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#### A New Intramural System

Although under the present system of intramural sports, students are offered relaxation from their studies, this branch of Armour athletics would be more valuable and stimulate greater enthusiasm if some sports were scheduled during the winter months.

A league made up of the departments of each class seems to be the best plan. Each department | might read his column. would compete in the various sports through the school year, and in June an award would be given \ to the department gaining the highest number of points in all sports. Under the present plan, competition is almost at a standstill during the winter months. Under the proposed plan, each department would have a definite prize at which to aim, and more enthusiasm would be invited in inter-class competition. An all-sport class champion could be selected by apportioning points to the class for the victories of its various departments in the intramural sports.

To encourage individual competition, we would suggest that the following sports be introduced: bowling, table tennis, horseshoes, wrestling, boxing, and football punting and basketball free throw contests.

Each class would compete as a team in basketball, baseball, track, and swimming. Departments would compete in football, soft ball, bowling, horseshoes, table tennis, tennis, boxing, and wrestling. Departmental basketball might be added to the list.

Such an extended plan would require the services of an efficient managerial system. In addition to the senior manager two juniors and three sophomores could be appointed as assistants. A definite point system could be arranged for each duced without undue alteration of the old syssport. An intra-mural governing council would be advisable to give voice in the event of disputes, protests, and unforeseen difficulties.

Such an intra-mural system could be intro- ance.

#### STUDENT OPINION

President Roosevelt has a "Court Reorganization Plan." Mr. Zarem discussed it last week in the column "Sidelines." Since, to my mind, he didn't present the arguments of the opposition as forcibly as he might have, I should like to add a few words.

One of the serious things that "seem to irk" some of the opponents of the plan is the threat of ultimate dictatorship. Congresses have been known to be subservient to the President of the United States. One even gave \$5,000,000,000 to a president to use as he saw fit. To keep the discussion on a high plane I won't go into the possibilities there. If a president, as popular as Mr. Roosevelt, fails in an attempt to have his congress add any number of justices to the Supreme Court that they wish, it seems to me, as an opponent of his "Plan," that it won't ever be done. If, however, such a thing happened, the way would be clear for any future hero (one with a resonant voice who "welcomes" the hatred of the "economic royalists") to have any law passed with absolutely no check. What if the hero is a kind man? After he is gone-what? do not choose to chance trading my democratic form of government for Germany's or Italy's forms.

Since Mr. Zarem has read "innumerable articles, 'pro' and 'con'," he surely must have seen some argument similar to the above. Yet-how dare he dispose of the charge that the "Court Reorganization Plan" is a threat of eventual dictatorship? I quote-"The 'real' reason for all of the 'rebellion' is that Mr. Roosevelt's proposal is entirely constitutional." Mr. Zarem, who has denied it?

I am entirely in sympathy with Mr. Zarem's difficult task of filling the space and meeting the deadline, but really he should consider the possibility that someone Stephen P. Finnegan '39.

# Among the Co-ops

As an afterthought of last week's meeting, the freshmen cooperative class elected officers for the coming year. In a heated contest, William Groen nosed out Gurdon Henry for the presidency by one vote. The loser was awarded the vice-president's position. H. R. A. Fisher was elected secretary-treasurer by a large margin over his nearest professor visited our department to opponent.

All co-ops were requested to get vaccinated. Too bad | Class for the Cycle. Being an accomthey can't vaccinate us against becoming sophomores. Or | modating gentleman he also posed for can they?

Co-captains Henry and Alderson of the frosh co-op lady model returned to work Sir Walbasketball team challenged the soph co-ops to a game. | ter helped her up to the dais. Said she, This thing is beginning to get me co-cuckoo. Opps, there | "But sir, I'm heavy." "That's all I go again.

What injustice. Now we take all the abuse of wearing herst Flash. All this was photogreen caps (and not wearing pants) and when the rush graphed too, my lads. When do the comes around we're back with our shoulders to the wheel. Cycles come out? METHINKS THAT We miss out on all the fun (?) while our co-operators A WORLD SERIES QUEUE WILL get all the glory (or is the word gory).

The co-ops are becoming social butterflies according to APRIL. reports from the Soph Informal. Play while you can because just three more weeks of leisure (?) and then back | Steamshovel can make wise ones to the grind.

The sophomore cooperative students have recently been look at parabolas and hyperbolas, invited to join the Armour branch of A. S. M. E. As the course grows older the students will probably find ways of entering more and more of the school's regular extra- stead of twenty-six "Wildmen" and curricular activities. Co-op '42.

tem. The spirit of competition would be intense throughout the school year, and team play would be emphasized as much as individual perform-

The Class B judgment is over and eighteen men received a Mention or better. The best problems were done by Kliphardt, Baker and Kubicka. All three of them received First Mentions. Kubicka also won the Scarab Prize and Shaeffer won the second prize. The fellows certainly deserved the congratulations they received for their fine showing and all the class B'ers are aiming to wha-hoo the next projet. "A Cinema Lobby."

