

FRESHMAN DANCE BIDS IN DEMAND; 200 ALREADY SOLD

Opera Club Will House Gala Freshman Function

Two hundred bids have been distributed during the first week of sales for the Freshman dance to be held April 12, according to Dave Chapman, Freshman Social Chairman. This advance sale exceeds by far any previous such sale for the school dances this year. As the capacity of the Opera Club, where the dance will be given, is less than two hundred and fifty couples, it appears probable that a shortage of tickets will occur before the night of the dance, over three weeks away.

The orchestra for the evening is to be the Aragon-Trianon Orchestra of Waddy Wadsworth's, widely known throughout the city. Chaperones will be selected during the next week, and will probably include several members of the faculty. The Opera Club is located at No. 18 Walton Place; easily accessible to students from north and south and west.

Members of the Freshman social committee are:

D. Chapman, Chairman
P. Abramson
V. Taylor
H. Hendricks
R. Fairbanks
F. Ollison

Track Team Ends Week With Triangular, AAU.

Today and tomorrow Armour's squad of rapid pacing trackmen will participate in two of the season's most colorful indoor meets. Today's meet will be a triangular affair with Chicago Normal and Morton College at the Chicago Normal Gym.

Tomorrow's program will be carried out at the Broadway Armory where the Central Association Amateur Athletic Union is sponsoring its thirty-first annual indoor championship meet.

Armour Strong Contender

Since Armour had defeated Chicago Normal last week and Morton College has only an equal rating with the teachers, Coach Stagg has expressed high hopes of winning today's meet.

All of Stagg's oldest performers are in good condition and are prepared to face their opponents. Among the entries will be Don Paul, holder of the Bartlett Gym Shot-put record, and Yount, hurdler and shot-putter, who won last week's shot-put match. Smith will enter for the two mile run. Captain Kara is rounding himself into shape for the high hurdles.

Medley Team Enters A. A. U. Meet

Armour will make its appearance in tomorrow's contest with four runners and Don Paul. The Medley team will be composed of Sturm or Ransel as the 220-yard runners, and Podipec or Fox in the quarter. Iverson will run the half mile and Richter will go the mile.

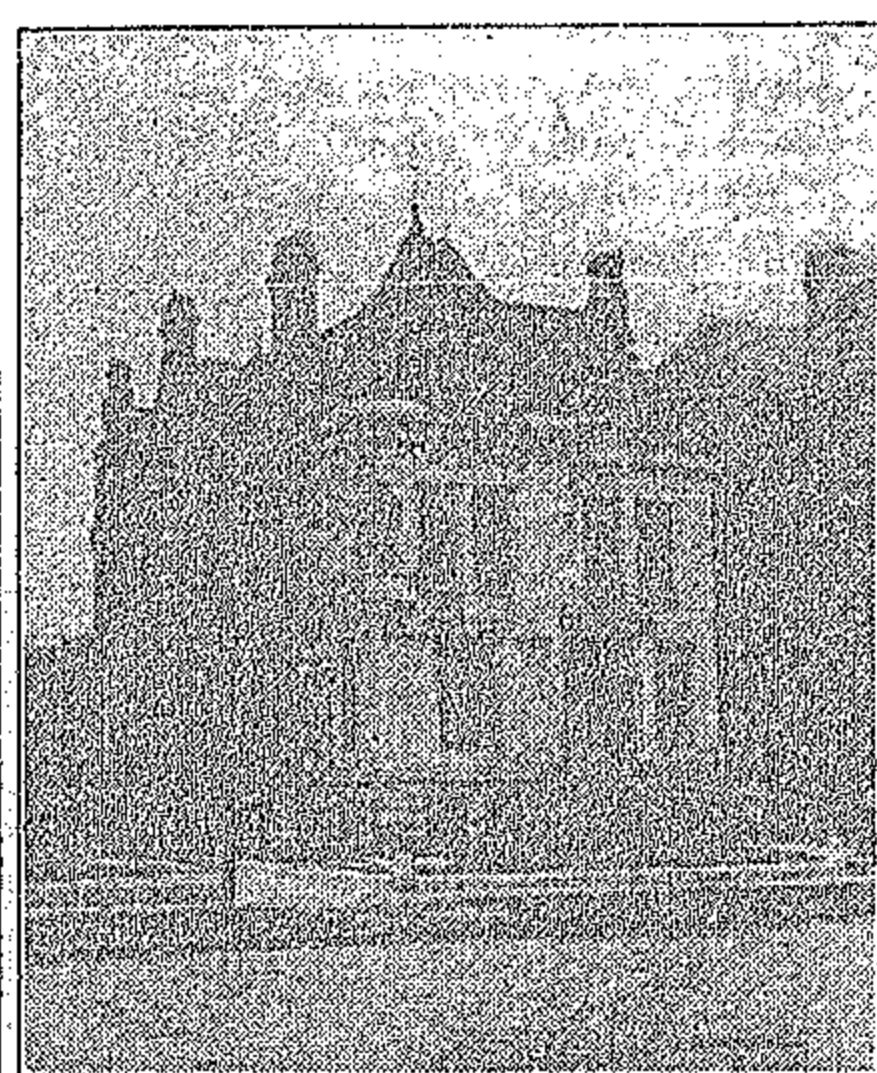
In H. P. Richter, the freshman miler, Stagg has found a valuable addition. Though this is his first season of college competition, he has steadily bettered his running time.

