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## Alumni News

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Rhode Island College of Education

ELECTION RESULTS

At the Annual Meeting held on May 19, Miss Caroline E. Haverly of Providence was elected the representative of the Associated Alumni of R.I.C.E. on the Board of Trustees of State Colleges. Miss Haverly succeeds Miss Sara L. Kerr of Central Falls, who served the College and the Alumni so well during her six years on the Board. The new trustee is head guidance counselor at Nathan Bishop Junior High School, Providence and is a former president of the Associated Alumni.

Also at the Annual Meeting the following slate of officers was elected for a two-year term: President, Miss Claire V. Ducharme; 1st Vice-President, Miss Mary K. Joyce; 2nd Vice-President, Miss Angela L. MacDonough; Recording Secretary, Miss Catherine M. Casserly; Corresponding Secretary, Miss Mary G. Davey, and Treasurer, Mr. Edward P. Travers. Miss Ducharme is a teacher in the Warwick school system and has served on the Executive Board of the Alumni for the past two years. She was graduated from R. I. C. E. in 1944. Members of the Executive Board appointed by the president include the following: Miss Ann M. McSherry; Mrs. James E. O'Neill; Miss Betty Reardon; Mr. James Donaldson, and Miss Marion I. Wright.

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COMMENCEMENT ACTIVITIES

This year, as in the past, alumni are urged to participate in the various activities of the College at Commencement time. The Centennial Commencement of the College will be held on Saturday, June 19, at 10:00 A. M. at Veterans Memorial Auditorium, Providence. It is especially important in this 100th anniversary year that as many alumni as possible take part. Since Judge Harold Medina is to deliver the Commencement Address and two alumnae of the College are to be awarded honorary degrees, interest is running high among alumni. Reserved seats will be set aside for all alumni who will march in the procession from the College to the Auditorium. Lines will form at 9:30 A. M. at Henry Barnard School, and in case of poor weather the procession will form at the same time (9:30) in the lower lobby of the Veterans Auditorium. In order that the proper number of seats may be held for alumni you are asked to return to the Alumni Office no later than June 12 the lower portion of this page signifying your wish to attend. All alumni of the College (this includes graduates of the Normal School and those who hold master's degrees from the College) are cordially invited and urged to participate.

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MEMORIAL FUND

In accordance with action voted at the last Annual Meeting the Clara E. Craig Memorial Fund and the Lucius A. Whipple Fund have been combined to form the Associated Alumni Memorial Fund (with special provision that the above names be perpetuated in whatever form the memorial should take), and the sum of \$100 has been added by the Alumni for this year. Naturally, this fund, the disposition of which awaits more definite information about the proposed new College and its possible needs, is always open for donations from generous alumni or friends of Rhode Island College of Education.

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SUMMER SCHOOL

Courses in the 1954 Summer School at R.I.C.E. open on Thursday, June 30, and close on August 11. Registration begins in the College Auditorium on Saturday, June 12, at 9:00 A. M. and continues through Wednesday, June 16, from 9:30-5:00 P.M. daily. Beginning with this summer session all courses will carry 3 semester hours of credit. The new schedule of fees previously outlined does not go into effect until September, 1955.

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DUES

Dues are now payable for the year 1954-1955. If your dues of \$1.00 are already paid for this next year (your membership card bears the date "1955"), please disregard this notice.

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I plan to march with the Alumni at Commencement and wish a seat reserved for me at the exercises at Veterans Memorial Auditorium on June 19, at 10:00 A.M.

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ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

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