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## FRESHWEN TALENT BROUGHT FORWARD AT NEWS WEETING

## Professor Hendricks, Wilbur Rudolf Speak

### MANY VETERANS BACK

The first meeting of the News staff was held in the News office at five o'clock last Tuesday. In addition to last year's members, there was also a group of new men.

After the new-comers had filled in program cards, the editor, W. H. Rudolf, spoke to the fellows in an introductory way. He gave them a brief insight into the work of the school weekly, explaining that there was enjoyment to be derived from such outside activity in addition to the work involved.

Professor Hendricks was introduced and spoke to the men about the necessary part the News plays in the school's life. He closed his talk by promising the staff a social gathering sometime in the near future, possibly at his home.

The new men were divided into two groups, business and editorial, according to that part of the work in which they were interested, and general instructions as to the work in each department were given them by the heads of the different departments.

close of the meeting with an as- day night. Students can be enrolled signment to test their ability at any time this week. newspaper reporting.

## Glee Club Meeting Shows Big Turnout

Club this semester was held last Thursday at five o'clock in the Asmen were signed up, sophomores ber. and seniors in predominance. A large number of new men turned out and much promising material offered itself. Practice will begin at the next meeting.

Dr. Daniel E. Protheroe has just returned from an interesting summer abroad. Part of his time was spent in acting as guest conductor at a music festival at Wales, where he led a group of 1500 voices. Newspaper reports of his illness have been greatly evaggerated. Dr. Protheroe himself says that ne felt only a little pain, while the newspapers inferred that the illness was serious.

After welcoming the old members back and greeting the new ones, he held tryouts for the new men and fifteen were successful. More men are expected to turn out for the next practice, which will be held Thursday, Oct. 8.

The glee club will practice every Thursday afternoon throughout the semester in the assembly hail. Freshmen especially are urged to join the organization.

## Senior Civils' Shoes Taken by Classmates

Some would call it quite a feat, but others would merely say that it indicated a lowly trend of mind on the ness. part of the senior Civils. Be that as it may, a group of Civils ambushed one of the r classmares, Frank Hromada, on Federal St. last Friday and removed his shoes. It was only after a severe struggle that the victim admitted defeat. The shoes were hidden in "B" Mission room where the much abused, footloose youth appeared in class in his stocking feet. Here the shoes were recovered by Hromada who vowed that, "someone should pay for this!" Or perhaps he meant foot the bill.

## Frosh Conduct Class Meeting

Proceedings for their coming election were explained to the freshmen by Professor Heald, dean of students, at a class meeting held in the Assembly Hall Thursday, Oct. 1, at 10:30. He listed the various offices to be filled and appointed Robert V. Smith to act as chairman, and Howard J. Zibble as secretary.

An election committee, consisting of representatives from each department, was selected by the chair- | itor.

Due to a postponement of the Freshman Handshake, the date for the completion of the nominating petitions was set for Thursday, Oct. 15. The petitions must be in the hands of Dean Heald before 4:00

Nominations by petition were in- Editor. augurated last year and all classes seem to favor this method as a marked improvement over the sys- tor. tem used formerly.

Stehno '31 and one of the managers | salesmen were consulted in regard of the freshman baseball team, re- to materials, cover designs, etc. Any ported that the lineup for the first | snapshots taken during the last year game was made up, and consisted concerning the activities of Armour of those attending the practice ses- | men should be turned in to Lange sion. All freshmen present were as soon as possible. urged to come out and root for the

## Students Register for Evening Classes

Registration for night school for The new men departed at the the coming semester began last Fri-

On the first night of registration only 385 men werd signed up while on the first night of last year there were 750. However these indications can not be taken as final for there is still the rest of this week for enrollment. At the end of the week, The first meeting of the Glee | last year the total number was 950, and, though there will probaby not be as many this year, it is quite cersembly Hall under the direction of | tain that the total will be consider-Dr. Daniel E. Protheroe. Forty-six ably greater than the present num-

## CLUB MEETS

The "34" Club had a meeting in Science Hall last Friday morning to en, vice-president; E. L. Byanskas, compose a ticket for the Sophomore | secretary; W. H. Rudolf, treasurer; election. Bob Cheatham was elected | E. J. Wiltrakis, corresponding secreto run for president; Bert Peterson | tary; H. S. Nelson, student reprefor secretary; Headen for social sentative. chairman, and G. A. Nelson for the Sophomore representative on the this year successful socially as well Athletic Board of Control.

## SCHODDE HEADS STAFF OF CYCLE; NEEDS MORE MEN

Organization of the staff of the 1932 Cycle has been completed and the work on the new annual is well under way. The editor-in-chief is Glen W. Schodde, who was Associate Editor of the 1931 yearbook. Other positions on the staff will be held by the following men:

Otto W. Staib, Business Manager. Carroll K. Simons, Associate Ed-

John H. Miller, Organization Edi-

Walter H. Larson, Fraternity Ed-William W. Lange, Photography

Editor. Thomas D. Luckett, Art Editor.