Iverson, too, shows good form in his half mile run.

Sturm, Ransel, Podipec, and Fox, the short distance runners, have demonstrated their ability in the recent Chicago Normal meet and if they repeat their performance, there is no doubt but what Armour will make a favorable showing.

Armour's one outlook for a first placing rests highly on Don Paul's exhibition. Don Paul has been heaving the metal ball 46 to 47 feet. His official record is 45 feet 8-5/8 inches. By holding this record he has proven to be superior to Buck Weaver of Chicago, who held the previous record of 45 feet 3 inches.

New S. K. D. House



3344 S. MICHIGAN AVE.

NO BREAKAGE AS SIGMA KAPS MOVE TO NEW LOCATION

Not a glass was broken, not a mirror cracked, and not a stick of furniture scarred, was the record established by the Sigma Kappa Delta men last Saturday when it moved from its old location at 3631 S. Michigan to its new home at 3344 S. Michigan. Seventeen men toiled a day long to transport the belongings in their new place, the members heave a sigh of relief. Though some painting remains to be done, drapes to be hung, and light fixtures to be put in place, the bulk of the work is accomplished.

All the floors on the first and second floors have been covered with linoleum and waxed. New furniture has been purchased and put in place. The dormitory has been fixed up, the serving of meals has begun, and study rooms have been fitted out.

The promised house-warming will be held as soon as the drapes are hung, fixtures installed, and the general arrangement and cleaning up is accomplished.

Ass't Mgr. of Baseball Team Open To Juniors

Any junior desiring to hold the position of assistant baseball manager is requested to make his application by writing a letter to Coach Kraft. Applications must be in before Monday, March 25.

The selection of the assistant will not be determined solely by the letter, but rather through an elimination process. After March 25 all applications will be reviewed and three or four of the most favorable applicants will be given tryouts. These men will work alternately for a short period of time, fulfilling the duties connected with the position. The best qualified man will then be named assistant.

The position of assistant affords a person good experience in the executive branch of the sport and further qualifies him for managership of next year's baseball team.

Dean Palmer Attends Association Meeting

Last Thursday, Dean C. I. Palmer represented Armour Institute at the annual meeting of the North Central Association of Secondary Schools and Colleges, which was held during the last week at the Stevens Hotel.

The object of the organization is the establishment of closer relations between the educational institutions in this section of the country.

Freshman Archers Want Distinctive Sweaters

A committee for the Freshman architects consisting of R. Fairbanks, I. Ackerman, W. Buck, and H. P. Richter, are now completing plans for the design and purchase of sweaters for the Freshman architectural students. These sweaters will be a class insignia, somewhat as the Senior coats are for the Seniors of all classes.

ELECTRICAL DEPT. SENIORS INSPECT TELETYPE PLANT

Other Inspection Trips Are On Schedule For Near Future

An inspection trip was made last week by the senior electricals to the plant of the Morkrum-Kleinschmidt Co. This trip, as have been a number of others already taken, was under the charge of Prof. Moreton of the electrical department.

The Morkrum-Kleinschmidt Co. are the manufacturers of the "teletype" machines used universally in wire and radio telegraph transmission where greater speed than is possible with manual keying is desired.

The machine has the appearance of a typewriter, but instead of printing on paper, causes a series of relays to be operated, sending out dots and dashes. The companion machine receives these dots and dashes and causes the keys of a typewriter to print the message on paper, seemingly by an invisible hand.

So far this semester all the inspection trips that have been taken by the electrical department were limited to the seniors.

It is planned to take a whole day off during junior week in which trips will be made by both the juniors and seniors to a number of plants. A battery works, a motor manufacturing plant and the Stevens Hotel are some of the places under consideration.

