

## Juniors Prepare To Celebrate Annual Gala Week, May 14

The Junior Week program has just about reached its final form, with the exception of a few small details, and is awaiting the arrival of May 14, the Monday of Junior Week, according to a statement by William H. Berry, Junior Marshal.

The features of the week will be Open House Night on Monday, the Home concert by the Musical Club on Wednesday evening, the Junior Prom Friday evening, and the Freshman-Sophomore Class Rush on Saturday.

Rush leaders for the two rival classes have been secretly elected during the past week, and every precaution is being taken to prevent their names from being disclosed. Circus day calls for a full program of track events, a tennis game, a parade by the band, the fraternity stunts, and the award of medals and cups by Prof. John J. Schommer, athletic director.

Detailed plans for Open House night, Monday, May 14, are also slowly formulating. They are described in a separate article.

The Musical Clubs' concert, scheduled for Wednesday evening, will consist of contributions by all the musicians, namely, the Glee Club, Band, Orchestra, and Stresses and Strains. Their program has also not been divulged in detail. The tentative plans of the Staff is to have the fourth issue of the NEWS out on Wednesday, and to distribute it at the concert in the assembly hall.

The "fraternity sing" will take place at the concert, a silver loving cup to be awarded to the house having the best singers and the best song. The judges are to be Dr. Daniel Protheroe, Prof. C. W. Leigh, and one other member of the faculty.

The Interfraternity Track meet is scheduled for Thursday, May 17. A circulating cup will again be ready for award to the winner of the meet. No individual cups will be awarded at this event.

A baseball game with Northwestern College of Watertown, Wisconsin, to be played on Ogden Field, will be the main event of Friday, May 18. It has not yet been decided whether classes will be excused on Friday or not, according to Berry.

## Shops, Labs To Display Wares At Open House

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tures of 15,000 lbs. per sq. in., Prof. Davies plans to demonstrate the power of a jet of water by cutting a board in two. Prof. Peebles' department will run friction and viscosity tests on lubricating oils. The flash and ignition points will also be determined. Several Junior Civils will run an efficiency test of a centrifugal blower. Steam engines and air compressors will be tested.

A number of engines will be displayed in the Automotive Engineering Laboratory. Among these are eight airplane engines varying from three to twelve cylinders, and with a range of 60 to 500 horsepower. Two outstanding features will be the Chrysler "Redhead" and a Packard six. This engine has four valves and four spark plugs for each cylinder. It has a compression relief mechanism and is fitted with an operating board.

The Physics Department are making plans to perform several spectacular experiments. Regular experiments include spectrum analysis and cathode ray tubes, but in addition it is planned to check high temperature measurements by four or five methods including thermo-couples, platinum resistance pyrometer, radiation pyrometer, and an optical pyrometer. A liquid air demonstration will be given, and the magnetic properties of liquid oxygen will be shown. Professor J. S. Thompson hopes to se-

## Tennis Round-Robin Makes Slow Progress

The tournament between the candidates for places on the tennis team has been progressing very slowly, being over a week behind the scheduled time. In the second round matches, Winkler defeated Montgomery, Rosenquist defeated Dobberman, Davisson defeated Von Gehr, Eddy defeated Schirmer. Several other second round matches remain to be played. The original entrants were: Montgomery, Scott, Winkler, Tuloskus, Faupell, Rosenquist, Dobberman, Paradzinski, Levine, Wilson, Westenburg, Manske, Spierer, Kajkowski, Piechetti, Patriek, Pilgrim, Davisson, Von Gehr, Jillson, Kantner, Schirmer, Mortenson, Eddy, Pfeifer, Spencer, Stevenson, Fee, Larkin, Landly, Iverson, Reuter, Lord, Baldwin, Johnston, MacLean, Sarkiss, Young, Katz, Chandler.

### THETA XI

The annual "6294" banquet was held at the Theta Xi house, Saturday, April 28, in honor of the founding of Theta Xi Fraternity. Over one hundred alumni and members were present. At this time the Chicago Theta Xi Club, in conjunction with whom the banquet was held, decided to present a library to the house. A. A. Righter, Yale aulmnus, started off by donating seventy-five volumes. Others followed suit, and soon three hundred volumes were given. The library will contain besides reference and classical material, quite a few books of a lighter vein.

"Parents' Day" will be observed at the house on May 6. The parents of the men in the fraternity are entertained at dinner on this day.

Theta Xi will hold their annual formal dinner-dance May 12. The Edgewater Beach Hotel has been chosen for the affair.

### SIGMA KAPPA DELTA

Sigma Kappa Delta will give its Spring Informal at the House on Saturday, May 5, 1928. John Tatar, '26, and "His Chips" will furnish the music.