Gunnar E. Berglund, Feature Edi-

Joseph Stehno, brother of E. 10:30 in the Cycle office several

Freshman and Sophomores who wish to work on the Cycle will meet in the Cycle office, third door, Chapin hall, at five o'clock Wednesday. This is an excellent opportunity to obtain experience which will enable you to hold responsible positions on the staff later on.

## W. S. E. Officers Begin Drive for Mombers

A drive for members was begun yesterday by officers of the Armour branch of the Western Society of Morton Fagen Will Engineers. This drive is preliminary to the opening of a series of lectures and meetings which according to President Rossing will be open this year to members of the society only. The membership fee is one dollar

per year and the cards may be obtained from any of the officers of this organization. The officers for this year are:

H. C. Rossing, president; O. Eskon-Plans are now under way to make

as professionally.

## Junior Chemical Engineer Has His Two-Week Dignity Removed

At 10:30 last Thursday morning | charge of the operation. Wilson, the hirsute attempt of one John H. once a victim, took a huge delight Miller (known to his classmates as | in wielding the razor. Honest John, Long John, John the Barber, etc.) was half removed.

followed. But the second time the was the last straw. indoor ball hit Mr. Miller it managed to land on his head, causing the dis- and wrigglings that drew him the placement of one little kink in his handsome reward of a mouthful of massive brain. As a result of this he has hated to let the razor move over his upper lip. Hence the hence-

When school convened this fall, Honest John was seen with a bushy, that his violent displacements of bristling mustache, each hair of his mass, might easily result in acwhich was at least 0.000000000195 cidental homicide or, at the very mm. in length. The envy of his least, disfigurement for life, subclassmates increased in never ending | sided. crescendo. Finally they could stand the outrage no longer.

took him for a ride (in the elevator adjournment, it was seconded, and of course) to the fifth floor wash- the fifty assembled members of the room where Chief Latherer Booth anti-mustache group silently filed and Chief, Shaver Wilson took out of the room.

Unfortunately while all this was taking place Miller seemed to regard During the daily ball games, an | the entire proceedings as a joke. But outstanding feature of the Special | when the implement that has a use Methods course last Summer, John | in improving the landscape condiwas hit by a pitched ball on two tions was produced, his face fell lowoccasions. The first time he was hit er than the stock market. And the in the knee and nothing disastrous lather in the hands of Doctor Booth

> John began a series of kickings very select lather. At one time conditions grew so bad that many shouts of "Cut off his whole lip!" were heard.

But the victim, finally realizing

Then after Wilson applied a few deft strikes with the razor, the With grim determination they | "President" called for a motion of

#### PROGRAMS MUST BE IN

In order that the Deans' office may be able to locate students in an emergency, it is necessary that all program cards be turned in immediately.

## Frosh Handshake Tomorrow Night

Much exercise will be given the right arms of Armour Tech's most recent additions to the student body on next Wednesday night, October 7. This will occur at the Annual Freshman Handshake, to be held at 7:30 in the assembly hall, in Mission building. The program, as usual, will be in charge of the Campus Club, assisted by various other Henry F. Becker, Jr., Athletic organizations in the school.

The program for the evening will Jarl T. Sorensen, Social Editor. include a few numbers by the band, which is a new organization and entirely separated from the orchestra. At a meeting held last Friday at | Also, there will be some songs and cheers, and several faculty members will give short speeches.

Campus Club is Sponsored The Campus Club, which is sponsoring the Handshake, is a non-partisan body, and takes no part in school politics. The freshmen will be told about it by A. R. Viel.

Immediately after the program, the assembly will descend to the basement and partake of the traditional cider and doughnuts, and a general "get together" will be had. The upperclassmen will be on hand to greet the freshmen and welcome them into the school life.

The handshake provides an excellent opportunity for upper-classmen and the new students to get acquainted in an informal manner, and all freshmen and other new students should come.

# Represent H. K. N.

At a meeting held Monday, September 29, in the chapter rooms Mortion Fagen, E. E., '32, was unanimously elected to represent the Armour chapter of Eta Kappa Nu at the annual convention of that association to be held on October 30-31 at Cornell University in Ithaca, N. Y. Delegates of the twenty-three active and seven alumni chapters will gather at the convention to review the activities of the organization as a whole and to consider changes and modifications of its op-

It was recently announced that the National Executive offices of Eta Kappa Nu had been moved from Flushing, N. Y. to Chicago. This includes the publication office of the Bridge, the fraternity magazine.

## CALENDAR

Tuesday, October 6

4:00 P. M. Championship Baseball Game, Ogden Field.

5:00 P. M. Orchestra Practice, Assembly Hall, Mission. Wednesday, October 7

9:00 A. M.-3:00 P. M. Senior Class Election, Science Hall, Main. 9:00 A. M.-3:00 P. M. Junior

Class Election, Science Hall, Main. 8:00 P. M. Freshman Handshake

Assembly Hall, Mission. Thursday, October 8 8:30 A. M. Social Fraternity

Rushing begins. 5:00 P. M. Glee Club Rehearsal, Assembly Hall, Mission.