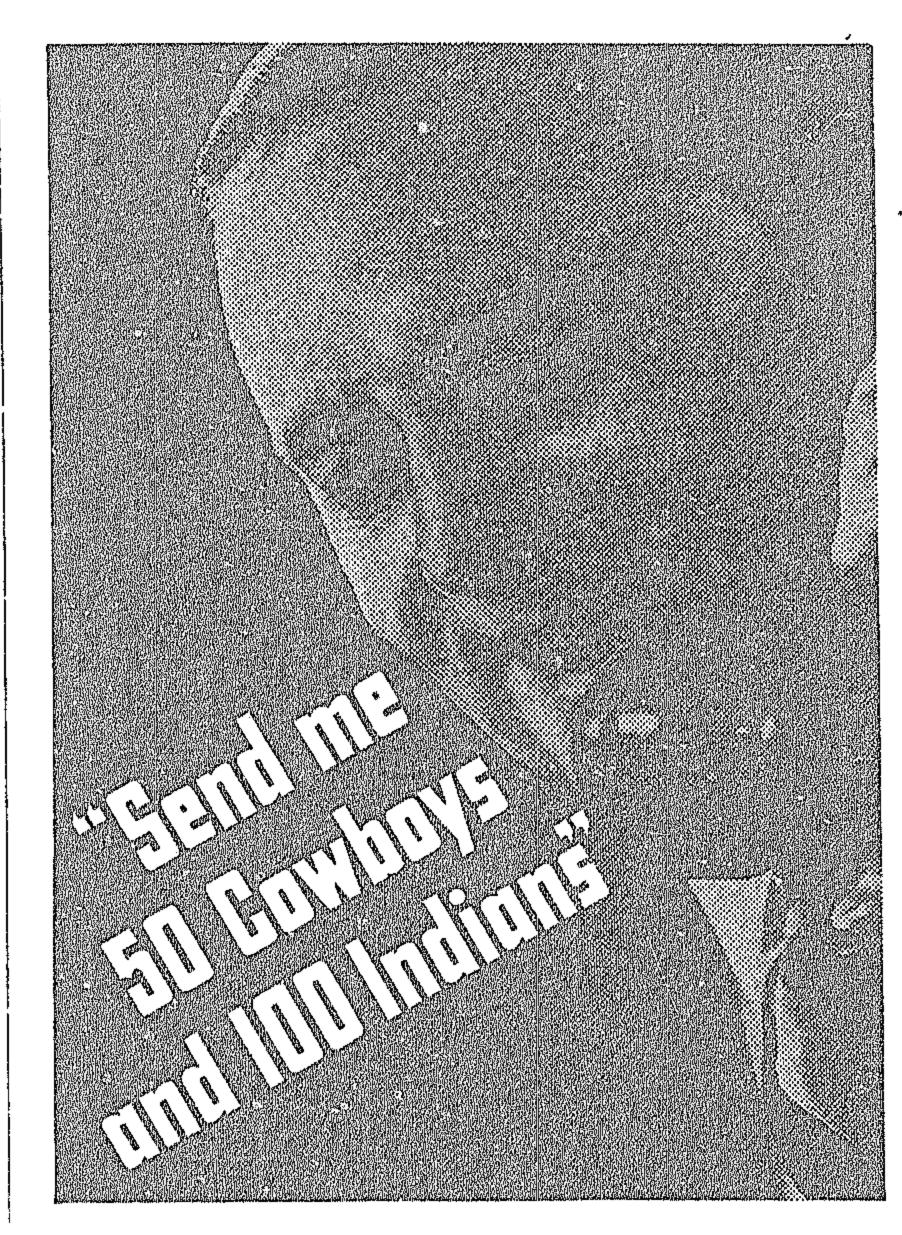
Stuff: Those hard working seniors who are doing that ballroom and also the Warren Prize were hard at workplaying ball, when the Times' candid cameraman came along and snapped Nobler, Schmaltz, Lohmiller, and Donnelly cavorting on the greensward. The DIGNIFIED seniors don't seem to be very discriminating about who photographs them; or are they?

One of those stream of consciousness things: 1. Times, photographer, photographs, Cycle, Professor Hendricks. 2 Photograph, model, Life Class, School activities, Cycle. 3. Life Class, model, Professor Hendricks, gentleman, lady in distress, Sir Walter Hendricks.

. . . by this time I hope that you will have figured out that a certain get some photographs of the Life a few minutes and when the lovely right, I'm strong," replied the Am-FORM FOR THEM EARLY IN

The last little things are: The forever but he can also continue to while the Arx? . . . Guess, you smarty. Who prefers to crit two men inwhy is Mr. Mell glad that the charette is over? . . . Mirotsnic is having a coming out party on his chin. The local communists will nip this event long before its hoped-for happy culmination.

Art (poo-out) Gum.

