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After You've Seen Everything

Well, how did you like the show? Spectacular, astounding? That was scarcely the purpose of Open House Night; to present a picture of what Armour does—the fundamentals of science turned to the accomplishments of engineering—these are what the exhibits have tried to present. Research, the tool of science, shows its results in every department by applying these fundamentals to the solution of our modern problems. Short wave communication, safeguarding public water surplus, diesel engines, the latest fire protection devices are the results of engineering as

it uses the basic principles of science.

So do the courses of Armour offer a broad foundation to the man who wants to enter the field of engineering. Starting with the tools of the profession, mathematics, physics, and chemistry—as well as drawing and English, the foundation is laid for future specialization in any department. Advanced courses then lead directly to the most recent work in particular engineering fields. The fact that engineers are coming now and more to step into important business posts is also recognized by training in the operation and control of business enterprises.

Probably of importance comparable to the departmental work presented tonight is another phase of the development of the all-around engineer. Rounding out the programs followed by the student is the extra-curricular part of college life. Athletics, fraternities and engineering societies, newspaper and magazine writing present opportunities leading to rewards beyond those of the classroom. Meeting practicing engineers, competing with other schools in sports, presenting a speech or an article for publication, these are what the student engineer does in the activities which are preparing him for the work he will do after graduation.

So that is what Armour Tech is. We've shown you a large part of it, and to one and all, it's been a pleasure to have met you.

A.T.S.A. Election

Next week, the first election of officers of the revised student governing body will take place. The new slate consists of the best men of the school instead of only athletes as was done because of a misunderstanding under the old name. To be sure, there are several athletes on the slate, but they are there because they are real leaders. This is not meant to be derogatory in any way to the former officers; in fact a majority of the leaders at Armour have been athletes.

Students must recognize this when they see the ballot next week and try to select men they trust, men who will work hard for the student body and Armour Institute. In the hands of the new A.T.S.A. officers will rest the decisive power of the most important body at school. Let's elect the best men to hold these offices.

The Slipstick

Cleave to the slipstick; let the slapstick fly where it may.

You have all been justly warned and have done nothing about it. Zazu will once more come into your midst. Suffer, suffer—(Heh, Heh, Heh—)

Twinkle, twinkle, little star,
How I wonder where you are;
High above I see you shine,
But, according to Einstein,
You are not where you pretend,
You are just around the bend;
And your sweet seductive ray
Has been leading men astray
All these years—O little star,
Don't you know how bad you are?

Two Irishmen laid a wreath of flowers on a comrade's grave. Across the cemetery was a Jap laying some rice on the grave of his friend.

Asked an Irishman, "When do you expect your friend to come and eat the rice?"

"When your friend comes to smell the flowers," was the reply.

How was I to know you didn't love me

When you told me such convincing lies?

How was I to know that you were lying,

And didn't mean the promise in your eyes?

How was I to know that when you kissed me

You would laugh because you thought me true;

But what you didn't know when you were laughing,

Is the biggest joke of all—I lied too.

B. A. Fox.

Poetry makes one think of birds, so turning to section "B" and looking under "bird gags" we find: Birds of one feather usually catch colds.

AMONG US GIRLS

Gracious, it's been five years since I've seen you. You look lots older, too.

"Really, my dear? I doubt if I would have recognized you, but for your coat."

We have all taken quizzes before, but how few of us know what the word "quiz" really means. Here's how Webster's New International Dictionary defines the word: We quote "Quiz — 1. To ridicule; to banter; to chaff or mock with pretended seriousness of discourse." Look it up if you don't believe us.

Fraternity Notes

PI KAPPA PHI

At a meeting held last Wednesday, the recently elected officers were installed. They are as follows:

Archon Idris Thomas
Treasurer Robert A. Winblad
Secretary John F. Sturgeon
Historian Roy A. Burman
Chaplain Frederick H. Jost
Warden James C. Hodel

Preparations have been made so that we may accommodate a sizable gathering at our chapter house during the Fraternity Open House on the evening of Tuesday, May 12.

Under the direction of Brother Engelschall, the track team has been taking shape. With the additional practice all members will have before the Interfraternity Meet, they should offer stiff competition to all other teams.

The explanation of the musical chords originating in our house is the new harmony, to our songs, which have been written by Brother Doudera. Concentrated practice has been carried on in the desire of retaining the cup won by our chapter last year.

DELTA TAU DELTA

Our Alumni Celebration last Friday, in honor of Founders' Day, was a huge success. Many of the Alumni of our chapter dropped in and quite a few from other chapters paid a visit.

The Delta Prom last Saturday night found most of us in white coats for our highlight of social events. The effects of Friday night's party didn't appear and every one had a good time.