The Stevens Hotel would be of special interest to the electricals as it contains one of the finest complete power plants in the city.

A. I. E. E. MEETING MONDAY

There will be an A. I. E. E. meeting Monday at 10:30 a. m. in the Science Hall. An engineer from the Western Electric Company will speak on the development of loud speakers.

A. R. A.'s Mast Fails Under Wind Loads

During the heavy snow storm last Friday night, the steel mast supporting the antennae of the transmitter of the Armour Radio Club was blown down.

Last Thursday a meeting of the club had been held to obtain workers to assist in placing additional guy wires, there being some feeling that such an occurrence might take place.

So on Saturday morning a crew of "linemen" made their appearance, ready to make their mast safe against any storm that might blow. However fate was against them.

In a previous storm a rather unique curvature had been placed upon the pole. This time "Dame Nature" was not to be so easily pleased with her handiwork. Friday night dusk settled and a snow storm commenced, amply screening her deviltry. When dawn came and the screen of darkness was lifted, there lay the radio mast, looking like a pretzel, that a pretzel bender had decided was not worth finishing.

At this time the radio club has not definitely decided what action to take. Until a new mast is erected, all transmitting activity has been necessarily suspended.

There is some talk among members, that since they have been so poorly treated by Dame Nature, perhaps mental telepathy be substituted for radio telegraphy as their sphere of activity.

Prof. Amsbury To Give Poem Recital

Professor W. B. Amsbury, lecturer in General Literature, will speak to the Omar Khayyam Literary Club next Sunday evening. He will present readings of humorous poetry dealing with French-Canadian stories. The club meets at the Jewish Peoples' Institute, 3500 Douglas Boulevard, at 8:30 P. M. Admission will be free to all interested.

Schedule By Which Group Pictures Are To Be Taken Today For The "Cycle"

Announcement has been made of the time for taking of group pictures for the Cycle. All group pictures are to be taken today, March 21st, at the times indicated below. Students are excused from classes only for pictures in which they are included and at the time indicated.

A. M.
9:00—Junior Class—Ogden Field
9:00—Senior Social Committee—Main Entrance
9:30—Sophomore Class—Ogden Field
9:30—Junior Social Committee—Main Entrance
10:00—Freshman Class—Ogden Field
10:00—Sophomore Social Committee—Main Entrance
10:30—A. S. M. E.—Ogden Field
10:30—Freshman Social Committee—Main Entrance
10:35—Junior Marshals (1928)—Main Entrance
10:45—W. S. E.—Ogden Field
11:00—A. I. Ch. E.—Ogden Field
11:00—A. T. A. A. Officers—Main Entrance
11:05—Board of Athletic Control—Main Entrance
11:15—F. P. E. S.—Ogden Field
11:15—Honorary Dance Committee—Main Entrance
11:30—A. I. E. E.—Ogden Field
11:30—Cycle Assistants (Sophs)—Main Entrance
11:35—Leaders of Musical Organizations—Main Entrance
11:45—Architectural Society—Ogden Field
11:45—Engineer Assistants—Main Entrance

P. M.
1:00—Press Club—Ogden Field
1:15—Campus Club—Ogden Field
1:30—Radio Club—Ogden Field
1:35—NEWS Assistants—Ogden Field
1:45—Flask and Beaker—Ogden Field
2:00—Truss Club—Ogden Field
2:15—Rifle Club—Ogden Field
2:30—"A" Men—Ogden Field
2:45—Honor "A" Society—Ogden Field
3:00—Basketball—Assembly Hall
3:30—Band—Assembly Hall
3:45—Orchestra—Assembly Hall
4:00—Glee Club—Assembly Hall
4:15—Stresses and Strains—Assembly Hall
4:30—Boxing and Wrestling—Assembly Hall

ANNUAL SENIOR BANQUET TO BE HELD THURSDAY, MAY 2ND; PLANS ALREADY UNDER WAY

Committee Gets Early Start On Arrangements; Best Class Banquet In School History Is Forecast; To Be At St. Clair Hotel

TROGNITZ STARS IN SWIM CONTEST AS RECORD FALLS

At the swimming meet of the American Athletic Federation, held at the Lincoln Turner Hall last Saturday night, March 16, 1929, every Armour man who entered in the competition placed. Trognitz starred by forcing Van Tyne, National Amateur Champion, to break the A. A. F. record for the 200 yard breast stroke in order to win. Van Tyne's time was 2:46, while Trognitz came second with 2:51. Trognitz led at the 100 yard mark by three seconds, but lost out in the last hundred yards in a thrilling sprint.

