

### Camp Movies Shown to Faculty Women

Last Wednesday at the regular monthly meeting of the Armour Faculty Women's Club, which is composed of the wives of professors and instructors of Armour Institute of Technology, Professor S. M. Spears gave an interesting talk on "Armour Summer Camp Experiences," and showed motion pictures taken at the camp of 1936.

The meeting was called to order by the club president, Mrs. Arthur H. Carpenter, in room D of Mission Hall where regular business of the club was attended to. Members then adjourned upstairs where Professor Spears spoke. Following this, refreshments were served in the Faculty Grill.

Other officers of Armour's Faculty Women's Club are Mrs. Charles A. Nash, secretary; Mrs. Henry L. Nachman, treasurer; Mrs. Henry P. Dutton, chairman of program; Mrs. Joseph B. Finnegan, social chairman; and Mrs. Walter H. Seegrist, house chairman.

### BALLOT—

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order to give time for a complete count. Ballots should be placed in the News box near the drinking fountain on the first floor of Main or given to a member of the staff.

Principal issues of the campaign as brought out in the discussion are: unemployment, the national budget, government control of business, interpretation of the Constitution, agriculture relief and control, public works, and taxation.

### NOVEMBER 3? A POLITICAL INQUIRY

Intense interest shown towards the coming presidential election stimulated a group of News writers after considerable discussion with faculty members and heated debate among themselves to formulate the following survey. Everyone, student or otherwise, is invited and urged to fill out this ballot. Simply mark it and place it in the News box in the lobby of the main building by October 23.

(CHECK THE CANDIDATE YOU FAVOR)

|   |                          |                          |                          |
|---|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| John W. Aiken (Socialist-Labor).....  | <input type="checkbox"/> |                          |                          |
| Earl Browder (Communist).....   | <input type="checkbox"/> |                          |                          |
| D. Leigh Colvin (Prohibitionist).....   | <input type="checkbox"/> |                          |                          |
| Alfred M. Landon (Republican).....  | <input type="checkbox"/> |                          |                          |
| William Lemke (Union).....  | <input type="checkbox"/> |                          |                          |
| Franklin D. Roosevelt (Democratic).....   | <input type="checkbox"/> |                          |                          |
| Norman Thomas (Socialist).....  | <input type="checkbox"/> |                          |                          |
| Do you think a new administration will have a marked beneficial effect upon the business conditions of the country?   | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Is business seriously handicapped by a large unbalanced governmental budget?  | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Do you approve of government construction, ownership, and operation of public utilities such as the T.V.A.?   | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Has the present administration taken undue control over business?   | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Will the present relief policy tend to form a permanent dole supported class?   | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Do you approve of a government's  |                          |                          |                          |
| (a) Strict control of business.....   | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| (b) Laissez faire policy.....   | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Do you believe in liberal interpretation of the constitution?   | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Congress has the power to override the veto of the president by repassing a bill by a two-thirds majority. Should Congress also have the power to repass an act declared unconstitutional by the Supreme Court? | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Congress has been accused of delegating some of its powers to the president.  |                          |                          |                          |
| Do you approve of extensive powers in the hand of a president?  | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| The present administration attempted to solve the farm problem by the A.A.A., which was later declared unconstitutional.  |                          |                          |                          |
| Do you believe the A.A.A. if continued would have solved the farm problems?   | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| By which method do you believe relief should be distributed?  |                          |                          |                          |
| (a) Public works program.....   | <input type="checkbox"/> |                          |                          |
| (b) Cash relief.....  | <input type="checkbox"/> |                          |                          |
| Why?  |                          |                          |                          |
| Do you believe that an amendment making state minimum wage laws constitutional is desirable?  | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Should the government aid the American farms  |                          |                          |                          |
| (a) By protective tariff.....   | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| (b) Cash subsidy.....   | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| (c) Regulation of prices.....   | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Should relief be administered   |                          |                          |                          |
| (a) By the local government.....  | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| (b) By the national government.....   | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Why?  |                          |                          |                          |
| Are you eligible to vote in the November election?  |                          |                          |                          |
| Yes, <input type="checkbox"/> No, <input type="checkbox"/>  |                          |                          |                          |
| Student..... Faculty..... Other.....  |                          |                          |                          |

### SOIL MECHANICS CLASS INSPECTS FAULTY BUILDINGS

Education by the method of visual inspection was applied last Thursday afternoon when senior civils taking the elective course in soil mechanics left the Institute during the class period and inspected a "Gold Coast" building which is settling.

