

## IIT ENGINEERS GET PLACEMENT

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pointees may return to civilian life.

### Applications at Placement Office

Prospective appointees may file their names with the placement bureau at Armour. After all recommendations from the instructors and the Institute have been



Rear-Admiral H. E. Yarnell is shown talking to four architects after the defense talk at special junior-senior assembly last Thursday in the auditorium.

compiled, they will be sent to Washington. About two months will then be required for the final selection of applicants.

To the juniors who receive provisional appointments on their 1942 degree, every opportunity will be given to finish their course at Armour. During this period they will not be drafted into any other service. Upon graduation they will not be compelled to enlist in the Navy if they do not choose to do so at that time.

## Alfred Kauffmann Speaks To Co-ops

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employer and employee is a paramount factor in industrial progress. He contended that giving facts and getting co-operation is a better policy than "Treat 'em rough and tell 'em nothing."

After the speech a violin solo was played by Melvin Korrell, one of the Co-ops. He played the "Cavatina" by Raff. Then President Heald conferred degrees, and Dean Tibbals presented the diplomas to the graduates. Only one student was unable to attend his graduation in person. He is Kenneth J. Kleinwachter who is now working in California.

### Address by Heald

Following the conferring of degrees, President Heald delivered the commencement address to the graduating class. He paid tribute to Mr. Lease for having the energy and vision to start the co-operative movement in our school, and for heading the co-op department with such great success.

Among the graduates were Peter H. Woods, former editor of the Technology News, David J. Whittingham, president of the graduating class, who made an average of 2.86, Paul G. Beckman, another prominent student who participated in many extra-curricular activities, and who has maintained a 2.82 average. Another well-known person also graduated at the same time, but unofficially. She is Miss Alberta Haw, Mr. Lease's personal secretary. The

## ENROLLMENT REACHES 6,139

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total—1,895—with Armour's total, sums up the student population at Illinois Tech as being 6,139 strong.

### Mechanical Largest Department

Broken down into departments, Armour's registration shows 480 mechanicals, 292 chemicals, 215 electricals, 112 civils, 89 architects, 69 fire protects, and 33 science students. A lateral division into classes makes the freshman 394 strong, while there are 304 sophomores, 301 juniors, 218 seniors, and 71 graduate students.

These totals, in comparison with those of a year ago, show that the M. E. department has gained 110 students, the chemicals have lost 16 men, and the F. P. E.'s have dropped eleven. All the other departments show gains: 21 more electricals, 17 more civils, 8 more architects, and 21 more science students.

boys took leave from her with such enthusiasm that she was unable to move her arm any more after the ceremonies were over.

Many of the Junior Marshalls present at the graduation were also Co-ops. They are: J. A. Briggs, O. Green, G. A. Guckel, E. P. Hanuska, F. D. McGinnis, B. J. Milleville, and F. C. Sternberg.

After the benediction the audience remained seated during the Academic Recessional.

## CO-OP GRADUATES HEAR KAUFFMANN



Sixty-six persons received their degrees in Engineering at the first graduation exercises of Illinois Institute of Technology held at the Rosenwald Museum Jan. 29, 1940. Alfred Kauffmann, president of the Link Belt Co., is shown speaking to the graduates, fifty-six of whom are products of the Institute's first course in cooperative engineering.

## Scholarships —

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View. He always was interested in math and the sciences. He is enrolled in the electrical engineering course.

Robert F. Hornbeck, a Hirsch graduate, was active in honor societies, choral work, and the R. O.T.C. He will start his studies in chemical engineering.

Hal T. Hurn is from Hyde Park.

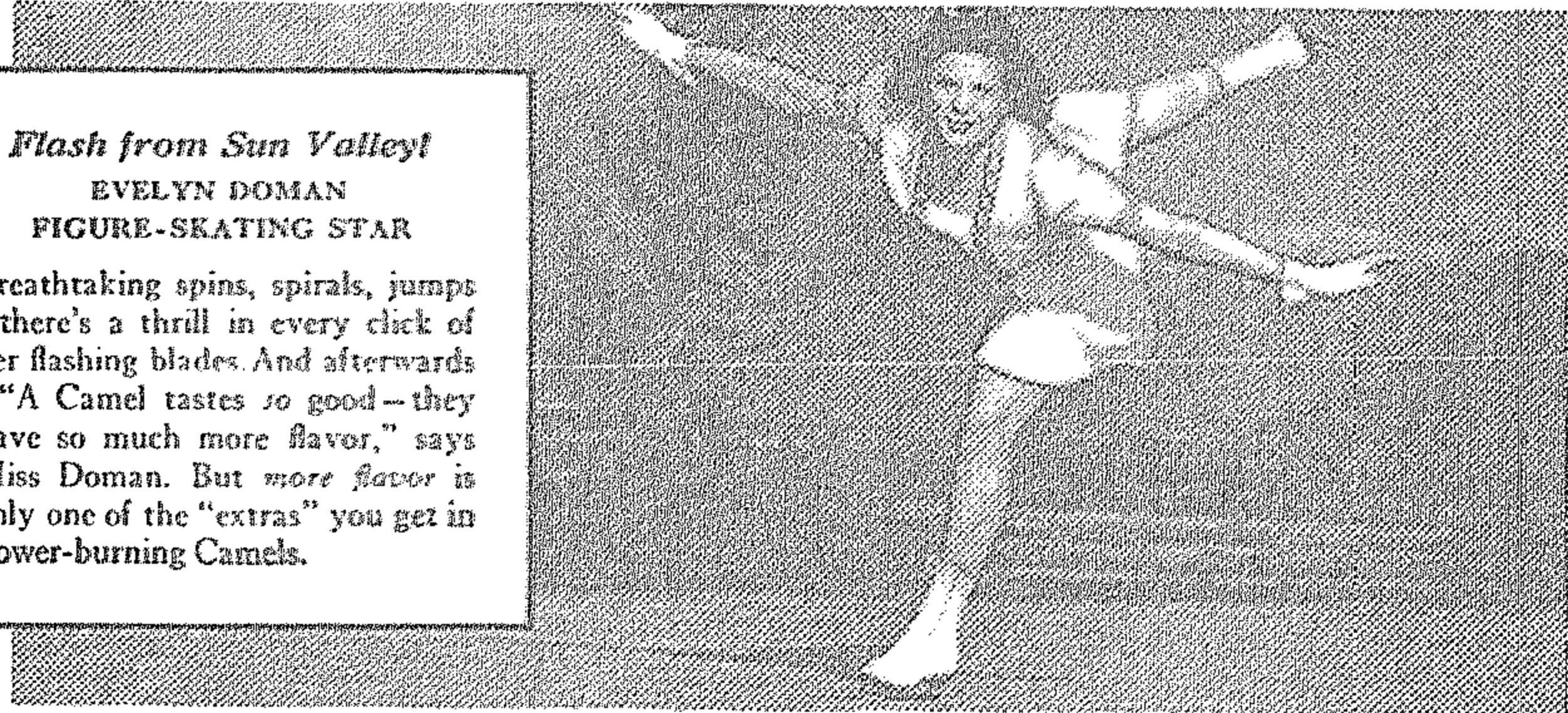
Very versatile, his accomplishments run from baseball to free-hand drawing scholarships at the Art Institute. He has chosen chemical engineering.

The fifth scholarship was awarded to Alfred G. Erickson of Hirsch. An aptitude for mechanical things fitted him for engineering and expressed itself in his hobby of model railroading. However, he decided to decline the scholarship.

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