

According to Frederick A. Middlebush, University of Missouri president, the campus is well equipped for romance. He says, "We now have the campus fully equipped with benches for two. The only complaints are that the electric lights are too near the benches."

The United States government is sponsoring exchange of students and teachers with Latin-American countries. At the present time there are 1,394 Latin-American students and 36 teachers studying in this country. 80 students came north this year while only 15 Americans have gone down there to study.

About 150,000 off-campus students are now taking courses from colleges and universities in this country.

The library of the South Dakota State College has a microfilm collection which makes it possible to obtain copies of priceless or bulky volumes at only a very small fraction of what the originals would cost.

One out of every 40 persons in the United States is a college or university graduate.

It was recently discovered that 35 inmates of Walkill Prison at Albany, New York, are receiving extension courses from Cornell University and Penn State College. They probably have plenty of time to do homework without worrying about dates.

One B grade spoiled the straight A record that Jimmy Wilson, present Emory senior, has made in 13 years of schooling.

Two hundred thousand students attend college in other than their home state.

Francis J. Bellamy, a member of the 1876 class at the University of Rochester, wrote the United States pledge of allegiance.

The information bureau of Eastern New Mexico College sent out a bulletin saying that there was a large increase in the number of freshman girls at the college. One New Mexico newspaper carried the story under the following headline:

CO-EDS THICKER ON E.N.M.C. CAMPUS

The co-eds over 110 pounds are considering the formation of a reducing club.

A certain professor at Ohio State walked into his classroom 15 minutes late one day and found the class gone. Next day he reprimanded the students, saying that his hat had been on the desk as a sign of his presence. The next day the professor walked into an empty classroom — on each desk was a hat. A fine way to humor the prof.

The University of Wichita received the proceeds from more than 1,000 bushels of wheat raised in the ground in front of its administration building last year.

Research scientists at Kansas State College are raising cattle on a diet which substitutes powdered limestone for alfalfa.

The Speakeasy Club invites all who are interested in listening to classical records to attend their regular concerts held on Tuesday (11:15 to 2:00 P.M.) and Thursday (12:15 to 1:00 P.M.) The program for Nov. 12 and 14 appears below. Overture to Barber of Seville ... Rossini Danse Macabre ... Saint-Saen Waltz of the Fowers ... Tschaiakowsky Symphony No. Five ... Beethoven (Movements 1 and 2, Tuesday) (Movements 3 and 4, Thursday) Poet and Peasant Overture ... Von Suppe

The Greeks Had A Word For It

GODS

By Robert Creagan

The Interfraternity Council had a meeting and "eating" at Alpha Sig House last Wednesday. The council helped to tie Armour and Lewis more closely by admitting a Lewis fraternity into the Interfraternity Council. The Lewis fraternity is Delta Lambda Xi and is a local fraternity. We hope this will be the beginning of closer social relations with the Lewis fraternities.

The constitution of Interfraternity Council will be revised by a committee composed of the following men: Delt-Don Knief, Phi Kap-Bob Ettinger, Alpha Sig-Dick Larson, Sigma Alph Mu-Seymour Saperstein, and Al Berger from Delta Lambda Xi at Lewis.

Last Tuesday, the Alpha Sigma Phi football team downed a Rho Delta Rho, to forge into the interfraternity finals against Pi Kappa Phi. Held scoreless during the first half by the spirited Rho Deltas, the last half saw the Alpha Sigs stage a succession of touchdown plays to roll up 21 points, while their opponents were held scoreless. The championship game will be played sometime this week, with the Pi Kaps having the odds in their favor.

Delt pledge George Reinke-tubbed for asking dumb questions in chemistry.

As a remark on the title of this column, may I quote from Bacon, "It is true greatness to have in one the frailty of a man and the security of a god."

ODE TO AN ENGINEER

Who is the man who designs our pumps with judgment, skill, and care?