Under the leadership of Professor Herbert Ens, the settling of the building was pointed out and explained. This nineteen story apartment building, which measures roughly 136 feet by 120 feet, is settling some 21 inches in its N.E. corner, and 10 inches in the S.W. corner. The top of the building is leaning over 10.5 inches from the plumb and is pressing against an adjacent two-story building. Fortunately, the apartment building is settling as a unit.

One result of this settlement has been to warp all of the rear fire escapes. Bracing members originally horizontal are now definitely skewed. Columns and vertical bracing bars have buckled, indicating the great extent of the settlement.

The building, which is at present occupied and is considered safe, was built in 1924-25. As a measure of safety, tests are run every month to determine the increase in settlement. Professor Ens has done considerable work on this building and has determined that the intensity of pressure due to the building, 200 feet below the surface of the ground, is zero.

### A.S.M.E.—

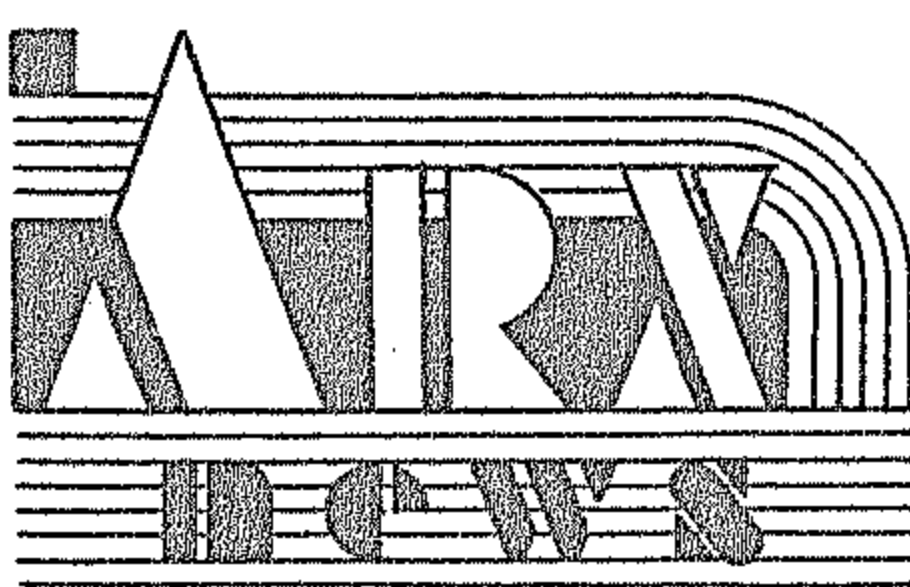
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der to increase the efficiency of the locomotive, and also the repairing costs which amount from \$1000.00 to \$7,000.00 annually besides the general overhauling given them about every 273,000 miles. The new diesel power trains were also discussed. In closing his speech, Mr. Michael pointed out the marvelous opportunities for the mechanical engineers because of the numerous details being developed by the manufacturing companies.

The inspection trip to the railroad shops which will be made Friday is open to all A.S.M.E. members. The students will assemble at Kinzie Street and Keeler avenue at one o'clock.

All members of the A.S.M.E. will be excused from Friday afternoon classes provided they answer the roll-call to be taken at the shops.

Due to pressing duties in other activities, F. Leason was forced to resign his position as secretary. In an election held at the first of the meeting L. J. Janas was elected to fill the position.



This week brings the first concrete indication that a little work, at least, has been done by the Arx. The next few weeks will tell how much has been accomplished satisfactorily after the juries have made their little red marks either on over the freshman, class B, and class A drawings. The sophomores have been through one acid test with gratifying results as a whole, which was very heartening to those who were slightly dubious about our New Deal. The proof of the puddin' of course, is the eatin' and we can easily take a second helpin'.

The "Guest House" judgment brought a first mention to Shaw, Huboi and Rea, and eleven mentions and six half mentions to the rest of the class.

