



# ORGANIZATIONS



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### PROGRAM 1915—1916

November	8.	LOTUS MALE QUARTET.	Musical.
December	15.	MR. NORMAN ANGELL.	European War.
January	13.	THE PIERCES.	Impersonators.
February	16.	J. ADAMS PUFFER.	The Boy and His Gang.
March	22.	CADMAN CONCERT CO.	Versatile musicians.
April	13.	PITT PARKER.	Sketching and Modeling.



GLEE CLUB

# Glee Club

PHINEAS M. RANDALL.....*Leader*  
R. WILLIAM GIBBS.....*Assistant Leader*  
HERBERT A. WISEBY.....*Manager*  
DR. JULES JORDAN.....*Director*

## Soloists

GEORGE SHEPARD.....*Clarinet*  
LLOYD W. DAVIS.....*Saxophone*  
FREDERICK WALKER.....*Coronet*  
CARL ROUN.....*Violin*

## Cartoonist

EREL GUIDONE

## Reader

MALCOLM ROONEY

## Quartette



N. E. BLAKE      H. A. WISEBY      P. M. RANDALL  
C. D. HAWKINS



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# The Grist of the 24<sup>th</sup> Class



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The Young Men's Christian Association tends to uphold the religious life of the institution and it encourages right living and thinking. Meetings are conducted by the students and an outside speaker is obtained for each meeting. Also during the past year, meetings have been held as often as was convenient and some very good speakers were heard, including Ted Mercer and Mr. A. E. Andrews of Newport. The work of the association has improved and the outlook for its upbuilding is bright.



# Rhode Island State College



## Y. W. C. A.

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In 1915-16 the Young Woman's Christian Union has been very active. There have been regular meetings every Tuesday night in charge of different members of the Faculty and the girls themselves. The annual reception to the Freshmen was given in September with the aid of the Y. M. C. A.

For the past two years the girls have sold the Red Cross Christmas stamps.

In the spring, the annual play was given in Lippitt Hall, the proceeds being spent for buying new furniture for the social room of Davis Hall.

The informal teas, which have been given this year by groups of girls have proved to be a social success.



CLIFFORD M. RICE.....	<i>President</i>
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The Agricultural Club of the Rhode Island State College was founded in 1907 by a number of the more ambitious students. In the fall of that year the club became affiliated with the New England Federation of Agriculture Students, and since then the progress has been rapid. The club has representatives in the various judging contests held throughout New England, and an enviable record has been attained. The past year has been the most successful that the club has experienced. Weekly meetings have been held, at which faculty members and practical agriculturalists have spoken. Interesting discussions among the members have enabled them to grasp the difficulties of many perplexing problems. The range of subjects covered is wide and enables those in the different branches of the study to understand their particular work.

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## ELECTRICAL ENGINEERS

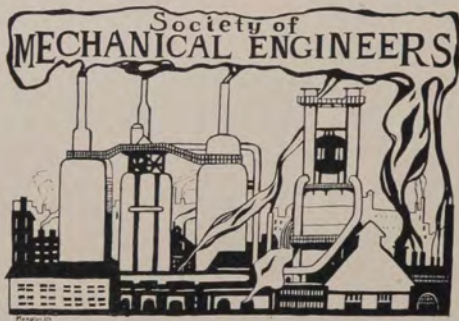


### Rhode Island State College Branch

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The Society of Electrical Engineers was organized and was in existence as a local organization for several years. Then it became affiliated with the A. I. E. E. Meetings are held frequently and papers are presented by different students. The subjects treated are in reference to great electrical problems of the day. The proceedings of the national organization are sometimes discussed.

# The Grist of the 24<sup>th</sup> Class



GEORGE E. FIELD.....Chairman  
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The Society of Mechanical Engineers was founded February 17, 1915. Interest was rather on the wane until the present year, when the society was reorganized. Weekly meetings are held, at which papers are presented by the student members. Current topics in reference to the mechanical engineering world are also read. The society has not as yet become affiliated with the national organization, but this step may be taken after the club is older. Besides the instruction obtained from attending the meetings, credit may be obtained by Juniors and Seniors in Seminar, providing a copy of the report be left with the club and another copy with the professor in charge of the above mentioned course.

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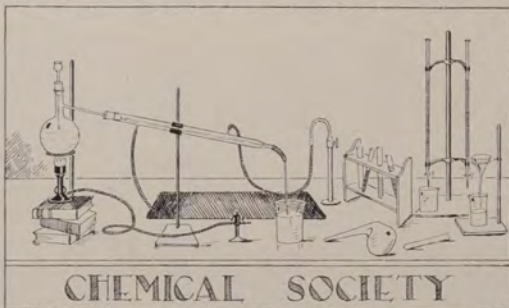


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- ALBERT E. MCINTOSH.....*Treasurer*

The Society of Civil Engineers is a new institution at the college, having been founded during the past year. The object of the association is to keep the members informed on the progress of the civil engineering world. The papers that have been presented up to the present time have been the work of students and professors, but in the future outside speakers will be obtained to speak on various important phases of civil engineering. The club is still in its infancy, but shows promise of fulfilling a need of the C. E. student.

# The Brist of the 24<sup>th</sup> Class



## CHEMICAL SOCIETY

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The Chemical Society was organized in the fall of 1915 for the purpose of stimulating greater interest in the science of chemistry, and its practical application, and for leading students to a greater appreciation of the vast importance of this science to mankind. Technical papers are prepared of the vast importance of this the regular bi-weekly meetings. It is planned to procure prominent chemists who are engaged in the field of Applied or Industrial Chemistry. The society has organized an employment committee for the purpose of aiding graduates and students in obtaining employment in connection with various branches of the chemical industry and research work. Although yet in its infancy, the organization has proved itself to be a thriving one, and great hopes are held for its future welfare.