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revenue that the government will collect in the fiscal year of 1938. My bill would require all teachers to devote a special session in which the students were taught to smoke." If this bill goes through, imagine father giving Junior cigarette money every morning before the child leaves for kindergarten. The Senator adds, "The slogan of my drive will be, "Smoke To-back-o drive to prosperity!"

In one of the most impressive ceremonies of this year at his winter home in Florida, John D. Rockefeller, multi-millionaire oil magnate, broke a precedent of ninety-four years standing by giving away a quarter instead of a dime.

As impressive as an Eucharistic Congress or the electrocution of a notorious criminal was this epoch-making event. Surrounded by newspapermen galange with flashlights incessant bursts of glare and powder, in accordance with the dignity required of his age and the impressiveness of the occasion, in conventional plaid shorts, walked up to a specially constructed platform on which were seated a score or so of nationally and internationally notable celebrities.

The gigantic multitude, exceeding, in a conservative figure, ten million crowded the dais and gazed upon the assembled notables. An army of microphones hedged the speaker's pedestal, which was carved from wood obtained from a giant Sequoia and decorated with gold leaf.

As Mr. Rockefeller opened the platform supported by his own convictions, a hush fell over the multitude. The aged millionaire climbed the platform with calm dignity, stopping only to dodge a rotten grapefruit thrown by the Secretary of State. On the platform, trembling with the realization of his position, stood the recipient-elect of the two bits, Postmaster-General James A. Barley, who is to use the money to purchase stamps for the first air mail stamp to Elewaytor County, Ireland.

Mr. Rockefeller, his hand upon a one-year-old Bible, a family heirloom, spoke these amazing words into the microphones, "Take the two-bits!"

Benzamine Freud Finds Enzyme 'sw'

Prof. B. B. Freud formally announced his new contribution to science at the Thursday Bank Nite at the Rialto Theatre (next week's prize is \$2.00), an enzyme which will enable the human saliva to render wood digestible. This enzyme, when introduced into the human blood stream, will form a crystalline, allotropic, amphoteric stereo-isomeric tissue which will make it possible to eat wood. Once inoculated with this enzyme, which the professor refers to as "squibsy wimby," the human body will be immune for thirty-one years.

Take Your Pick

If this enzyme is put into universal use, the restaurants will probably have to invent new dishes entirely. Broiled steakwood, stewed sandalwood and fried walnut will probably be the "De-Luxe" dishes. For dessert, there will be a fruit salad of peach-wood, cherry wood, and maple wood. For a salad dressing, white-ash will probably be the "tops."

There will be special dishes also. The American Negro will probably go for a dish of "pitch pine," or barbecued "black-cherry." The Indian will go for a mess of burned "Red-wood"; in the winter weather the Eskimo will cook up a pot of "Douglas-fir," or for a light meal, "Balsam-wood." To grow hair, a bald-headed man will flavor his drinks with "bald-cypress" powder; bread will be spread with "butternut"; fish food will be fried "beech"; a farmer's salad will include "cucumber magnolia"; school teachers will gnaw on "crab-apple"; and suicides will eat quilled "cactus" chops.

Tough on Blockheads

This is all very nice for the poor man too. If he runs low on money he can eat all his furniture; if that doesn't help, he can start tearing down his frame bungalow. After picking one's teeth, the tooth-pick, which will be considered a delicacy, can be also eaten. The same can be said for matches.

If this discovery is seriously taken, the city will have to install steel street poles. The Armour Institute will probably have to move as a few chemicals are already laying their claims to parts of Chapin Hall.

Committee Finds Library Handling Pernicious Books

Notwithstanding a vigorous protest by the student body, the Faculty Committee yesterday voted to discontinue the usage of the Armour Tech Library. This action was based on the charge made by certain public-spirited parents that the books were corrupting the morals of the younger generation.

Just for the Asking

Definite proof was brought forth that volumes upon such subjects as chemistry, electricity, physics, and English could be easily secured for the asking.

On many of the shelves and secret chambers private investigators discovered several uncensored and unexpurgated copies of Webster's Dictionary and Watson's Text-Book of Physics. It was mainly this damning evidence which brought about the drastic action.

Professors Hear Case

Student leaders used every possible means to avert the disaster, but they were frustrated at every point by the action of the committee. The professors refused to hear any expert testimony and relied only upon the evidence gathered by the Pinkerton detectives which they had hired.

No statements were forthcoming from any of the leaders of either faction, but it was generally conceded

Prof. Huntly Under Long Navy Contract

Prof. Huntly was called to the U. S. Navy Research Laboratory at Belview last Friday to perform several stress determinations of extreme complexity and heterogeneity. By means of photo-elasticity, polarized light, and a multiplication table up to 25, he found out that it is possible to see right through the celluloid airplane models. His job completed, the Navy paid him his salary and sent him home.

Prof. Huntley decided to spend the \$3.25 and proceeded to do some sight-seeing in our nation's capital. He visited the beautiful new building of the Supreme Court where he slept through a very important patent case. On Easter Sunday he visited the White House accompanied by an Armour undergraduate of his acquaintance. It seems that, in order to obtain entrance, one must accompany a child through the gate. He spent Tuesday in the Supreme Court until train time.

ed in private circles that the action was justified. Modern youth has strayed too far along the path of evil; reform is absolutely necessary.

