

"Hell Week" has been abolished at many colleges, but not so at M. I. T. Pledges were blindfolded, made to feel sharp nails in a board which was put at the bottom of a step ladder on which they were forced to stand. The blindfold was removed, and the freshman allowed to see the studded board before the command to jump was given. One pledge, obeying the command, jumped and fainted dead away before his bare feet touched the points-made of tinfoil.

averages of any of the athletes. The

footballers came out on the bottom of

Two years ago American colleges

The U. S. Government estimates

that one out of every 25 persons is a

and universities had 7,720 students

from foreign countries enrolled.

three votes.

The Universities of Michigan, Wisconsin and Penn. State have a system lege of being rushed to the tune of fifty cents per man. The fraternity coffers have profited to the extent of \$350 as a result.

Some smart lad at New York University has found a new way to crib. It seems that notes written on spectacles or watch crystals with grape fruit juice become visible when breathed upon.

Probably the most unique scholarship in America is one offered by Hamilton College worth \$500. It is open to all men in America by the name of Leavenworth.

Colorado University students caught drinking are forced to attend Sunday school for three years. The demand for Sunday school teachers must be terrific!

A University of Iowa dean has a new development in campus etiquette. He thinks that students should wait three minutes for an instructor, five for an assistant professor, eight for an associate professor, and ten for a full professor. That's all right if the faculty will do this: Allow freshmen to be two minutes late (with or without their pants), sophomores five minutes, juniors ten minutes and seniors fifteen minutes.

An inter-collegiate association's survey shows that the average "life" of football coaches at major colleges during the past decade has been less than four years.

A survey (let's hope it's a survey to end all surveys) at the University of Wisconsin brings out the fact that the average coed has four dates a week and spends twenty-four hours a week in study.

In a survey taken at Milwaukee College it was disclosed that tennis players had the highest scholastic

## Events Set For Frat and Interclass Swim

The swimming meeting, held last Tuesday, saw the tying together of the loose ends of the swimming team, interclass and interfraternity arrangements. In connection with the swimming squad, it was definitely stated that Captain Ruekberg or Manager Stern would be at the University of Chicago pool every Monday and Friday to time the swimmers and generally supervise the practice. In view of this, there should be no reason why the swimmers shouldn't be out there getting the low-down on their respective abilities. The schedule for the coming season is almost complete, but not yet ready for publication. Wright and DePaul are two of the schools on the list.

Frank Hackman, with the aid of interclass and interfraternity managers, made up the list of events for the interclass and interfraternity tournaments to be held January 13. There are only two events scheduled for the interclass swim, the four man relay and the three man medley. Seven events will be run off in the interfraternity swim, consisting of the four man relay, the three man medley, the 40 yard breast stroke, the 40 yard backstroke, and the 40, 100, and 220 yard crawls. It should be noted at this time that the names of all entrants in both tournaments should be submitted before the meet, and that no changes will be made the night of the meet.

# DR. POULTER-

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asm and desire to get a problem solved in the best possible way. Many times he has worked far into the night in his office in the building at 33rd and Dearborn streets and has only terminated his work when the Institute lights were turned off a midnight.

'Doc' To His Men

Blue shirts with soft collars, comfortable clothes, and no hats are "Doc's" (as he was called by the men on the Antarctic expedition) preferences. He is married and has four children-all boys, ranging from one to eleven years of age. He likes to shoot with bow and arrow and shot a 500 pound seal in the Antarctic with that weapon. He has also hunted crocodiles, alligators, deer, and wild boar in Panama.

Former Football Player For all of these things Dr. Poulter is relatively a young man. He was born in Salem, Iowa, March 3, 1897, and received his B.S. degree at the Iowa Wesleyan College in 1916; while at college, he played football. At the University of Chicago he received his Ph.D. degree in chemistry engineering. He now has a Lieutenin 1933. Following this he was appointed to a John Simon Guggenheim In a debate at the University of Fellowship and received a Sc.D. hon-Manitoba on the question "is an old orary degree from the Iowa Wesleymaid more useful on a farm than a an College in 1935. His work has 2,000,000 acres of land that will organic chemistry.

