

FORM HOMEWORK SYNDICATE

Soph Dance To Be Awful Flop

DAISY SCHOMMER GOOFS UP PLANS FOR SOPH BRAWL

STEW Reporter Uncorks Facts By Novel Strategy

"What right has Daisy Schommer buttin' into our business?" was the comment of Dodo Wilson, social chairman of the sophomore class and in charge of the soph dance to be run on or before "Chicago Day" in the World's Fair.

STEW Reporter Pulls Fast One
No comments could be obtained from either Daisy or Dodo with respect to details. However, after our STEW reporter had disguised himself as a solution of mercuric nitrate and hid himself in the lunchroom soup, he found out the following facts while being slooped up out of Daisy's bowl.

76 Years Wasted
Daisy Schommer has made his life work the analysis of sweat on hat bands. After seventy-six years of research, he suddenly became aware that he had entirely overlooked brown derbies. In his zeal to continue investigations, Daisy purloined the derbies of Lew Diamond's orchestra, and so now there will be no hurdy-gurdy at the dance, because the orchestra simply can't mute their obligations.

No Derby, No Playce
The orchestra has refused to play unless their derbies be returned and Daisy claims that they're in solution, and what you can't see you can't wear. Dodo Wilson is at present scouring the State Street talent in an attempt to scrape up something novel.

"Pile Driver" Wells Holds "Pa" To Draw

"Pile Driver" Wells and "Strangler" Pa Phillips fought a ten round bout in the recesses of Civil Alley for the entertainment of their students last night. The arena was crowded to capacity. It was a no-decision battle. Following is the fight round by round:

Round One
Pa recites the Three Moment Theorem while Wells yodels the accompaniment. Pa objects to Referee Nell Steele that Wells won't take his hands out of his pockets. After the Ref. takes a Dead Load of 60 lbs. of field rivets out of Wells' gloves, Pa decides he wants a malted milk. He leaves the ring and tells the Ref. that he'll be back before the tenth round. Wells decides that he has to filibuster in order to keep the two remaining spectators (the Ref. and the staff-spondent) awake.

Rounds 2 to 10 were omitted pending the return of Strangler Pa Phillips to the scene.

Round 10
Pa staggers blindly into the ring just as the bell sounds for the start of the tenth and deciding round. The spectators are on their toes. Wells changes the needle on the phonograph and starts an apache dance with Referee Steele. Pa takes a two hour rest in a neutral corner, and after being thus refreshed, he recites deflection formula for simple and continuous beams under different conditions of loading. This aggravates Wells who starts an oration on stress analysis. Time is called with both combatants going strong.

No decision was rendered for the above fray, it being the consensus of opinion that the best man won.

P. C. Huntly, Famous Gang Head, Found Dead On Campus This Morning; Foul Play Suspected By Chief-of-Police Following Long Search

Suspect Notorious Ex-Convicts on Armour Tech Faculty Following Outbreak of Gang War; Many Held

(Editor's note: No newspaper is complete without at least one good murder story featured on the front page. The only thing that bothered the editors was whom to murder. We decided to let the staff vote on this important question. So many candidates for the honor were put forward that it was impossible to do away with all these men and still have a semblance of a faculty. Then we decided to write a murder story without having a murder. The mere fact that there is no foundation or truth for the story is unimportant: the Tribune or the Herald-Examiner wouldn't let a little thing like that stop them from printing it.)

BILL GREENE IS INDICTED FOR TRACK GRAFT

After four hours of questioning last night, W. B. Green, '29, Track Manager broke down and confessed that he had accepted bribes from the freshman class to throw the inter-class track meet to be held today, according to the Deans' office.

"I just wasn't strong enough to stand the temptation, I guess," sobbed Greene as he poured out his story.

Greene Weakens Slowly
"Back in January, they offered me a stick of gum to see that they won, but at that time I refused. Gradually I was won over to accepting the huge offer, and when they offered me an almond bar, and agreed to give Lonnie Stagg a bag of peanuts, last week, we accepted the bribe. Oh, how I wish now I hadn't done it."

Track Coach Disappears
Greene is being guarded carefully to protect him from the infuriated members of the senior class who claim Greene had promised to let them win the meet. Coach A. A. Stagg, Jr., could not be reached last night to verify or disclaim his part in the dastardly plot. His secretary stated that he had gone to Europe for the evening. When later questioned, she reputed her previous statement, saying, "He broke a leg and they had to shoot him. No, you can't speak to him." As Coach Stagg never performs any work, his absence was noticed only when he was sought following Greene's confession.

Both Greene and Stagg face sentences of from one to five years in the state penitentiary if convicted. Greene, because of his confession, will probably get off with the minimum sentence.

Medals Prove Fakes
Coupled with the above information came the discovery that the medals to be given for winners in the (Continued on page 2, column 2)

PERIL LOOMS FOR FREUD'S ILLICIT BOOZE RACKET

"Tuffy" Freud's bootlegging business was seriously threatened recently when "Aurora Bill" Berry set up a regular saloon in the basement of the Phi Kap House the other day. However, Berry had difficulty in getting the lease on enough pipe lines to bring him an adequate supply, and the Sammy's, in their unbounded thirst, crashed the place and stole every drop he had, incidentally destroying the pipe lines to boot.