A boomerang: A gentleman who working on his problem, a Fire House, happened to be designing some lighting fixtures. One of the professors, who happens to be quite distinguished as a designer, made the remark that some of the fixtures looked like inverted collar buttons. Of course, being a designer, he ought to know. But before he made the remark he should have remembered that he used the same thing in one of his buildings in Kenilworth. Tsk, tsk!

(Adv.) Furniture, etc. moved, free of charge. Pianos a specialty, also automobiles. All services will be rendered by Moseley and Jacobs, who made a parking space where there wasn't one before by picking up a Chevrolet and moving it four feet so Wagner could park his car.

A medal for nonchalance should be presented to Professor Hofmeester for the way he takes his medicine. Right smack in the middle of his history lecture he pulled out his bottled prescription, unscrewed the cap, drank the required dose, and put it back in his pocket. The class was in an uproar for a minute or so. Of course we realize it was medicine.

Some nuttier things for dessert: Those peculiar noises you have heard throughout the department are, Number 1. No, no, Mr. Wagner, that's not an elephant coming up the stairs, that's Kichaven. 2. Those thack-thack sounds are not bullets, it's only the juniors playing in clay modeling. 3. That tramping and scuffling sound is not a fight, it's just several of the sophs trying to imitate some of the chorus girls they saw at the Rialto. (Mike is the clumsiest by far). 4. That moaning sound is not someone dying, Mr. Mell, it's just Dick Street trying to reassemble himself after the guy whose locker he put the bucket of water in so it would fall on him found out who did it.

### Old Water Reservoir Now Out of Service

The large water reservoir in the attic of Main which has for years supplied the water for the chemistry labs, toilets, and faucets not used for drinking or washing, has at last broken down. Although a new bottom was put under it three years ago, a side rusted through last Wednesday, and the water which ran out leaked down the hall walls, ruining three hall ceilings. The damaged ceilings will be recalcimined soon.

The old tank has been temporarily repaired, but a new one will be installed sometime this week.

According to W. Koster, superintendent of maintenance, the damage done to the building was not excessive, and the new tank would necessarily have been purchased soon anyway.

### DAD'S NIGHT—

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probably be staged just before the Christmas holidays, preferably on a Saturday night.

That this program will be impressive there is no doubt, and there is a genuine need for such an affair. "Dad's Night" affairs have become traditional at all of the Big Ten schools and at most of the big colleges and universities. A dad's affair is arranged with some big athletic event, usually a homecoming, as part of the program.

The directors of this program feel that new and novel as these plans are at Armour, they can be carried out. Armour will hold a "Dad's Night" affair, but student support is essential. Such an affair obviously does not come under the activity fee. An impressive occasion is undoubtedly in order, and to carry out impressive plans, student support is needed.

### Ten Senior Arx Are Guests at Banquet

Ten senior architects were invited to take a bow before a sales convention of the National Lead Company last Friday. About 100 persons were present at the supper, which was free to the Arx, and from which meeting the gavel mysteriously disappeared. The architects received their invitation through the efforts of their new instructor, Prof. Sterling Harper, who was affiliated with the state architectural office. After supper in the Boulevard Room of the Stevens Hotel, the seniors received cigars and cigarettes and saw movies on lead processing.

### Fraternity Notes

#### THETA XI

After the turmoil of Rush Week we have turned to other activities for a bit of relaxation. Bill Chapin, our president, has just returned from Ithaca, New York where he attended the National Tau Beta Pi meetings. During his stay in Ithaca he lived at our chapter at Cornell University. Some of our brothers also made a trip down to our University of Illinois chapter where brother Harold Aebischer is now staying. At the present time brother Aebischer is captain of the University of Illinois track team. Good for you Harold!

At the present time we are contemplating a formal pledge dance in honor of our pledges. They are:

George M. Amory '38  
Eugene M. Imbur '37  
George M. Ives Jr. '38  
Louis F. Kacel '37  
Walter Kahl '40  
Charles Arthur Nash '40  
Joseph F. G. Sodaro '38  
Richard Young '39

Congratulations fellows!

#### RHO DELTA RHO

In addition to men whom we pledged last week, we are pleased to announce the pledging of the following men:

Leon Epstein '40  
Arthur Fried '39  
Robert Levy '40  
Frank Miller '40  
Robert Pincus '40  
Bernard Sternfeld '40

Congratulations to the new men!