Who is the man who builds 'em and keeps them in repair?

Who has to shut them down because the valve seats disappear?

The bearing-wearing, gearing-tearing Mechanical Engineer.

Who buys his juice for half a cent and wants to charge a dime?

Who when we've signed a contract, can't deliver half the time?

Who thinks a loss of twenty-six per cent is nothing queer?

The volt-inducing, load-reducing Electrical Engineer.

Who is it takes a transit out to find a sewer to tap?

Who then with extreme care locates the junction on the map?

Who is it goes to dig it up and finds it nowhere near?

The mud-bespattered, torn and tattered Civil Engineer.

Who thinks without his products we would all be in the lurch?

Who has a heathen idol he designates "research"?

Who tints the creeks, perfumes the air, and makes the landscape drear?

The stink-evolving, grass-dissolving Chemical Engineer.

Who burns down all the buildings and doesn't give a damn?

Whose rating stands but second to Armour's prebaked ham?

Who runs in burning buildings to save a bottle of beer.

The inconsistent, heat-resistant Fire Protectioneer.

Who takes the pleasure out of life, and makes existence hell?

Who'll fire a real good lookin' one because she cannot spell?

Who substitutes a dictaphone for coral tinted ear?

The penny-chasing, dollar-wasting Efficiency Engineer.

(Swiped from the Minnesota Technology while no one was looking.)

The fifth verse is original, which isn't hard to tell.

For no other college schools, would try to teach such fools

Who burn down buildings just for fun and think their work is done

But wake up in the morning to find another one.

GODDESSES

By Alda Kairis

Well, the big day for all sororities is over! New girls, eleven of them, have been pledged by the sororities of Lewis. Last Friday was a day of wondering, hoping, and congratulating. From the information I was able to gather here are the results:

The SIGMA BETA THETA SORORITY received Lorraine Kaskia, Ruth Carpenter, Elinor Wick, and Lorraine Pindrus. Yesterday at 12:30, these girls were pledged and were presented with corsages of red roses and lilies-of-the-valley. Since pledging took place at the noon hour, the girls enjoyed a luncheon with each other in the apartment.

KAPPA PHI-DELTA SORORITY has added to its active list Florence Bartusek, Blanche Fried, and Characy Mae Cutshall. This morning in the candle lit tearoom, the new girls took a pledge of secrecy and loyalty. The Kappas presented them with corsages of red carnations.

This afternoon at 3:30, in the homey atmosphere of the Apartment, the SIGMA OMICRON LAMBDA SORORITY will pledge Marilyn Jöhler, Elaine Maggio, Doris Tully, and Margret Ann Anderson to their group. After the receipt of their corsages, made up of lavender sweet peas and yellow roses, the pledges will be surprised by what they will learn. No one is at liberty, at this time, to say any more about it—just keep your eyes on this column in future weeks and you'll see what they had cooked up for these new pledges...

Plans were begun for the Interfraternity Formal which is to be a formal dinner-dance given by Armour and Lewis fraternities and sororities. The final plans are to be made by a committee consisting of the following: Alpha Sig-Dick Larson, Delt-K. Oscar Hoffman, Pi Kap-Harry Heidenreich, Rho Delt-Harry Levinson, and Phi Kap-Bob "Glenna" Greenberg.

Ye Scribe Sees Nifty Chasses At Auto Show; Approves New Cars

By Charles McAleer

Ah yes my children, the Auto Show is a wonderful thing. Ah yes, um, um. Such beautiful chasses, such lines, such curves, such — oh yes the cars, yes they were nice too.

Most educational, instructive and invigorating to say the least. Your scribe learned all about fluid clutches, cosine hither eyes, box frames, well filled silk hoseiery, push button door releases, cupids bow lips, metallic finish, and streamline bodies. Did I say streamline bodies? Wow!