The stock of the Freud syndicate is now back at par, and is slowly climbing.

THE STORY

BULLETIN: 7:00 A.M., Feb. 4, 1929.
The mutilated body of P. C. Huntly, famous street cleaner and gang leader, was found scattered across the front steps of the new Home Economics building this morning at 6:30 A. M. by George Allison and Howard Raymond, Janitors' assistants. They immediately called the police but were unable to get the right number for several hours. While they were spending a pleasant morning in the phone booth, passersby noticed the body and notified the police. The police came and found the body. There it lay, a fingernail dismembered, lying across the third step. Immediate search was made for the criminals, but they had already escaped to the fastness of the T. X. house.

Kelly Thinks!

Chief of Police Ernest Kelly, in a copyrighted interview, says, "From the evidence on hand, we have reason to believe that Huntly happened to foul play."

"An immediate search will be made for the criminals, and they will be promptly brought to justice, providing they don't have a cousin-in-law on the Sanitary Board payroll."

Has Perfect Record

No motive for the murder has been put forth, as Mr. Huntly was known to have led a pure and blameless life; being head of the Pakone beer gang, and chief supporter of the most recent alki war. Huntly was in Sing Sing 1914-16; Joliet, 1920-24; Atlanta, 1926-27. Since his recent stretch at Atlanta Huntly has made a fortune selling copies of Faubel's "Economics." The following men are suspected of being involved in the case: C. I. Palmer, J. C. Penn, A. E. Phillips, G. F. Gebhardt, G. L. Scherger, G. M. Wilcox, H. McCormack, E. H. Freeman, C. E. Paul, J. B. Flanagan, E. H. Reed, C. B. Cooper, W. B. Amsbury, J. E. Snow, M. B. Wells, R. V. Perry, B. B. Freud.

A drag net has been thrown out around the dangerous Michigan Avenue section, where the fraternity hangouts for criminals are located.

Stevie Quits Testing Tea; Seeks Easy Graft

Professor R. L. Stevens, Class by himself, has handed in his resignation as the official tea-taster of the Armour Technitate of Instology this A. M. because of an argument with "Duke" Krathwohl over the use of colored chalk while illustrating math problems to color-blind underclassmen. Stevie has signified his intention of becoming Mayor of Chicago, or Governor of Cicero, or any job where he can betray the public trust.

Opposes J. Pierpont Morgan

It is the opinion of the Scandinavians Fishermen off the coast of Norway that Stevie entertains the enmity of J. P. Morgan, because it will be remembered that back in 1829 Stevie nosed out J. P. for control of the Castor Oil Company of Indiana. This fact enhances Stevie's chance of getting a good graft job; but as Stevie remarked to our reporter tomorrow, "After all, what's the use of my bein' the Sec. of the Treas. when I'm already the richest mon in the wurld, and hence I am practically spending my own sheckels?"

THE FIRST CO-EDS



—By Staff Snooper.
Left to right: Sally, Martha, and Evangelina.

First of New Co-eds Arrive, 500 To Come

At last the classrooms at A. I. T. will be brightened up and made attractive enough so that the tired students will be cheered to the point where they will no longer have any incentive to sleep during the lectures. And Mr. Allison has found a way in which he can accomplish this without going to a great expense for cleaning and painting; on the other hand, he will actually make a profit for the school by his method.

A Profitable Scheme

The scheme he proposed, and which is now being carried out, is to introduce into the classrooms a flock of co-eds, let them pay full tuition, and they will automatically stimulate the studes to much greater efforts and accomplishments than ever before attained.

Pictures Obtained

Our staff photographer, by dint of much crafty persuasion, not only obtained full particulars for the STEW but actually succeeded in obtaining the pictures of three of the newcomers. They appear on this page.

A total of five hundred co-eds will be enrolled, according to the official figures. No difficulty will be encountered because of a lack of class-room space, since it is said, the fair ones (none are over 200 lbs. or 40 yrs.) are expected to find themselves at home on the laps of the lonesome engineers.

Miss Steele Starts Exclusive Day-Club

A tea dasant will be held in the Library every afternoon henceforth, from three to five. Miss N. Steele will conduct an exclusive day-club, with elite dancing, no liquor except in gold flasks, and tea served sharply at 4:10 P. M.

Music Offered

Entertainment will be strictly of the highest type, to be offered by the down-state Barber Collegiate Orchestra, "Pests and Pains." Absolutely no vile jazz will be tolerated, but only the better class of dance music, such as "Catherina," and "She's My Baby Now" will be permitted.

Dean Pencil Backs Idea

Dean Pencil was the leading spirit motivating the idea. "The daily affair will once and for all solve the difficulties heretofore encountered with students smoking at the Main Entrance," he was quoted as saying.

Miss Steele consented, after much persuasion, to give a daily reading out of "Snappy Stories" while tea was served.