Our pledge dance will be held October 31, Hallowe'en night. The site of the dance will be in our ballroom on the third floor. A festival holiday atmosphere will prevail with pumpkins and cornstalks with which we are planning to decorate the ballroom.

Due to the large number of pledges we have decided to enlarge our quarters. We now have the two rooms opposite our present ones in addition to our present ones.

#### DELTA TAU DELTA

Delta Tau Delta takes pleasure in announcing the pledging of  
Ralph Close M.E. '38  
With rush week out of the way the house is settling down to the

regular business of the school year. Rusty Tomei, social chairman, is planning a great Hallowe'en Party at the house. All signs show that it will be the greatest social event of the year.

We hear that Bill Hotzfield is enjoying life at the University of Minnesota.

#### PI KAPPA PHI

Alpha Phi Chapter of Pi Kappa Phi fraternity takes great pleasure in announcing the pledging of the following men:

Francis Broderick '40  
Albert Bujan '40  
Cutler Humiston '40  
Elmer Matson '40

The date of the pledge dance has definitely been set for the 31st of October. The pledges have laid ambitious plans to make this a most successful dance.

We would like to congratulate Frederick H. Jost on his election to the position of president of the Armour concert orchestra.

Brother Amick has invited the officers and members of this chapter to a district convocation to be held at the Illinois chapter at Champaign in the near future.

#### SIGMA ALPHA MU

We are pleased to announce the pledging of

Robert Stanton Kohn '40

Our alumni advisor, Mr. P. D. Sang, '23 is leaving us for five weeks to make an extensive trip through Europe. He is planning to visit several members of the fraternity living in England, France, and Italy. We wish him a very pleasurable trip and expect to hear many interesting experiences about his journey upon his return.

Our pledge party has been organized and will be given at the end of this month. Under the leadership of J. Krumbein our ping-pong team is getting into shape and from the enthusiasm shown we expect to have an excellent team.

#### PHI KAPPA SIGMA

A radio party Saturday night was enjoyed by members and friends; cake and coffee were served as refreshments.

The new pledges are fairly well settled to their new life, and are becoming active in Tech activities.

Our table tennis squad is in training and the basketball season is viewed with favor by others.

Some of the new pledges will make good prospects for the school's archery squad.

Our swimming squad has held several tryouts and the house is in a good way as far as aquatics go.

Here's to a successful season!

FROM ASIATIC RUSSIA, YOU SAY, JUDGE? BUT WHY THREE BOWLS?

IT'S A CLEVER WAY OF BLENDING TOBACCO TO GET A MILD, BETTER-TASTING SMOKE—

THEY SIMPLY PUT A DIFFERENT TOBACCO IN EACH BOWL AND SMOKE THEM ALL AT ONCE

WELL, IF I WANTED THE BEST SMOKE POSSIBLE, I'D JUST LOAD ALL THREE BOWLS WITH PRINCE ALBERT!

RIGHT! BECAUSE IN EVERY ONE YOU'D GET MILDNESS, FULL RICH FLAVOR, AND NO HARSHNESS OR 'BITE'

I BROKE THIS PIPE IN ON PRINCE ALBERT. THAT CRIMP CUT P.A. GAVE IT A SWEET CAKE AND MAKES IT SMOKE COOL AND SWEET

MANY A MAN'S HAPPIER TODAY BECAUSE HE STARTED SMOKING PRINCE ALBERT—THERE'S NO OTHER TOBACCO LIKE IT

HERE'S WHY THERE'S NO OTHER TOBACCO LIKE PRINCE ALBERT: P.A. IS CHOICE MELLOW TOBACCO - "CRIMP CUT" FOR COOLNESS—WITH THE "BITE" REMOVED BY SPECIAL PROCESS. IT'S THE LARGEST-SELLING TOBACCO IN THE WORLD. AND SWELL FOR "MAKIN'S" CIGARETTES.

SMOKE 20 PIPEFULS OF P. A. AT OUR RISK

Smoke 20 fragrant pipefuls of Prince Albert. If you don't find it the mellowest, tastiest pipe tobacco you ever smoked, return the packet tin with the rest of the tobacco in it to us at any time within a month from this date, and we will refund full purchase price, plus postage.

(Signed) R. J. REYNOLDS TOBACCO COMPANY  
Winston-Salem, North Carolina

50 pipefuls of fragrant tobacco in every 2-ounce tin of Prince Albert

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