Sunday, the Mothers' Club musical was a real enjoyment to all of us. Our Mothers certainly know how to entertain.

The baseball team entered the semi-finals without further mishap by defeating TX 5 to 2. Dick Street is recovering from the effects of our previous game and will be O. K. very soon.

"Let's kiss and make up,"

Said she in a huff.

"I'll kiss you," said he,

"But you're made up enough."

E. J.—Make your peace, Zazu, I'm about to shoot you.

Zazu—How come?

E. J.—I always said I'd shoot anyone who looked like me.

Zazu—Do I look like you?

E. J.—Yes.

Zazu—Go ahead and shoot.

ZAZU

RHO DELTA RHO

Rho Delta Rho takes this opportunity in extending an invitation to men of Armour and their friends to visit our house tomorrow night, for the first Interfraternity Open House Night. The house is located on the north-west corner of 33rd and Michigan, and will be open at 8:00 o'clock.

The baseball team has been triumphant in its first effort over the K. D. E's, and hopes to continue onward in the championship march. Along with the ambitious ball players, the track men have been practicing for the fraternity track meet.

PHI KAPPA SIGMA

Alpha Epsilon chapter of the Phi Kappa Sigma Fraternity wishes to extend a most cordial invitation to the men of Armour and their dates to visit the house in their rounds tomorrow evening. The occasion is the first Open House of the fraternities of Armour Tech.

The date for the Senior Farewell Party has been set for June 9. The formal festivities will take place in the Empire Room of the Palmer House.

The Annual Picnic is to be held at Trout Lake, Elgin, on May 24. Canoeing will be the main occupation and sport of the day, as the park is located on the Fox River.

Which brings to mind the fact that the house's track team is organized and is getting in condition for the meet during Junior Week. Here's luck, fellows!

TRIANGLE

Armour Chapter of Triangle extends its greetings to the visitors at Open House.

The boys at the house are working quite hard in preparing for the various interfraternity activities held this week. Track, tennis, and golf now occupy the limelight, and we are hoping for the best.

PHI PI PHI

With the final preparations for Junior Week going on, there is more activity than ever at the house. Interfraternity baseball is now in the final brackets of the tournament. We are happy to say that we won our first game, that with Pi Kappa Phi, by a score of four to nothing. The track and golf teams have also been picked. The Phi Pi tracksters will try hard to keep the cups they won last year in the relays and track events. After weeks of practice we feel that we are finally ready for the sing and circus day skit. So long now—we'll see you at interfraternity open house — get a date and come down, dancing from nine 'til twelve.

KALEIDOSCOPE

"Sublime Tobacco."—Lord Byron.

FROM THE DAYS OF RALEIGH to the present time, literature abounds in allusions to tobacco. The Elizabethan writers constantly refer to it, often in praise though sometimes in condemnation. The incoming of the "Indian weed" created a great furor, and scarcely any other of the New World discoveries was talked about so much. Ben Jonson, Marlowe, Fletcher, Spenser, Dekker, and many other of the poets and dramatists of the time make frequent reference to it and no doubt at the Mermaid tavern pipes and tobacco found a place beside the sack and ale. Poets and philosophers drew solace and inspiration from the pipe. Milton, Addison, Fielding, Hobbes, and Newton were all smokers. It is said Newton was smoking under a tree in his garden when the historic apple fell. There are those who object to the use of tobacco because of its reputed ill effects on the human system, but—

"Killed him?" No doubt! it's apt to kill

In fifty years' incessant using—
Some twenty pipes a day. And still,
On that ripe, well-filled, lifetime
musing.

I envy oft so bright a part,—
To live as long as life's a treasure;

To die of—not an aching heart,
But—half a century of pleasure!

J. K.

ON A BROKEN PIPE

Neglected now it lies, a cold clay form,
So late with living aspirations warm;
Type of all other creatures formed of clay—
What more than it for epitaph have they?

SIR WALTER RALEIGH! name of worth,
How sweet for thee to know
King James, who never smoked on earth,
Is smoking down below.

Student Opinion

Infant Officials

Dear Editor:

I am not chronic—this is my first crack at the "Voice of the Peepul"—but perhaps someone could help clear up a situation that has bothered me for four years.

Why has habit decreed the business manager of the *Cycle* be a junior?

In that most of the staff positions of our periodicals are held by seniors, this appears as an eccentricity. Why shouldn't the business manager of the *Cycle* be subjected to the training and selection that all of the other staff men on our periodicals must face?