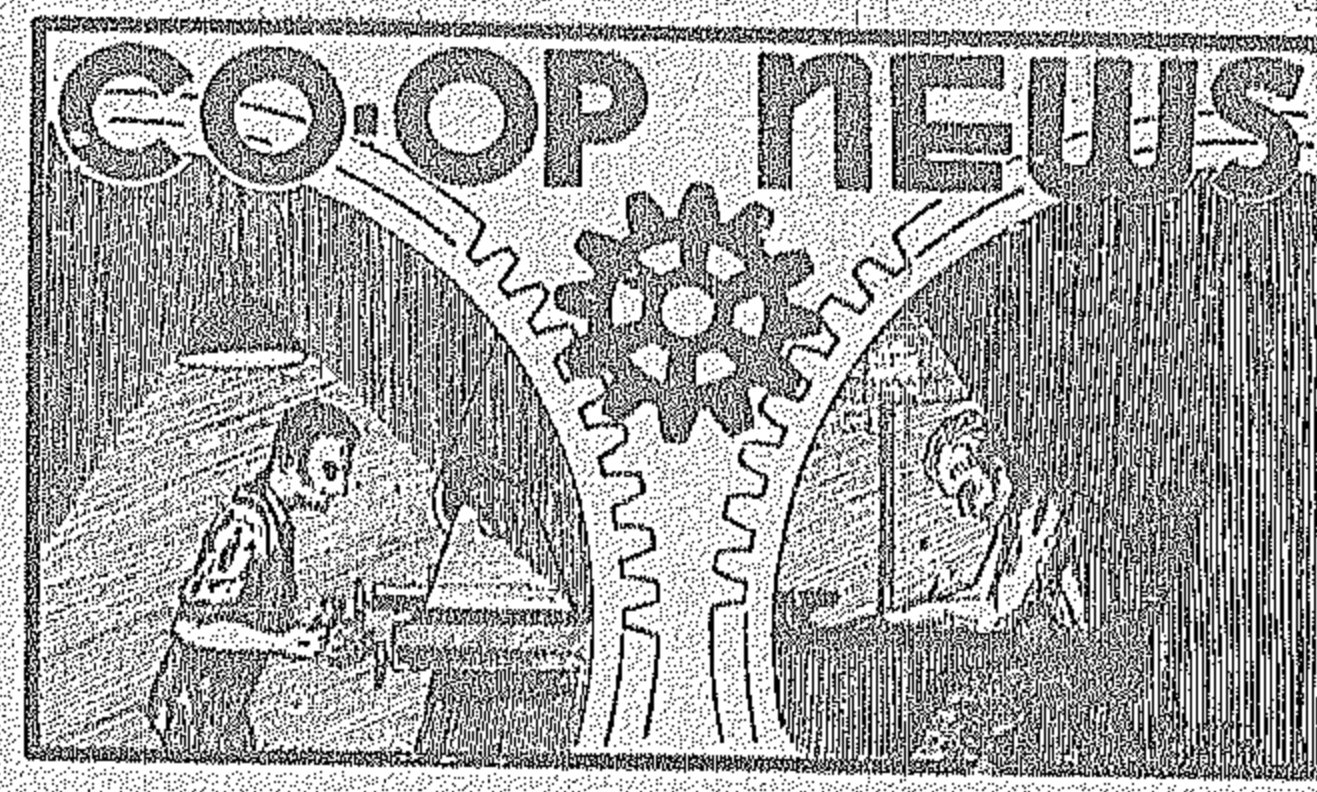
These modern manufacturers have tossed a boomerang at we the beauty-loving public. This business of filling ultra-streamlined automobiles with ultra-ultra-streamlined models was hailed as a super-super idea by the manufacturers. It still is — but not by the manufacturers.

