

ORGANIZATIONS

AIEE

•Culminating a successful year, President Bill Vizard conducted the annual election of officers. The new president is popular Jim McDonald, who promises a good year. Sophomore Richard Ross was elected vice-president; Warren Ramler, treasurer; and Irving Kaluzna, secretary.

•Acknowledging the efforts of his appointed committees, President Vizard thanked them for their excellent cooperation. Again as in previous years, Professor Freeman was unanimously chosen to be the societies counselor.

•Last Thursday evening the members of the American Institute of Electrical Engineers forgot about quizzes and homework and gathered for an evening of gaiety and frivolity. Among the men present were Professors Moreton, Reed, and Freeman who actively took part in discussion and answered questions put forward to them by prospective engineers. Those not so intellectually inclined divided into groups and pitted their skills in a game of cards. During the course of the evening refreshments, cigars, and cigarettes were served. The evening was climaxed by the showing of movies consisting primarily of historical data dating as far back as 1903. The film drawing the most applause from the younger set was "Wee Willie Whopper."

•The meeting had a fine turnout, the lounge being completely occupied, which indicates "congrats" are in order for the social committee of the AIEE.

SCARAB

•Scarab, professional architecture fraternity, elected officers last Wednesday. Wesley Pipher will be president for the coming year. Other officers are: George Borre, vice-president; Ed Farrell, secretary; and Arthur Lillibridge, treasurer.

The meeting took place in Farrell's home. Projects such as trips and a map of good Chicago architecture were discussed.

RHO EPSILON

•Rho Epsilon announces the pledging of Richard Bagdon, M.E. 5-B, Louis Bagdon, E.E. '45, Herman Weyerffel, E.E. '42, Roy Peterson, E.E. '42, John Connor, E.E. '42,

Clarence Votava, E.E. '42, Leo Yuceri, E.E. '42, and Larry Ryan, E.E. '42.

TECHNOLOGY NEWS

•Paul O. Rydings, in charge of Public Relations at Illinois Tech, talked to members of the TECHNOLOGY NEWS Friday, April 17.

•After Mr. Rydings had discussed some of the cardinal points of journalism and illustrated them with examples; a short group discussion in which all present participated took place. During his talk Mr. Rydings mentioned that in his position he has not had many opportunities to meet students, but hopes that he will be able to make the acquaintance of more of them in the future.

•Next Friday, April 24, Mr. Rydings will again address the staffs of the student publications in the TECHNOLOGY NEWS office.

CHI EPSILON

•Jack Kasman and Edward Kriesberg, junior civil engineering students, were pledged to Chi Epsilon, honorary civil engineering fraternity, on Friday, April 17, in Room 218 Chapin.

•At the meeting, Milt Pleva, chapter president, announced that Illinois Tech will be well represented by members of the junior and senior civil engineering classes at the annual Mid-West convention of the American Society of Civil Engineers. The convention will be held at Madison, Wisconsin, May 1 and 2. Delegates from Iowa State, the University of Illinois, Northwestern Technological Institute, Case School of Applied Science, Purdue, Rose Polytechnic Institute, the University of Kansas, and the University of Wisconsin will attend.

VOTE!

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Election Tomorrow
9 A.M. to 3 P.M.
Student Union Lobby

Fraternity men to match voices

•Sharps, flats, and chords will replace sines, tangents, and logarithms in the interests of the Illinois Tech engineer on Thursday evening, April 23, at 8:30 p.m. At that time, the annual Spring Concert will be held in the Armour auditorium under the direction of Mr. Gordon O. Erickson.

•As in previous years, the high spot of the evening will be the Interfraternity Sing, a contest in which Armour's fraternity men will match vocal chords for the honor of having the winning fraternity's selection recorded and presented to them.

•Admission to the concert is free. Students and faculty members, as well as their friends and relatives, are invited to attend. The response in the past has been gratifying and the program this year promises to make attendance worthwhile. Following is the program:

