

Arx News

We've heard of Kipling's immortal "Boots," and of our old song, "Hail—Hail," but we really think they should write one for the architects. Our suggestion for a title would be "Mumps." And then if someone would become inquisitive enough to ask the reason, we would disclose the fact that three of the striving pencil-pushers had the mumps within two weeks. The victims were Vaughan, Bartlett and Shonka. We wonder who is next? Well, if you can't find the "Arx News" next week you'll know what happened.

The Sophomore Archs have been studying a sketch problem which was a little theatre for a small dramatic group. It was something quite new and foreign to our past subjects, so Professor Read succeeded in getting permission to go through the Kenneth Sawyer Goodman Art Theatre in the Art Institute. The trip proved to be of great help in designing the problem.

Instead of having scene shifters and such, the students there, build the scenery upon small moving platforms which run on tracks. They have one for each scene. Thus scene changing is quick, simple, and decidedly effective. This is just one of the many novel ideas.

In the Tribune of February 8, in the rotogravure section, were pictures depicting the present day styles in architecture. If you can get hold of that section, you architects, get busy with your little shears and put those pictures in your scrapbook.

Thomas E. Tallmadge, a member of the American Institute of Architects, says:

"The skyscraper built on a skeleton frame, invented and developed in Chicago about eighteen hundred and eighty-five, is America's great contribution to architecture and the science of building. Pressing toward the goal of efficiency, the architect has discovered unguessed beauties in stark engineering, and in the utilization of new materials, such as new metals and structural glass."

Basketball Season Ends With Victory

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Score Tied Again
Chicago Tech again knotted the score but soon lost the lead when Omiecinski sank a basket from mid floor. Another basket by Omiecinski, together with baskets by Beesterboer and Ott, helped to swell Armour's lead rapidly until the final 33-26 result was established.

BOX SCORE

Armour—33			B.	Ft.	P.
Robin, f.	1	0	3		
Rossing, f.	2	1	4		
Beemsterboer, c.	3	4	3		
Rutkowski, g.	1	1	4		
Omiecinski, g.	2	0	2		
Yuknis, g.	1	0	4		
Ott, f.	3	1	0		
O'Connor, g.	0	0	1		
	13	7	21		
Chicago Tech—26			B.	Ft.	P.
Cosme, f.	0	2	1		
Cezar, f.	4	4	2		
Peterson, c.	3	0	4		
Dietz, g.	1	2	3		
Lyons, g.	0	0	4		
Mai, g.	0	1	3		
Beckerling, g.	0	0	1		
	8	10	18		

PHI LAMBDA UPSILON MEETS

A business meeting of Phi Lambda Upsilon, Honorary Chemical Engineering Fraternity, was held in the chapter rooms last Wednesday. The regular business of the fraternity was attended to and plans for a unique program for the semester were discussed.

Inquiring Reporter

Question: What do you think of the new lighting equipment that has been installed in the electrical and chemical laboratories?

H. W. Richter, E. E., '32.—The type and intensity of illumination in the E. E. Lab is a great improvement. I think that it would be a good idea to install some such system in the library.

R. J. Abramson, E. E., '31.—I believe that the new lighting system in the labs and the proposed lighting system of the Electric Lecture room will be a great aid to the students as it will lessen eye strain. I hope that in the near future the entire building will be so lighted.

E. W. Job, E. E., '33.—It is a very great improvement over the former system and I find it much more pleasant to work in the lab now. We will study electric lighting in a short time and will then appreciate it more fully.

Milton L. Priban, E. E., '33.—I think that the new system is a great improvement over the old. Experiments can be performed more efficiently, and the laboratory can be used as a study room.

Charles Blahna, E. E., '31.—The new system is something that has been needed in the lab for a long time. Now it is possible to work there with greater efficiency. It will be fine when the new lights are installed in the Electrical Lecture room.

W. Sandstrom, E. E., '32.—It is a very noticeable addition to the lighting system as it was almost impossible to work in the lab under previous conditions.

NEW BOOKS

NON-TECHNICAL
Penguin Island
Anatole France

Arrowsmith
Sinclair Lewis

TECHNICAL
Principles of Chemical Engineering
Badger & McCabe

American Practical Navigator,
1930 Ed.
Nathaniel Bowditch

Spirit of Chemistry
Alexander Findlay

Sound Projection
Rudolph Miehl

Wave Mechanics
A. J. W. Somerfield

Textbook of Sound
A. B. Wood

Matter and Energy
Gerald Wendt & Oscar F. Smith

Plan School-Wide Boxing Tournament

Inquiry among the various entrants in the Armour Tech boxing tournament has revealed that all of the contestants at some time or other engaged in fistic encounters, both in the ring and otherwise, which all goes to indicate that heated strife will characterize the bouts.

Although the entry at present is not large, talks among the students, which result in dares and arguments, will probably induce more to enter.

This is the first school-wide tournament held at Armour. There is no reason why there cannot be ample representation in every weight, especially in an institution which has over 800 men students.

Those who contemplate entering should do so immediately so as to speed up the arrangements for the actual fights.

Every man, regardless of the amount of experience he has had, should take advantage of this opportunity to gain some useful knowledge and self-confidence.