Knowing that very few men begin real work on the periodicals in their freshman year, the incumbent manager must select his successor from an unqualified group—not as concerns interest and ability—but experience. And the new man really has fun; full responsibility the first time he faces the job in its fullness. He might have been faculty *Cycle* salesman, etc., but he never was assistant manager!

Why not abort this practice now? The present manager could be reappointed as a senior manager, while those sophomores qualified for advancement could be named assistants. This procedure is common to all editorships and certainly the intelligent one. It would be very fine to select the *Cycle* editor-in-chief from the sophomore class!

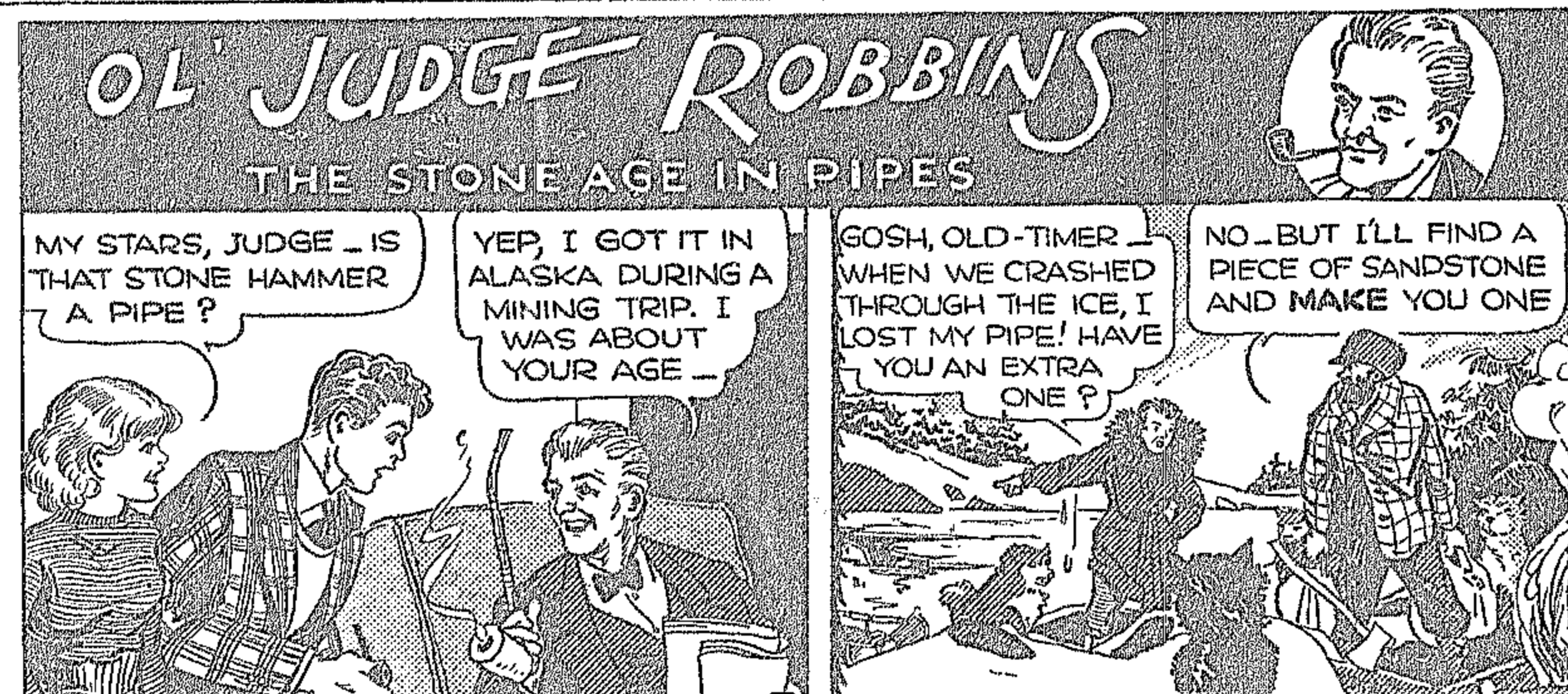
John O. Larson, C. E. '36

WE HAVE SEVERAL excellent and unusual verses on the "pernicious weed" which limited space compelled us to omit. If you have enjoyed these verses, drop a note in the *News* box in the Main Building lobby, and we will be pleased to print the others.