Spring Concert	
Opening Selection	
Adoration	Borowski
Orchestra	
Hymn to the Night.....	
Campbell-Tipton	
Give a Man a Horse.....	O'Hara
Invictus	Huhn
Glee Club	
Monastery Garden.....	Ketelby
Northward from "Four Way Suite"	Coates
Orchestra	
Inter-Fraternity Sing	
Alpha Sigma Phi	Evening Shadows
Within the Mystic Circle	
Theta Xi.....	Over Smokes and Coffee
The Rounders Song	
Triangle	Triangle Pals
Triangle Dream Song	
Phi Kappa Sigma	
The Marching Song	
Loyal Sons	
Rho Delta Rho.....	Pep Song
Loyalty Song	
Pi Kappa Phi	
The Rose of Pi Kappa Phi	
Pi Kappa Phi	Drinking Song
Delta Tau Delta.....	Down on the Farm
Delta Shelter	
Sigma Alpha Mu	
The Wind Croons Me a Melody	
Fast and Firm	
Beta Omega Nu	
Beta Omega Nu Pledge Song	
Beta Omega Nu	Drinking Song
Overture "Poet and Peasant".....	
Orchestra	
Kentucky Babe	Geible
Steal Away.....	Negro Spiritual
College Glee	Bolenge
Glee Club	
Moonlight and Serenade.....	Erickson
IIT Marching Song	
Glee Club and Orchestra	

Health plan—

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•One of the principal selling points of the plan is the preventive aspect. Normally, one does not immediately apprehend illness in its inceptive stages, but disregard nature's indications of an impending illness. There is no limitation on the number of times a member may visit the clinic for treatment, examinations or consultations, and by this precautionary attendance stop an illness or disease before it takes a firm hold on the system.

Editor: For your own own sake, and in the aid of the national physical fitness program, vote "yes" on your ballot for the Health Plan.

Lewis Lounge Letter

•In a memorandum from R. J. Spaeth last Thursday the lounge committee received the first inkling of the estimated cost of the lounge and other improvements on the Lewis campus. In publishing these estimates I believe that it is fitting to quote from Mr. Spaeth's letter so that there can be no misunderstanding as to what the estimates represent. I therefore quote directly from Mr. Spaeth's memorandum:

"I would like to ask that if you use these figures for publication that you stress that they are to be used only as an approach to the problem. I would like to point out that the job can be done in several ways and the cost will vary in the way it is done."

•With this in mind, the following is a copy of the memorandum sent to Dean C. L. Clarke by Mr. Spaeth concerning the problem:

"At the request of a recent conference, we submit herewith estimated costs of remodeling the second floor of Lewis institute. It should be pointed out that the costs will vary with the quality of the job—a very few hundred dollars to/or several thousand dollars, could be spent. We have attempted to figure on a practical effort, with a quality that would better the present appearances. The figures include remodeling including decoration—no furnishing."

1. Creation of Student Lounge:

a. Partitioning present arches with soundproof partitions.

b. Breaking emergency door through east wall directly to cafeteria.

c. Removing present business office to create lobby for entrance to lounge from west.

d. Removing vault and lockers, and building new partitions for new location of business office.

e. New incandescent lighting fixtures.

f. Asphalt tile floor.

g. Painting and decorating.

h. Large glass bulletin board.

\$1,840.00

2. Making faculty dining room out of present faculty rest room.

a. Removing washroom fixtures and partitions.

b. New incandescent lighting fixtures.

c. Asphalt tile floor.

d. Painting and decoration.

\$440.00

3. Location of women's washroom on second floor.

a. Moving location of telephone switchboard.

b. New partitions for new telephone office, and men and women's washrooms.

c. Plumbing changes and fixtures.

d. New incandescent lighting.

e. Painting and decorating.

\$1,040.00

Total of estimated cost \$3,320.00

•In an interview with President Heald last Thursday, it was pointed out that the second and third items do not have direct bearing upon the creation of a lounge. That is, they do not, except for a rider slipped into the first item. Note section (b) of the first item: Breaking emergency door through east wall directly to cafeteria. Unless the second item is done the door can not be constructed. We feel that there is no need for the lounge having a direct entrance to the cafeteria. Also section (c) of the first item should be noted. In no plan shown to the student committee has there been a plan to make the entrance to the lounge anyway but directly from the second floor corridor. We can offer no objection to the plan, however, as far as it goes but we can not help but feel that the extra plans, no matter how good, have tended to drag in too many originally unrelated ideas, which have caused the realization of a lounge to be slowed down. If this is not true we can not help but feel that the plan is good. If the administration as President Heald said Thursday is interested in the plan so as to improve the entire west campus without slowing down erection of the lounge, we back it 100 percent.

•In the discussions with President Heald there arose the problem of payment for the cost of the lounge. He was told that all the classes had passed motions approving the creation of a tentative lounge fee. He said that he would like resolutions stating that the students on the west campus would be willing to pay a lounge fee of \$2 per semester. Therefore we ask the classes to meet Friday, to vote on this matter.

Bud Carlson

HEALTH PLAN



At this desk the students would register, and complete records of each case would be readily available in the files.

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A portion of the eye department, completely re-equipped in 1940 with the latest of precision optical instruments.