Note — after battling your way through a 20 foot crowd you find yourself face to face with a rather fierce looking gridwork called a grill. From there on back as far as the eye can see (you're being pushed around pretty violently by now so that it's difficult to see anything but hats and the back of the other fellow's neck) there is a slick metallic version of nature's teardrop, done up in a beautiful shade of magenta. Suddenly, without a sound other than the oh's and oo's of the horde, the entire front half of this beautiful body swings upward—and lo! What do we see? Why the steering wheel, the engine, and the front seat. Ah but what do we really see? Three of the most beautiful and shapely pair of similar limbs this little fellow has ever laid eyes on.

And did it stop with the legs? I should say—well what can I say. My! Such curves, such proportions, such lines, such luscious loveliness—who could concentrate or even glance at a car? So much neck-stretching and tip-toe gawking I have never seen.

To put it neatly as it was heard in the crowd, "What a chassis—on the car."

Yes my children, you must take in an auto show before you die—or you will never be fully educated—you may never truly say that you have lived. Ah, me!



By H. F. Krantz

This verbal blitz is the result of the gallant literary effort of seniors B. J. Nigrelli and E. W. Ruhe. (Ed's Note—After reading the following effort, you won't doubt it.)

Those two staunch young Democrats, B. J. Nigrelli and Ed Ruhe, modestly take full credit for the overwhelming vote of confidence for President Roosevelt in the state of Illinois. In a joint pre-election statement they were quoted as saying, "IT WILL BE ROOSEVELT BY A LANDSLIDE." In their post-election statement they were quoted as saying, "IT WAS ROOSEVELT BY A LANDSLIDE." The complete responsibility for the defeat of the machines' gubernatorial and senatorial candidates, they place directly upon the broken shoulder of Warren Hutchings, whose work this election did not measure up to the fine standard he set in 1936. To Ed Schmidt is given credit for the President's large poll in the city of Hammond. Cicero fell in line under the superb and intellectual guidance of Stan Zalowa.

It is reported that "Toots" Wilms has all the pin-boys at Milo Weisner's bowling alleys up in arms against his treatment of the ten pins. The extent of the blitzkrieg that he lays down upon them would almost make one believe he had a personal grudge against all the pin-boys in the house. (Note: It's a quarter to six Charlie, you'd better go home!)

With the recent addition of "Jigger" Jones and "Satchel" Meyers to their football squad, the 5A touchball team can now boast of having the fleetest backfield in Co-op history. The agility that these two exhibit on the field makes one believe he is witnessing Tom Harmon, running thru knee deep mud, wearing snowshoes.

Inspired by the vociferous cheering of Ed Ruhe and "Toots" Wilms, "Thunderbolt" Nigrelli again sparked the 5A Co-ops to an overwhelming victory over the vainly fighting 2A group. "Benny" Schmall, to prove his efficiency, again had to crawl on his knees to catch the first touchdown pass thrown by "McGee" Jones.

Flash! To the great surprise of everyone present the tall, curly-haired, stalwart, high-pockets, lumberman, Pete Woods, proved his mettle by making a futile attempt to officiate (?) the game.

Chief Justice Ed Ruhe, with the permission of Stan Zalewa and the able assistance of Prof. Larkin took the floor in Constitutional law to interpret the delicate and fine points of the Constitution.

In the same law class, S. W. Meyers, 5A, contributed his viewpoint regarding a marriage clause in Utah's state constitution by stating, "It's deprivation of equality of rights! Why should one man have two women and the next man none?"

Wonder if Andy (bureau of information) Blaida will ever get over his baby days.

How did "Sonny Boy" Chubinski ever do it? His mild, meek manner belies the fact that a girl ever hooked him. He is now soliciting information from all the married men on how to properly conduct himself.

The Triangle boys are walking around on their heels as a result of their super-calouseal Halloween party last Friday. The Co-ops in the house sanded the floors, and the results justify the hard work they put in.

Upon due thought and consultation, the writers of this column have decided that those two upright stellar young genii, Ruhe and Nigrelli, are again entitled to lead the class for this year as in the years before.

Thanks, Krantz!!