Friday, October 9 9:00 A. M.-3:00 P. M. Sophomore Class Election, Science Hall, Main.

Saturday, October 10 8:30 A. M. Golf Tournament, Evergreen Golf Club.

## Armour Engineer Staff Announced

Plans for the forthcoming issue of the Armour Engineer were discussed at a meeting of the staff held last Monday at two o'clock in the Engineer office in Chapin Hall. M R. Beal, the new editor-in-chief, said that although the details of the issue had not been settled, it was certain that there would be at least four articles by students, among which will be the Eta Kappa Nu prize winning essay of last year by James Juvinall.

#### Assignments Given Out

Assignments were given out to the various members of the staff, held Wednesday, October 7 in Sciand it was urged that new men come ence Hall. Voting hours are from out for positions which are vacant. 9:00 A. M. to 3:00 P. M. Everyone who is interested is invited to attend the next meeting at | in petitions signed by at least twenwhich tryouts for new men will be ty-five classmates: arranged, and details of the coming issue will be discussed more fully. A notice of the time will be posted as soon as it is arranged.

The following men will comprise the editorial staff for the coming year:

M. R. Beal-Editor.

M. Fagen-Associate editor.

G. W. Schodde-Articles editor. H. Kreisman—Local editor.

M. Berger-College Notes. W. A. Holland — Engineering

F. M. Gibian-Humor editor.

W. Lange-Staff Photographer.

S. B. Cone—Art editor. E. Curran-Assistant.

J. J. Gura—Assistant.

## Many New Men Added .. To Armour Orchestra

A meeting of the Orchestra was held last Tuesday in the Assembly Hall at five o'clock. About twenty of the old members were present and fifteen new men joined the group, all freshmen. Some of the orchestra sections which have been short of instruments have now been substantially re-inforced with promising new material. No practice was held at this time, the purpose of the meeting being to organize and to have the new members become acquainted.

## Band Rehearsal Friday

At G. Bonvallet's suggestion, a Band has been formed consisting of the wind instruments from the orchestra. The first rehearsal was held on Friday afternoon with W. Hornberger as leader.

The need for a Band has long been apparent, especially for impromptu functions where the whole orchestra cannot rehearse a program in limited time. The insufficiency of the number of men in the orchestra has prevented the formulation of one. Even now additional members could be used and anyone who can play an instrument is urged to come to the rehearsals.

The band is to make its first appearance at the Freshman Handshake tomorrow night.

## Armour Architect Is Awarded First Medal

Ray Peterson, senior architect, was the winner of the first medal Arts problem. The problem was Freshmen Attempt to "A Municipal Air Port for New York City." Five Armour students participated in the contest which was open to men from all parts of the United States. The fact that Peterson won the highest honors in the project is entirely in accord with the splendid record which has degradation of energy. been established by Armour archi- Then one gained courage and asked tects in the past.

ning of the last one.

# TO CAST BALLOTS OFFICERS

## Candidates' Petitions Promise Big Vote

### ELECTION WEDNESDAY

In accordance with the policy decided upon at their last class meetings, the seniors and juniors have nominated by petition the candidates for class officers. Elections to be

The following seniors have turned

#### President Stanley M. Lind

Wilbur H. Rudolf

Vice-President

Alton J. Jungels Thomas A. McGill Frank Ustryski

Secretary

John O. Cavanagh Glen W. Schodde

Treasurer Alexander Bogot

Charles J. Jens

Social Chairman James J. Casey

Stanley Grundstrom The election committee is headed by Harold R. Davis. Its function is to print ballots, count votes, and attend to the mechanical details of the election. Other members of the

election committee are:

G. L. Bonvallet

C. N. Cannon H. C. Rossing

E. A. Scanlan, Jr. O. G. Linnell

Juniors will vote for their class officers by marking a ballot in Science Hall between the hours of nine and three on Wednesday, October 7. Gunnar Berglund is in charge of the

petitions. The committee to take charge of the election is composed of one man from each department so that each division will be equally represented. Following is a list of the committee members:

W. Booth, Ch.E.

A. Bronwell, E.E.

E. Runge, Arch.

P. Carlstrom, M.E. E. Beard, C.E.

G. Berglund, F.P.S. The candidates whose petitions were received within the limit of time allowed, Friday at 5 o'clock

## President

are:

W. Lange

N. Penfold Vice-President

G. Beemsterboer

#### C. Simons Secretary

W. Larson W. Davies

Treasurer J. Fernbach

D. Pearson Social Chairman

H. Bodinson

H. Bannasch

## Crash Junior Class

They sat in bewildered silence and listened to such expressions as the mutual convertibility of heat and mechanical energy, intrinsic energy increase, absorption dynamometers, and

timidly, "Isn't this the machine shop It is a coincidence that this is the class?" Upon being informed that it second first medal to be won this was thermodynamics, six freshman year by an Armour student, though rose and sheepishly filed from the it was three years since the win- room. They were just two years early for that class.