Immediately following his gradua- Theta Kappa Nu.

tion from college Dr. Poulter taught physics and later was an assistant in chemistry and biology at the Univerhead of the department of chemistry at Iowa Wesleyan College and later rious universities in fourteen western last Thursday, every last Armourite | plete success. states and in Canada. In 1932 he was and his dad should be out on Decema member of the Arizona Meteor Ex- ber 19 to cheer our peppy team to Meteor Association.

In conjunction with his scientific work he has designed and built many delicate precision scientific instruments such as the quartz spectrograph for the "30" spectrum, recording microphotometer,, seismograph, tiltmeter, and high pressure appara-

## Enlisted in Navy

enlisted in the Navy and was station-| capacity crowd. Tickets have been ed at Panama in the submarine C-4 on sale for the past two weeks and and in several 'R' boats. On board can be purchased from any group or the submarines he was a machinist department representative. Dad's and had charge of the air compres- tickets are black and are priced at sors. After the war he was respon- \$1.30, comprising \$.90 for the bansible for the dismanteling of the C-4. quet and \$.40 for the game. Son's Other of his naval work included tickets are yellow and are priced at heavy machine design and drainage ant Commander commission in the Auto Lab Is Recipient U.S. Navy and acts in an advisory capacity in connection with naval engineering research.

wheel barrow?" the old maid lost by centered itself upon research on elec- lowing societies: American Physics rection of Prof. Daniel Roesch is a trical, chemical, physical, and optical Society, American Chemistry So- 5000 r. p. m. dynamometer received effects of extremely high pressures; ciety, Seismological Society of Amer- from the Midwest Dynamometer and The University of Texas will in Antarctic meteor and auroral phon- | ica, Iowa Academy of Science, A.A. | Engineering Company of Chicago. time become the richest institution omena; geophysics; glaciology; seis- A.S., Midwest Meteor Association, of learning in the world. It owns mology; terrestrial magnetism; and Sigma Xi, American Polar Society, induction type power absorption dy-Illinois Academy of Science, and namometer with horse power reach-

(Continued from page one) teams will be in tip-top condition. hopes to avenge that defeat by prop- C.E. erly shellacking the Maroon cagers.

Expect Excellent Ticket Sales

With all of the final arrangements satisfactorily completed, the "Dad's Night" ticket committee is now put- C.E. During the World War, Dr. Poulter | ting forth its best efforts to insure a

# of New Dynamometer

Among the recent acquirements of Dr. Poulter is a member of the fol- the Auto lab which is under the di-

> It is the latest model high speed ing 300.

\$.90. Dad's will be admitted to the game on presentation of the black stubs, while Armour students have sity of Chicago. In 1925 he was made citing game is promised to the engi- but to show their athletic passes to neers and their dads, since both gain admittance into the fieldhouse.

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This is the first affair of this kind became head of the physics depart- After the splendid, hard-fighting ever planned at Armour and it rement at the same school. During the game presented by the Techawks in quires the cooperation of every summer of 1927 he lectured at va- their thrilling victory over De Kalb loyal Armourite to make it a com-

## List Ticket Sellers

Tickets may be secured from the pedition sponsored by the Midwest victory. Last year, in a nip-and-following men: Senior class: J. C. tuck battle, the Techawks lost by a Stern, C. E., manager; N. Gerber, score of 51-49 in the last seconds of Sc.; J. A. Haase, Ch.E.; L. J. Janas, play on the lucky shot of a Maroon M.E.; J. F. McCaulay, F.P.E.; A. A. substitute. This year the Tech | Sobolik, E.E.; and L. E. Zwissler,

> Junior class: W. J. Chelgren, M.E., manager; H. F. Perlet, F.P.E.; J. Dunne, Ch.E.; C. K. Nauman, M.E.; G. A. Palka, E.E.; and W. Schlax,

Sophomore class: W. E. Kruse, Ch. E., manager; H. C. Anderson, F.P.E.; R. I. Jaffee, Ch.E.; E. C. Mitchell, M.E.; and R. R. Tullgren, C.E.

Freshman class: D. H. Sunde, manager; J. P. Ransel, and J. Winslow.

Faculty representative is Professor P. C. Huntly, and the sale of tickets through clubs and fraternities will be handled by J. D. Sheehan, F.P.E.

The representatives of the clubs and fraternities are W. Laise, P. M. Martin, S. M. Miner, P. L. G. Moore, J. J. Penn, P. Schultz, E. J. Skeppstrom, I. Thomas, and R. Winkler.

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