Undoubtedly only rental libraries will be used during the present crisis. Although they do not offer the facilities of a school library, it is at least certain that their books are of the highest moral caliber.

Fraternities Throw Brawl Pretty Soon

The second annual Inter-Fraternity Formal Dinner-brawl is to be thrown at the Elmhurst 4-H club, it was boasted by O. E. TOMEI, Graftman of the dance committee. Noise will be perpetrated by Lester Paul's Discord Daddies, a band whose gurgling gushes are familiar to many by reason of their broadgas over radio station PHFT,—power .4 watts. The band's style of putting over the music may be compared to that of the Maxwell St. Trio, a style that is unsurpassed for its terpsichorean titillating trash.

Bids are forced on fraternity members by five dollars a couple. Grub will be guzzled at midnight during which the diners will be bored by a floor show presented by the versatile and talented members of the band. In other words, no floor show.

The Elmhurst 4-H club was the scene of the last Junior Brawl, and those who were sober will recall with disgust the terrible dancing afforded by the spacious brawlroom overlooking the beautifully landscaped alley.

Slapsticks—

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arose to speak. "We must take definite action upon the situation. I forget just what the situation is, but we must take action. It's the proper thing. Our ancestors took action before us. Their ancestors before them took action. Every one is taking action!"

"Down with action!"
"Down with inaction!"
"Down with everything!!!"
"Let's call a spade trumps!" he continued, "We must not mince pie! Justice must be swift!"

For hours the world, until weak, weary and brawn, the Board finally reached the following decision:

1. Slide rules are contraband.
2. Freshmen and sophomores shall be expected to use the standard system of counting on their fingers. Advanced students and professors can also count on their toes. The school will be completely air-conditioned by next fall.
3. Magnifying lenses are unethical and should not be used on slide rules.
4. Slide rules are contraband.

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Physicists Introduce a Thirty-Six Hour Day; Time for More Home Work

By Garcia M. Laitnau

Beginning April 18, 1937, there will be thirty-six full hours every day, three hundred and sixty-five days in the year. Such was the announcement made yesterday by the Physics Department of Armour, who have for the first time revealed their secret plans for this revolutionary advance of civilization. By slowing down the speed of the earth's revolutions, the small group of savants whose names will echo down the corridor of time, hopes to achieve its end.

Clocks Must Be Revised

For the past thirty years civilization has been shrieking, "Faster! Faster!" demanding a killing pace in every line of endeavor. Its prayer is now answered, and speed without effort is the order of the day.

Among the many industries which will be subject to the greatest boom since the first explosion of nitroglycerine, are the watch and clock industry, which will have a virgin market when the new daytime saving will make all watches, clocks, timers and chronometers of the old short day, obsolete. Night clubs will be in operation for twenty hours a day, and the song "Lord you made the night too long," will come into new popularity. Night hawks, night owls, nightshirts, night lights, night watches, Arabian nights, good nights, and nightmares will all receive a fifty per cent increase with time off for good behavior.

Eureka!

For two years Professor Colvert and his colleagues have labored secretly, teaching classes in the daytime, and working in an underground laboratory during the night. Long, weary, heart-breaking hours of toil have been their lot while they pursued their clandestine operations, accepting, rejecting, trying, failing,

hoping, fearing, until they finally emerged with their present solution to the problem. Their method of obtaining the new super day was discovered quite by accident, when Professor Sprague parked his gum on a rotating sphere, and the speed was immediately decreased. "Eureka!" shouted the Professor, and "Eureka" shouted all the echoes from the walls of their underground laboratory.

Wrigley Pays Us

"If a wad of gum slows down a rotating sphere why shouldn't an immense wad of gum slow down the earth?" The physicists had solved their problem only to be confronted by a still greater one. "How can we accumulate enough gum in one spot?" This was their next problem. "If every person in the United States that plastered chewing gum under theatre seats, behind sofas, underneath table tops, etc., would throw his gum in one spot, we could achieve our goal," said Professor Colvert. "Now," he continued, "if we offered a prize, say Clark Gable to the winning lady, and Mae West to the winning man, we could get every one to follow our plan. The movie stars must be sacrificed for the sake of humanity."

New Problem Arises

Their first job completed, the scientists presented their idea to the League of Nations who unanimously adopted it, and set April 15th for the commencement. By the eighteenth, the momentum of the earth will have decreased to .00385 x 47.5K.W.+4 revolutions per year, the calculated speed for the thirty-six hour day. The gum mountain will be destroyed, and scattered throughout the United States by a series of powerful explosions. Just how the resulting mess will be cleaned is a further problem for the scientific world to solve.

Philip Merivale says:
"My throat's grateful for Luckies
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"In one of the first important parts I did in America, the play called for a long and very trying individual performance. In every scene for five full acts I was on stage talking almost continuously. The strain made it imperative that I safeguard my throat and voice. After trying different brands of cigarettes, I came across Luckies. They stood the test and for many years now I've enjoyed them. I like the taste of Luckies and my throat is grateful for a light smoke."

Philip Merivale



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"THE CREAM OF THE CROP"

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