R. W.

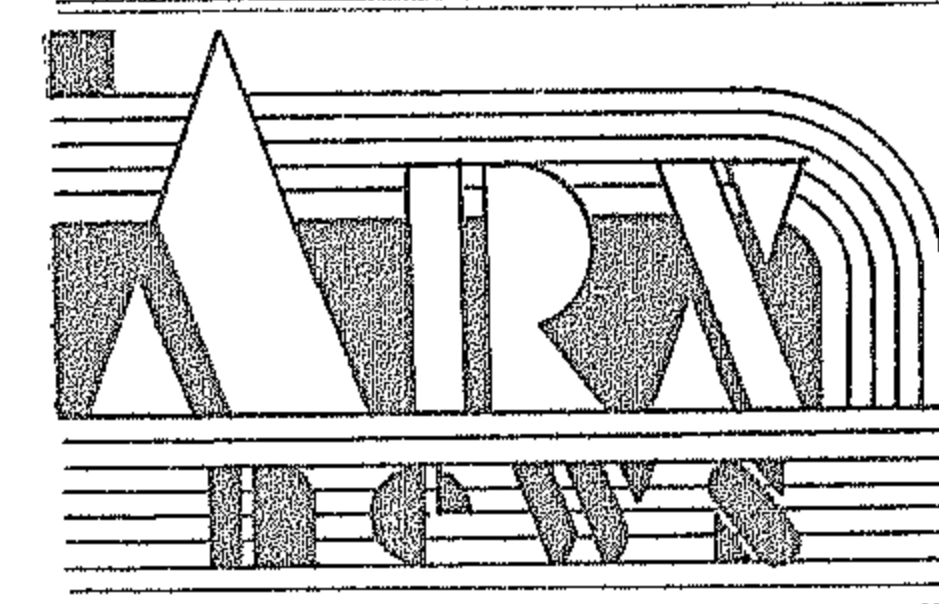
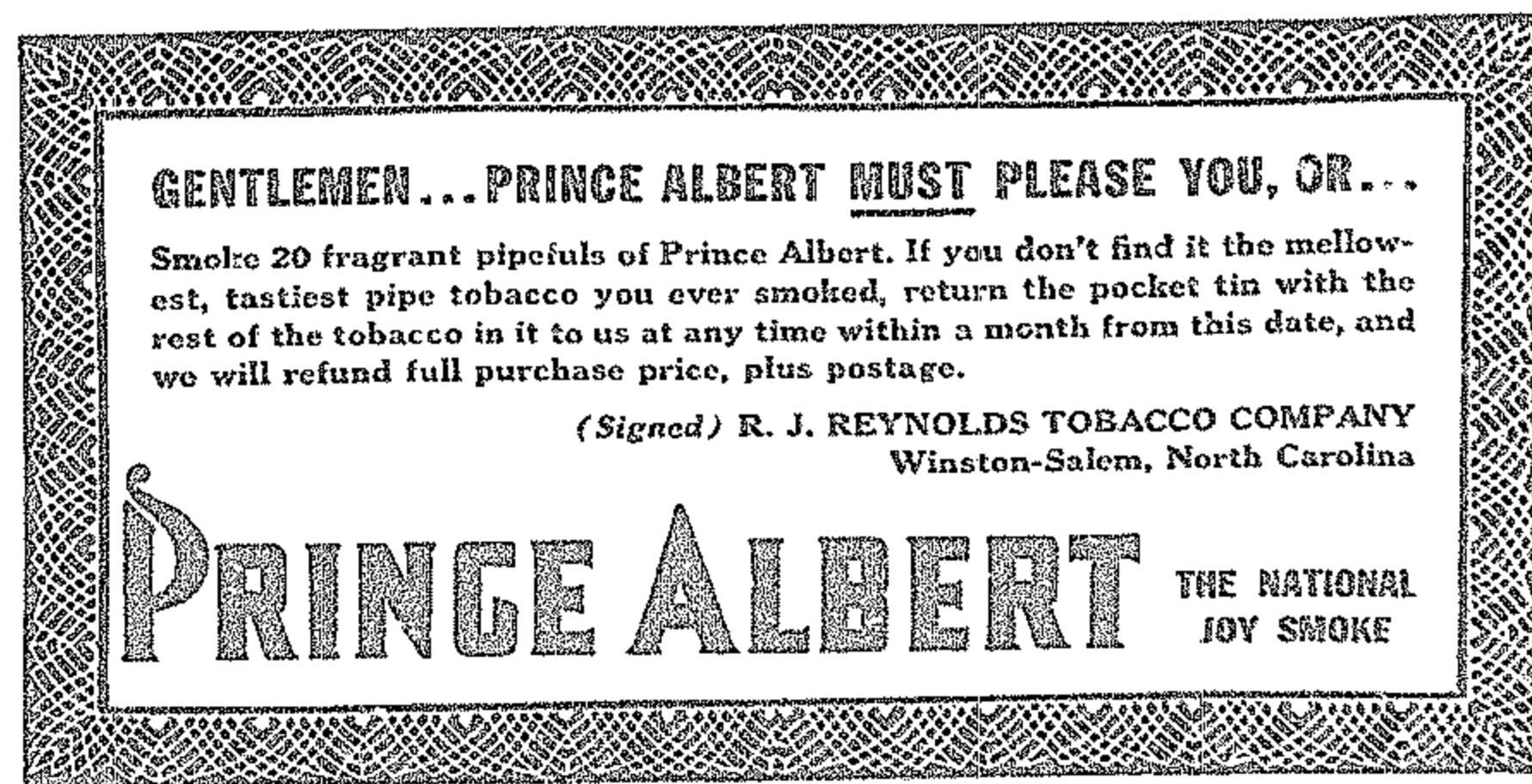
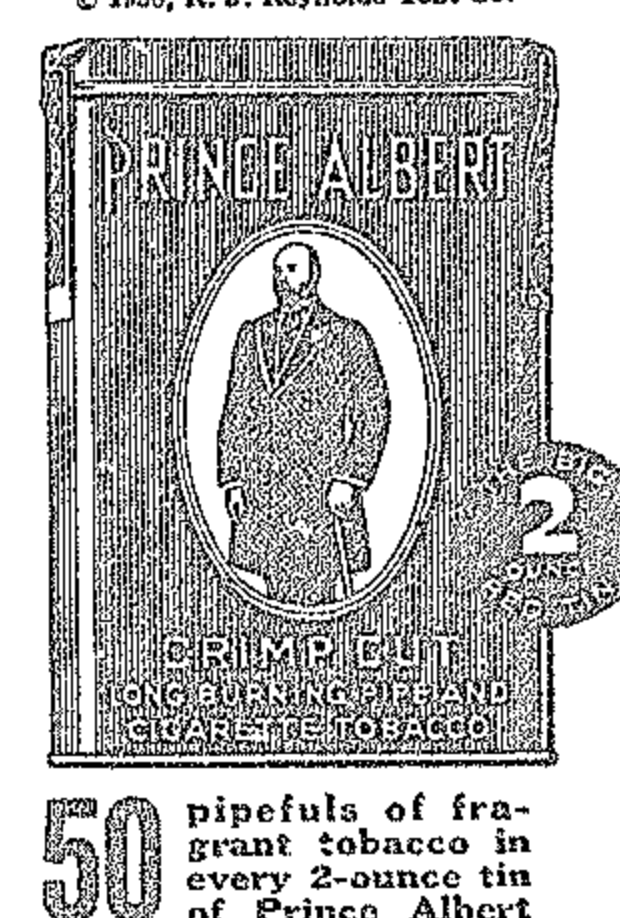
"Where," asked the women orator, "would men be today if it were not for women?" Silence. "I repeat, where would man be today?"

