gymnasium last week and spoiled the losers' basketball debut.

With the score tied at 79-79, Dave Smith made good on a free throw which put Roger Williams ahead 80-79. Peretz Peretz settled matters. Dick Tweedy got Roger Williams' final basket and Bob LaHoud scored the final basket for RIJC.

Bob Ainsworth led Roger Williams with 26 points, and Smith, with 19, paced Roger Williams. Bob Ainsworth, with 26 points, and Smith, with 19, paced Roger Williams. Bob Ainsworth, with 26 points, and Smith, with 19, paced Roger Williams.

Job Opportunities

Job opportunities in Europe are particularly interesting for American students. In this summer, work this summer in the forests of Germany, in construction in Austria, on farms in Germany, Sweden and Denmark, on road construction in Norway.

Well there are these jobs available, as well as jobs in Ireland, Switzerland, England, France, Italy, and Holland are open by the consent of the governments of these countries and the American university students coming to Europe the next summer.

For some years students made their way across the Atlantic to take part in the actual life of the people and customs of Europe. The success of this project has caused a great deal of enthusiasm interest and support of this project has caused a great deal of enthusiasm interest and support both in America and Europe.

learn something of the culture, of Europe. In return for his or her work, the student will have this opportunity to get into real living contact with the people and customs of Europe. In this way, a concrete effort can be made to:

the work as interesting as possible.

They are all informed of the intent of the program, and will help the student all they can in deriving the most from his trip to Europe.

Please write for further information and application forms to: American-European Student-Service, Via Santoros San Marco, Florence, Italy.

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Admiral Richard E. Byrd

Adventures is a by-word in the Navy, but few men have led a more adventurous life than did the late Adm. Richard E. Byrd. He was the first man to ever fly over both the North and South poles. He led expeditions to the Antarctic several times, first in 1927 when he established "Little America." In 1933, he spent six months alone at this desolate base, gathering vital weather observations. His courage then made today's Antarctic expeditions safer and easier.