Madera, Cal., has approved the establishment of a municipal airport.

Injuries Force Pugs To Cancel Two Bouts

Injuries to four of Coach Weisman's leather pushers, leaving a balance of only six eligible fighters, necessitated the cancellation of two out of town engagements, in which the squad was slated to appear. The meets were to have been held at Springfield and Bloomington, Ill. Negotiations had been completed for the appearance of the Armour Tech pugs, but as the expenses of the Tech squad were to have been paid entirely out of gate receipts, it was deemed justifiable, in as much as injuries had cut down the active roster of the team, to cancel the dates. Never in the history of the Armour Tech boxing team have injuries exacted such a toll, and interfered so seriously with its progress.

In spite of all these bad twists of fate, an agreement has been reached between Manager Cannon and the athletic representative at Loyola University to hold a series of bouts, one at each school, in the very near future. Loyola is noted for the high caliber of their athletic squads and the boxing team is probably no exception. On this basis, the appearance of these two aggregations in the same ring should provide some lively action.

Manager Cannon is dickering with other athletic organizations in the city in an effort to arrange a card in the Tech ring.

Metallurgy Lab On Chemical Phone Line

In line with the general trend of improvements around the school, the chemical department has added to its phone system by including the metallurgy laboratory in the circuit.

The new line will connect that laboratory with both the storeroom on the third floor and Professor McCormack's room in the offices of the department, this will greatly facilitate business between these points.

FRATERNITY NOTES

PHI KAPPA SIGMA

The following pledges were initiated last Friday into Alpha Epsilon of Phi Kappa Sigma: Donald L. Jacobson, F.P.E. '34; Carl H. Sacho, F.P.E. '34; Russel F. Sullivan, F.P.E. '34; and Paul J. Thompson, E.E. '34, before a record attendance of three hundred Phi Kaps, who assembled at the Union League Club for the first annual tri-chapter initiation. The nine grand officers of the Fraternity were present in addition to representatives from nine of the "Big Ten" chapters. A banquet followed and Hon. Clyde E. Stone gave the address of the evening.

The Informal Dance held Saturday night at the house was one of the most successful of the year. Cope Harvey's Blue Devils furnished the music. Guests from five other chapters were present to enjoy the dance.

SIGMA ALPHA MU

Sigma Epsilon Chapter is pleased to announce the transfer to Armour of Aaron Poriss from the Sigma Eta Chapter at Purdue University. Poriss is a sophomore in the department of Civil Engineering.

THETA XI

A radio dance is to be held at the chapter house this Saturday evening, February 28th.

Brother Lopate, of the Epsilon Chapter, Columbia University, honored the fellows at the house with a visit, last Friday.

Brother Lopate, after graduating from Columbia last June, spent several months in Paris and is now

on his way to Shanghai, China, to aid his father in business.

Pledge Brother Monberger, of the Sigma Chapter, at Michigan, also dropped in at the chapter house last week, during a visit to Chicago.

BETA PSI

Francis Austin, F.P.E. '31, served ice cream and cake to the Beta Chapter in celebration of his engagement to Miss Bertha Oestreicher which was recently announced.

Saturday, February 21, E. A. Wegner, E.E. '32, began his Probation week preparatory to initiation on March 2.

Brother Maxcent from the Alpha chapter of University of Illinois, dropped in to pay us a visit.

SIGMA KAPPA DELTA

The annual initiation banquet held on Saturday, February 14, was attended by following personages: Prof. Heald, faculty member; Fred Payne of the Indiana Inspection Bureau; Kramer of the Ohio Inspection Bureau; Sandborn and Snyder of the Wisconsin Bureau; Strauch, C. E. Herbst, C. A. Herbst, H. W. Herbst, Ross, Linnell, Kilbourne, Moorhusen, Voita, Andrews, Newlin, Tschudy, Ranson, Cornwell, Cook, Grubb, and Cowen, who are alumni and former Armour men.

TRIANGLE

Eleven pledges are now in the second week of probation which is better known as Hell Week. Initiation will take place Sunday afternoon at the chapter house. A banquet in honor of the new brothers will immediately follow at the Chi-

cago Beach Hotel where J. W. McCaffery will be toastmaster.

DELTA TAU DELTA

The departure of James McAlear necessitated the election of a new chapter president. As a result of the elections, the following men now hold office:

A. Julian Lenke—President.
John R. Jackson, Jr.—Vice-President.
Walter H. Larson—Corresponding Secretary.

Radio Association Meets Next Friday

Next Friday, at 10:30 in the Electric Lecture room, the Armour Radio Association will have a meeting at which plans for the conduct of the Institute radio station will be formulated. The station, which is now in operating condition, is under the direction of E. G. Squires, chief operator. Anyone wishing to become a member of the Association should attend this meeting.

SENIOR COMMITTEE MEETS

The Announcement Committee of the Senior Class will hold a meeting today at the Sigma Kappa Delta House. The meeting will take place at 1:30 p. m. All members of the committee should be present for the policy of the committee will be developed.

Among the enemies of American fish are the kingfisher, the great blue heron, otter and mink, the latter two not only killing for food but also for love of killing.

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