"He'd be in the Garden of Eden eating strawberries," answered a voice from the gallery.



SHORT CUT TO REAL PIPE CONTENTMENT

A man can spend years finding the tobacco that hits the spot—or he can try Prince Albert now. We'll back this princely smoking tobacco against the field for choice quality—for mellow flavor—for mildness. Being "crimp cut," Prince Albert is a revelation in coolness. And the "bite" is removed by a special process. Accept the invitation below to try P.A. at our risk.



Never saw so many disappointed people before and just because they did not have their weekly dose of dirt and whatnot. The reason for the absence of last week's news was that your news-ed, along with the Junior Class, was on charette; and the reason for the charette was the project, "A Small Library."

O yes, there was a judgment too, and once again Mac's crack class came through with flying colors as nearly everyone rated and Frank HRACHOVSKY was tops with a First Mention. One of the highlights of the Charette were three Bull Sessions enjoyed by the Juniors every evening. In fact some of them were so bad that Hank LOHMILLER had to walk out, but if the "Little Minister" JOHNSTONE could stand it, why couldn't Hank?

And then there was that dumb crack that Joe REIM made and which is old by now, but as such remarks are supposed to mellow with age, (or are they?) we will have to bring it to your attention. As it was, Charlie SALETTA rushed in and said, "Hello Reim" to which Joe replied, "Sh, I'm on charette." Maybe that is not so funny now for to hear him tell it was half the joke.

Received a letter from AL RAMP who was attending a convention of architectural students at Williamsburg, West Virginia, for as you know, Al was chosen to represent the Armour Art Department at said convention. Judging from the letter, Al did not spend much time at the convention, for all he wrote about was a blonde! However, Al should have returned by the time you read this so you can verify all statements made here personally. Guess he thinks he was far enough away from Detroit (where he also has blonde trouble) to be safe.