

BOY MEETS GIRL?



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Gas institute fellows announced

•It's a "lucky thirteen" at the Institute of Gas Technology, for Harold Vagtborg, director, has just announced that from the senior students of eleven colleges picked in a nationwide selection, have accepted fellowships from the Gas institute.

•These thirteen men, who have or will receive their bachelor's degrees at the close of the current school year, represent eleven colleges and eight states from all parts of the nation. They will begin their work as fellows immediately after graduation this spring.

•Class work at the Gas institute will begin in September, but the thirteen will begin their training immediately this summer as employees in the gas industry, thereby starting the first summer of practical operating experience that is a required part of the institute's curriculum.

•The thirteen, and their schools are: Willard M. Dow, Colorado School of Mines; Roy C. Feber, University of Nebraska; Alan E. Florin, Lawrence college; W. Madden Gregory, Vanderbilt university; William R. Johnston, University of Texas; Richard A. Nevill, Texas A. and I.; T. L. Pelican, Colorado college; Richard A. Rall, Coe college; Leonard E. Savory, University of Denver; John W. Selph, Jr., Vanderbilt university; Frederick Sharp Jr., University of Tulsa; Erwin Strong Jr., Texas A. and I.; Raymond Wynkoop, Worcester Polytechnic institute.

•These thirteen fellows, according to Mr. Vagtborg, were picked from a field of more than 150 candidates from 52 American colleges, universities and technical schools. Selection of the fellows was made partly on the basis of scholarship, personality, leadership, character, and genuine interest in the gas industry as a field of development. "And in no case," Mr. Vagtborg emphasizes, "was any student appointed who had not been interviewed by at least one member of the Gas institute staff."

•Responsibility for the selection of the fellows was placed in the hands of Dr. Lincoln R. Thiesmeyer, student counselor for the institute. Dr. Thiesmeyer says, "The general excellence of the group is suggested by the following summaries:

•"Of these 13 boys 8 achieved the distinction of ranking among the topmost 2/5 in their graduating classes. Several were top men of the entire engineering division at their respective schools. None had less than a B average in general scholarship."

•At the Institute of Gas Technology, these men will be trained specifically for the gas industry. Their fellowships will make available to the man annual stipend of \$1000. Additional income will also be provided the fellows through their summer employment training.

Music club concert Friday



•Illinois Institute of Technology Musical clubs will present their annual concert at the Goodman theater next Friday night at 8:30 o'clock.

•Final rehearsal will be held at the theater Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock, when the entire program will be set with proper lighting effects, a feature which has made these concerts so popular.

•Unusual interest centers around the concert this year because immediately following the Goodman engagement the glee club will compete in Fred Waring's National College Glee club contest.

•The program to be presented next Friday night includes the following numbers:

PROGRAM

Overture "Light Cavalry" Suppe
Orchestra

Creation Hymn Beethoven
Adoramus Te, Christe Palestrina
Glee Club

Agnes Dei Bizet
"Northward" from "Four Way
Suite" Coates
Orchestra

NEW EQUIPMENT

•Professor Hobson, head of the department of electrical engineering, announced on March 27 that there is a distinct possibility of a Calculating Board valued at \$80,000 set up at Illinois Institute of Technology.

•"A calculating board consists of an arrangement of generation sources and impedance elements by which it is possible to represent an entire electrical power system in miniature. All elements of this system can be set up and operated just as an actual system is operated," said Dr. Hobson.

TECH TIMETABLE

Tuesday, April 7

Sigma Omicron Lambda cookie sale—Lewis.

Semi-final basketball games, 5 and 7 p. m.

First Aid meeting, 4 p. m.—Lewis, Room 313.

Wednesday, April 8

Championship basketball game and dance, 7:30 p. m.—Lewis gymnasium.

Thursday, April 9

Sigma Omicron Lambda cookie sale—Armour.

Friday, April 10

Glee club concert, 8:30 p. m.—Goodman theater.

Seniors meet Mr. Schommer to discuss placement, 2 p. m., Room 616—Lewis.

SOPH DANCE

•Formula for a perfect evening: Gay Claridge's smooth, danceable music, plus the distinctive atmosphere of the Lake Shore club plus the girl of your dreams and the inimitable touch of spring.

•All this is yours to enjoy the night of April 17 when the sophomores give their annual spring informal. The social committee was extremely fortunate in arranging for the services of Gay Claridge and his orchestra. Gay is scheduled to start a long engagement in Chicago at a favorite west side ballroom and has just completed an extensive engagement in Minneapolis where he broadcasted nightly over the CBS network.

•All arrangements have been made at the Lake Shore club (formerly the Lake Shore Athletic club) to make the dance an intimate IIT affair with private entrance, free parking lot, private checking room and a stand-up bar adjacent to the ballroom.

•Bids are again nominally priced at \$1.50 but due to the government tax on all functions there is a small tax of 15 cents making the total \$1.65.

•Any person selling seven bids receives a complimentary one. Bids may be purchased from any soph class officer, at the Bookstore, or Information office.

•The dance is open to anyone and social chairman Bruce Worcester urges everyone to attend.

LEWIS PREPARES

•With the United States at war against three of the world's major nations, certain students have felt that they wanted to be of some help to their country during this present situation.

•Students on the Lewis campus are holding a meeting, at 4 o'clock this afternoon in room 313, to listen to a Red Cross representative describe the Red Cross first aid course. All those interested are invited to attend.

•Red Cross courses play a very important role in a nation's defense effort. Trained nurses are limited in number and their services, like a doctor's, are required at the front when the emergency arises; while behind the lines in cities like Chicago, there are only a few trained physicians and nurses to care for the remaining population. And so it is imperative that the people who remain behind find some way to take care of themselves and their neighbors in an emergency. In peace and in war, great numbers of men and women lose their lives because someone around couldn't apply a tourniquet or give artificial respiration.

•The Red Cross course is an easy opportunity for students to help their country.

**DON'T FORGET
THE CONCERT
FRIDAY NITE**

RED CROSS BLOOD DONORS

Rubenstein
Cole

Ozimek

Watson
Jahnke

Martinek

Hurwitz
Goluska

Ladevich

Swan
Byrne

•Several Armourites have donated blood to the American Red Cross recently. Under the leadership of the Student War council, this form of defense aid is being effectively organized. Jack Byrne, chairman of the blood donor movement, announced that a group of students left the Armour campus at two o'clock Friday, April 3, to go to the headquarters and leave one pint of blood each. Reservations have been made with the Red Cross for a group of twenty-five and fifteen students have volunteered for the first group so far.

•The donors must be twenty-one or over or have parental permission. The procedure takes about forty minutes, and medals are awarded to the donors. In addition a complete physical checkup is

made and the donor's blood is typed. Those who will give a pint of blood to the Red Cross are asked to leave their names in the checkroom at Armour, and at Lewis, the Activities office.

•Among those healthy specimens who have received their medals are Wally Gow, Julian Kahn, Gunther Griebel, Allan Mistrofsky, and Harold Hurwitz. The faculty as well as students are welcome in this worthy war movement. The blood donor department is on the 14th floor at 624 S. Michigan. Reservations can be made by phoning Wabash 3250 and asking for the blood donor department. Forms for minors are available through the checkroom and Jack Byrne at Armour, and from Patricia Arns at Lewis.