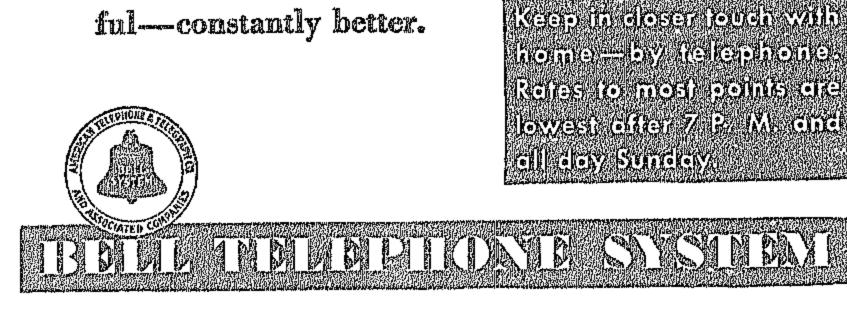


WY/HEN Hollywood wants to film a scene re-WV quiring hundreds of "extras," it makes a telephone call—and gets them.

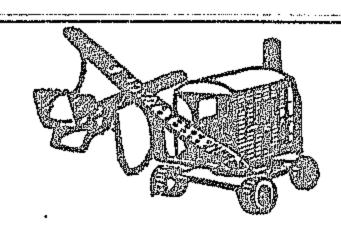
This is made possible by a central casting bureau, whose amazingly fast service is based on systematic use of the telephone. This organization has a telephone switchboard where as many as 30,000 calls a day are handled in bringing actors and producers together.

Another example of the value of telephone service to business and social America. It is the constant aim of Bell System men and women to make it ever more use-

ful—constantly better.



## THE STEAM SHOVEL



MAYBE THE SOPHS THOUGHT THEY WERE GETTING A TOR-RID LOVE STORY WHEN EACH OF THEM RECEIVED A MIMEO-GRAPHED COPY OF "SIMPSON'S RULE" LAST WEEK, BUT IT SEEMS THAT THE SIMPSON | nail polish on his finger nails. . . WASN'T WALLY, AND IT WAS THE WRONG RULE ANYWAY.

Apollo, hereby and herewith doth offer to place the following wager of one dollar with any and all comers, case, which shifted the prof's ideas. to wit: No Techawk can obtain a date | (Recalling old days when he used to with the LADY IN QUESTION and carve angels and inscriptions on spend not more than fifty cents dur- tombstones). He must be good! ing the evening. Name, address, and phone number furnished free of charge.

GEORGIE STOBER, who has long | "Doc!" Umph! been trying to convince the junior schmiers that he has really prepared that organic chemistry talk, gave proof of same last week by speeding along Western Avenue forty miles per hour in haste to give his speech. Once again he was deprived of the opportunity for self expression, the cop's car being able to do more than 40.

It seems that Footlik ('39) was at his girl friend's house while she was manicuring her nails last Sunday night or somethin'. Anyway he ap-

# Fraternity Notes

## PHI PI PHI

Gamma chapter of Phi Pi Phi takes pleasure in announcing the initiation of Ronald Monson, C. E. '38, and the pledging of William Soeffel, M. E. '41.

The Fathers' and Sons' smoker, which was held last Wednesday, was a big success and was thoroughly en-

peared in school with a deep crimson

Winblad had the feeling that Prof. Harris was giving too many "daily Bolt Anderson, blond sophomore problems," so he figured that one way to approach the question was to present the prof. with a new slipstick ant event.

> "Stinkey" Masin is going Park Avenue on us. He wants us to call him "Doc." O. K. boys, go to it . .

## Thanks, Steve!

Your contribution intended for the "Mailbox" was received with fell over when he saw a manuscript in the News box above the drinking fountain in Main. He hopes that some of those somber engineers will drop quips or questions in the box as only you had the courage to do.

joyed by all present.

Most of us have been doing a lot of bowling. We would like to have some games soon and therefore we extend a challenge to any five man team from any other fraternity.

We have successfully negotiated the final laps of the basketball tournament and hope that we do as well against Delta Tau Delta when we meet them Tuesday.

## DELTA TAU DELTA

The Delt Prom, the crowning event on the social calendar, was held in the Sky Room of the Stevens Hotel last Saturday night. Through the cooperation of the Armour and Northwestern chapters, and the efforts of Oreste Tomei and Jack Horder, social chairmen, the party was a very pleas-

The Mothers' Club held its third meeting at the house last Sunday afternoon. After the meeting a short rehearsal was held for the fraternity sing and refreshments were served.

We want to congratulate Bill Groen upon his election as chairman of the co-op class of '41.

The house suffered the loss of one of its most valuable basketball players. Bill Scherer was injured in the semi-final event of the interfraternity basketball tournament. He was ordered to bed by the doctor and will great pleasure. Your writer almost | have to remain there for at least a

> The Delt's won their semi-final basketball game in the tournament by defeating the Phi Kappa Sigma quintet, 17 to 12, in a hard fought game. The finals will be played with the Phi Pi Phi's, defending champs, Tuesday night at 5:15 o'clock.



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