CHICAGO CURB IN RECORD DAY AS BULLS SPECULATE IN STOCK OF STUPENDOUS CORPORATION

B. Waybe Hindman's New Firm Will Revolutionize Study Conditions At Armour Neck; Will Reduce Suicides, Is Belief

46-STORY COLLAPSIBLE SKYSCRAPER PLANNED

By a Course Staffspondent

The Chicago Curb experienced the most frenzied day of its history yesterday when the stock issue of the newly organized Armour Tech Homework Syndicate sold out at a record high of 1,047 on par twenty-five securities.

All the bears and the bulls turned into lambs as the day came to a close, and what was first thought to be an attempt on the part of the faculty to corner the stock and thus frustrate the motive back of the founding of the new firm proved to be all hokum, since the bewildered profs tried to foretell the market trend by the application of their pet formulae and

found that they wouldn't work worth a hoot.

Hindman Heads Move

The Homework Syndicate is the brain-child of the w.k. Boyden W. Hindman, the senior electrical who first won fame and notoriety by walking off with the only new piece of apparatus that Mr. Allison has purchased in forty-four years, a 50,000 kv-a synchronous converter.

The idealistic motive which prompted the founding of this great syndicate is simply to lighten the task of the over-worked Armour Tech student and thus reduce the suicide rate at the school.

Rates Quoted

Here is the service which the company plans to give and the rate which they will charge for the same. They guarantee to put their customers through any course at the institute with only a slight amount of clerical work on the part of that customer. This will be accomplished by allowing the customer full use of a complete file of the reports, homework problems, quizzes, or what have you, that may be required in that particular course, and in addition, a letter of introduction to the prof in charge of the course, which letter will serve to give the student a big suck, the size of the suck obtained depending on the price paid for the letter.

Based On Earning Power

A tentative schedule of rates has been drawn up, which in all likelihood will be the one finally adopted. The charges vary with the grade that the student desires in the course, and with the number of semester-hours (Continued on page 2, column 2)

NECKS LOSE AS 20,000 NIBBLE THEIR PEANUTS

Twenty thousand spectators cheered, forty thousand eyes looked, six hundred forty thousand teeth (including the seventy-five thousand false ones) chewed peanuts while the Armour Neck quintet defeated the combined aggregations of Notre Dame, Southern California, Army, Navy, Illinois, Michigan, Carnegie Tech, Georgia Tech, Boston Tech, and the Y. M. C. A. in a Basketball game at the school gym on Lincoln's Birthday. The small seating capacity was a disappointment to those who did not get in. This was due to the refusal of Three Percent Allison to buy Soldier's Field, where about twice as many could be accommodated.

Score Tied, Favor Armour

The game started with score tied in favor of Armour, 0 to 0. Aloft on a couple of 2x4's that served as 40 dollar seats could be seen three of our most noted mathematics Profs. who were busily engaged in trying to expand the numbers on the score board. Opposite the math Profs. was perched a gathering of English Profs. who perused unceasingly with their dictionaries trying to locate some of the words that rose to their ears.

Knot Holes at Premium

Outside the massive edifice of the Main Building, there was a throng of several thousand squeezing against the brick walls in search of knot holes. Regiments of police were attempting to uphold the law of cosines but were nowhere to be seen.

Referee Gagged

The referee could not decide so he was dragged over to the side lines to keep from tripping the contestants. When he came to he was put back to sleep by the swarm of text books that came from all directions. Today, he is selling second-hand books in competition with Stanley "Dough" Liv. (Continued on page 4, column 3)

Gedunks Superheated Steam; Finds It Hot

Stanton Edward Winston, the boy who put the inematic in Kinematics, is recuperating gradually from injuries suffered while gedunking a glass of superheated steam. It seems that Winnie has been suffering from the recent hot wave, and while in the store he went crazy with the heat induced by the closeness of the atmosphere. While crazy, he dropped his order of superheated steam and the glass fell on his foot, cutting it, and incapacitating the incomparable disciple of Mephistopheles. There will be no let-up in the Professor's classes however.

Realize 'Stew's Dream Of Massive Stadium

The two-million dollar stadium which the STEW has been advocating for the past twenty years is finally to be realized into concrete and steel. The Schommer Memorial Bowl Committee has just made public their complete plans and specifications for the mammoth project.

Roof Site Selected

The roof of the Refrigeration Laboratory, once a prospective cabbage patch, and later a government proving grounds, will support this structure. The building will soar upward for an amazing number of feet, and is to be made of solid ivory.

Financing Completed

Because of the limited ground space available, a unique departure in stadium design will be made, the bowl to stand on edge instead of being constructed horizontally, as is the conventional practice. A special gravity-defier was designed by Professor Doubt to make this unusual feat possible.

Another novel feature in its design will be that it will be pivoted on its edge, so that it can be turned away from the sun or wind, and thus save the comfort of the players and the rooters.

The necessary funds were raised by the Associate and Assistant Professors at the last Freshman Handshake, where they cleaned up a cool two million sheckels in the sale of all-day suckers.

The construction work is expected to begin as soon as the weather permits, and is expected to be completed within fifteen days. The Athletic Association will then seek a use for the new stadium.