### BETA PSI

Beta Psi wishes to announce the pledging of: Walter Breh Harley Mullins.

### WE BEG YOUR PARDON!

In our previous issue, Mr. Roy M. Henderson, '02, Alumni Trustee of A. I. T., was erroneously referred to as Mr. Roy M. Anderson.

Also in the article on the Sphinx pledges, the name of Charles P. Ware was accidentally omitted from the list. Ware was chosen in recognition of the excellent work which he has produced for the 1928 Cycle as Art Editor.

cure a sputtering outfit and a piece of apparatus which illustrates air afterglow property peculiar to nitrogen.

The Electrical Engineering Department will have a class performing tests on the thermal action and effects of high frequency currents. Operating characteristic of motors and generators will be studied. Radio tubes, a cost meter, a photo-electric cell, a jumping coil or contracting helix, and an electro-mechanical resonance device will provide interesting demonstrations.

### HIKING CLUB TO DUNES

The Armour Tech Hiking Club is planning a walk along the shores of Lake Michigan for Sunday, May 6. There will be a meeting today at five o'clock to discuss the final arrangements. At present, the plans include a trip either by bus or on the Lake Shore electric line to Miller as the starting point for the hike to Dunes Park. The Indiana Dunes have for many years been famous as the scene of pleasant trips by motor or on foot. Miller is centrally located in the Dunes; to the west is Big Tom while to the east is Dune Park and Michigan City.

## Dr. Raymond To Farewell Banquet At Ann Arbor

Dr. Howard M. Raymond will leave for Ann Arbor, Mich., Saturday, May 5, to speak at the farewell banquet which the Phi Delta Theta fraternity is giving for Prof. H. A. Sanders. Dr. Sanders, until very recently head of the Latin Department at the University of Michigan, has accepted the permanent directorship of the American Academy of Classical Studies, in Rome. Dr. Raymond, who has for forty years been an intimate friend of Dr. Sanders, looks forward to this reunion with him before he leaves for Italy.

## Triangle 19th Convention At Edgewater Beach

The Triangle Fraternity held its 19th annual convention at the Edgewater Beach Hotel last Thursday, Friday, and Saturday, April 26 to 28, inclusive. The alumni delegates that attended the convention from the Armour Chapter were Walter Reinert and Herb Witte; the senior delegate was Eugene C. Bacot, and Henry Christiansen was the junior delegate. The group attended "She's My Baby" at the Illinois Theatre on Friday night, and on Saturday evening, a banquet was held in the Black Cat Room of the Edgewater Beach Hotel.

## Varied Entertainment At Milwaukee Smoker

Mr. L. M. Peterson of the Cutler-Hammer Manufacturing Co., Mr. A. A. Thoms of the Westinghouse Lamp Works, and Mr. C. R. Roberts, manager of the Industrial Division of the Milwaukee Chamber of Commerce, were the chief speakers at the combined banquet and smoker of the Armour Branch of the A. I. E. E. given in the Plankinton Hotel of Milwaukee, Thursday evening, April 19. The banquet was part of the inspection program which took place on both Thursday and Friday of that week. The Junior and Senior Mechanicals were invited by the Electricals to make the trip with them, while they were also the guests of the A. I. E. E. at the banquet and smoker.

During the festivities at the banquet, entertainment was provided by both Armour students and by outside talent. A vocal solo by A. H. Everly, '28, a piano solo by L. F. Bernhard, '29, a saxophone solo by Maurice Goldstein, '28, a vocal solo by W. E. Briggs, '28, and a piano number by J. C. Hromada, '29, were part of the evening's program.

### PHI PI PHI

Phi Pi Phi announces the pledging of Garland Reichle, '30.

## Prof. Amsbary To Attend Health Assn. Conference

Professor Wallace B. Amsbary spoke Monday night, April 30, at Loyola University to the Catholic Woman's Club on the topic, "Laughter and Life." Immediately following the lecture Professor Amsbary left to catch a train to New York City where he will sit in at the meeting of the American Health Association today. The conference consists of a number of chautauqua lecturers who wish to obtain matter on health to present to their audiences this summer. Dr. H. N. Bundesen, former Chicago Health Commissioner, is president of the Association.

The Western Society of Engineers gave a smoker at the Delta Tau Delta house Wednesday, April 25. About 75 were present. The house was arranged in imitation of a Monte Carlo gambling room, and bogus dollar bills were freely played.

The Staff of the Armour Tech News, on behalf of Armour Institute of Technology, extends its deepest sympathy to Professor John J. Schommer, whose mother, Mrs. Herman H. Beckner, died last Wednesday morning.

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