In the trials Trognitz won his heat easily, leaving the field far behind. Van Tyne was in another heat, also winning his easily.

Strauch of Armour placed third in the fancy diving event, in a large field. Kavanaugh, freshman member of the team placed fourth in the 200 yard breast stroke, the same event in which Trognitz placed second.

Over a hundred swimmers were entered in the meet, one of the important national meets for collegiate and ex-collegiate swimmers.

R. E. Wilson To Give "Lubrication" Talk At A. C. S. Meeting

The speaker of the evening at the regular monthly meeting of the American Chemical Society, to be held at the City Club of Chicago, 315 Plymouth Court, at 7:30 is to be Robert E. Wilson of the Standard Oil Company of Indiana. His topic will be "The Mechanism of Lubrication."

During the war, Mr. Wilson served as a major in the Chemical Warfare Service. After the war he came to the Standard Oil Company in their research department, where he proved a large factor in the development of Iso-Vis, and also the recent idea of using balloons as a means of reducing evaporation losses from storage tanks.

Mr. Wilson is a member of the Chemical Society and has been active Chicago Section of the American in its support.

Mironowicz Improves; Starts School Work

The condition of V. C. Mironowicz, who was injured in the Logan Square elevated train crash last week, is very much improved. In his room at the Presbyterian Hospital, he has been constantly cheered by the presence of his friends and class-mates and by the gift of many flowers.

Since his feet and legs suffered from the accident it is impossible for him to move about. His condition, however, permits him to read and friends are aiding him in his homework so that he may be able to graduate with his class this summer.

Glee Club To Give WLS Radio Program

On Thursday, May 2, the Glee Club, under the direction of Dr. Daniel Prothro, will broadcast a series of six or seven selections over WLS, the Sear-Roeback station. This feature will be heard at 8:30 p. m. and the following numbers will be presented: "The Shadow March," "The Prayer Perfect," "The Lost Chord," "Where'er You Walk," "They Didn't," "The Song of the Marching Men." Plans are also being tentatively arranged for a broadcast program over WJJD at a later date.

The annual Senior Banquet will be held on the second of May on the roof of the St. Clair Hotel (Ohio and St. Clair Sts.) according to a statement made Tuesday by Abel Gent, member of the Senior class social committee.

Get Early Start

Preparations for the evening have been started exceedingly early this year in an attempt to make the banquet one of the most successful of its kind ever attempted. Already arrangements are being made to secure professional entertainment for the evening, and plans are being discussed for stunts, games, and similar diversions, which will be rewarded with prizes.

The proceedings will start promptly at 7:00 p. m. with the banquet itself, and will continue as long as the guests have any inclination to stay. The committee in charge of the affair consists of Abel Gent, George Peters, V. A. Peterson, H. H. Dozois, and C. H. Johnson, Chairman.

NEWS Smoker At Beta Psi's Tomorrow Night

A smoker for the members and prospective members of the staff of the NEWS will be held tomorrow evening at eight p. m. in the Beta Psi house, 3337 Michigan Avenue.

The meeting will be partly devoted to business, in which the future organization of the staff will be discussed. The remainder of the meeting will be devoted to entertainment. Smokes, sandwiches and coffee will be served.

Any students who wish to join the staff of the NEWS, or who have serious intentions of doing so next semester, are invited to be present at the meeting.

Toward the end of the semester it is planned to hold an Armour Tech News banquet, to which all staff members will be invited.

Architects Compete For Scholarships

The judgment of the class "A" IV project of the Beaux-Arts Institute of Design will take place March 26, 1929. The program issued February 2, 1929, consisted of the drawing and designing, in six weeks, of "a Masonic Temple."

Two scholarships of \$500 each to the Fontainebleau School of Fine Arts near Paris, will be awarded for the best designs submitted for this program. All senior architects have entered drawings in the competition.

Paper Making Given at A.S.M.E., A.I.C.H.E.

A set of films illustrating processes of the paper industry were shown at a joint meeting of the A. S. M. E. and A. I. Ch. E. in Science Hall last Thursday at 9:30. President Blomquist of the A. S. M. E. introduced Mr. L. Henely of the Butler Paper Corporation who showed the films and discussed the process of making paper from start to finish. Approximately fifty members of the two organizations attended. Only upper classmen are eligible for membership to these organizations.

FRATERNITY COUNCIL REJECTS RUSH RULES

There was a meeting of the Inter Fraternity Council on Friday, March 15. At this time the question of the new rushing rules was brought up. After a lengthy discussion, the council voted to reject the new plans, and to adhere to the old rules. R. Christensen presided at the meeting.