

Baccalaureate; graduation ring curtain

Rug cuttin' runs rife at Ration Ramble

Dancing on glass, surprise entertainment, sparkling diamonds and good music; all this and more; nothing will be rationed at the Ration Ramble, Friday evening, February 5, 1943.

The strength of public opinion has finally forced the all school social committee to make available to the students of Illinois Tech the store of good times which they have been covetously hoarding. The dissemination of this cache will take place at the Knickerbocker Hotel in the grand ballroom, one half block east of Michigan Avenue on Walton Place.

The chief administrator of the spoils will be Lew Diamond and his orchestra. Mr. Diamond has been playing at the Empire Room, the Panther Room, and the Chez Paree. The social committee says that the acquisition of Lew Diamond is in itself ample assurance of success for the forthcoming affair.

The rambling will be on a glass floor with changing, colored lights beneath. The dance will be featured by a surprise in the form of entertainment. What will it be? Local IIT talent will also be presented at the dance. Despite wartime restrictions the cocktail lounge will be open for those who wish to obtain "fuel."

The details of the dance are being handled by the co-ops. The committee in charge of the dance is composed of Warren Moore, Chuck Rowbatham, Bob Anderson, Early Long, Jim Roser, Bob Negele, Phil Jensen, Ed Opila, Lou Wengel and Jim Carrol.

The black market for ration bids is now open for business despite "heat" from the OPA. To obtain bids for the dance merely see one of the sly purveyors mentioned above or one of the mob in the lobby of the Student Union. To give the high sign for recognition flash \$1.10 in front of them and you will be promptly taken care of.

The bids will be in the form of a ration book. It is imperative that you get your books now before the hoarders get to them since the attendance will be limited to 500 couples.

Tech timetable

Saturday, January 30—
9:00 p.m. Senior Closed Dance
La Salle hotel
Sunday, January 31—
11:00 a.m. Baccalaureate program
Orchestra Hall
Monday, February 1
6:30 p.m. ITSA banquet
Tuesday, February 2—
6:30 p.m. Co-op banquet
Wednesday, February 3—
8:00 p.m. Graduation exercises,
Orchestra Hall
Thursday, February 4—
8:00 p.m. Glee club concert,
Goodman theatre
Friday, February 5—
9:00 p.m. Ration Ramble, Knickerbocker hotel.

Musical clubs present annual Goodman concert February 4

The Illinois Institute of Technology musical clubs will present a concert at the Goodman Theatre on Thursday evening, February 4. All IIT students are urged to attend this worthwhile program.

At that time the following graduating seniors will make their final appearance as members of the musical organizations: Spiro Kapranos, Martin Novodor, Robert Bechtolt, Donald True, Bertram Millerville, Thomas Cox, Raymond Nerhus, Raymond Kaeding, Robert Mahassek, James McDonald, Joseph Banky, Raymond Schultz, Robert Shepherd, Melvin Korrell, Edward Opila, June Zimmerman, Norman Lettvin, Richard Hameister, George Raymond.

The program for the evening will be:

PROGRAM	
Overture "Honor and Glory"	Berg
Orchestra	
Adoramus Te	Palestrina
Vesper Hymn	Russian
GLEE CLUB	
Largo from "New World Symphony"	Dvorak
Trio for Flutes and Piano	De Bueris
"Northward"	Coates
ORCHESTRA	
"The Dawn of World Peace"	Stroughton
"To My Mother"	De Bueris
Finale, "1812 Overture"	Tschaikowsky
Glee Club and Orchestra	
INTERMISSION	
"Old Man River"	Kern
"Home on the Range"	Guion
"Animals a comin'"	Spiritual
Glee Club	
Ballet Suite	Luigini
Andante	
Allegro	
Orchestra	
"Song of the Jolly Rogers"	Candish
"I Sing"	Paisley
"From the Four Hays"	Erickson
Glee Club	
"Lullaby"	Scott
"Dance from the Opera 'Prince Igor'"	Borodin
"The Voice of Freedom"	
Glee Clubs and Orchestra	

Clouse addresses CDA on iron metabolism

Dr. Ruth Cowen Clouse addressed the meeting of the Chicago Dietetic Association on January 20, 1943 at 8 o'clock, on "THE RECENT KNOWLEDGE OF IRON METABOLISM". The meeting was held at Lewis and was under the direction of Mrs. Lola Janis, instructor in Home Economics.

Dr. Clouse said that it is necessary for both men and women to maintain a generous iron reserve. It is especially necessary at this time for all blood donors to know how to build up their recently depleted stores of iron, which can readily be done by consuming foods which have a high iron concentration.

Foods such as liver, greens, eggs and whole grain cereals are the best sources from which blood donors may draw, to build up a new reserve. The standard daily allowance of 12 milligrams of iron can best be obtained by consuming a meal made up of a portion of liver with a vegetable, such as navy beans.

Dr. Clouse stressed the point that a higher than normal iron diet must be maintained for from 2 to 3 weeks following the donation of blood.

Naval officer guest at ITSA banquet

As war affects everything else so it affects the ITSA banquet. Instead of being held in May as is the custom it was voted this year to hold the banquet before the seniors graduated. Thus, the annual ITSA athlete's banquet will be held next Monday, February 1, in the Student Union building on the South side campus.

Lieutenant Dave Zimmerman, at present on duty at the Office of Naval Officer Procurement, will be the principal speaker of the evening. He will show the Midway battle movies together with a movie showing a fighter pilot's existence over England.

At the present time the invitations to the banquet are in the mail and those eligible athletes and other school leaders will soon receive the pasteboards for the affair.

In the past it has been the custom to invite the parents of those students invited, but due to the war the banquet has been moved to the Union whose capacity is limited.

Graduates hear Sykes speaks, Dr. Ruopp at baccalaureate

Orchestra Hall will be the setting for the baccalaureate service and reception on Sunday morning, January 31 at eleven o'clock. The Reverend Harold W. Ruopp, D. D. will address the faculty, students and their relatives and friends.

The doors will be open to the public at 10:00 a.m. No tickets are necessary for this occasion or the graduation exercises as there are plenty of seats available.

Left file students are requested to use the basement entrance, south of the main entrance. The faculty and students forming the right file are requested to use the main entrance. All should be assembled not later than 10:00 a.m., as they must be in their seats by eleven o'clock, and considerable time is required to hand out the caps and gowns.

Immediately after the baccalaureate sermon, President and Mrs. Heald, Reverend and Mrs. Ruopp, with members of the Board of Trustees, and the faculty will meet the graduating class and their guests. This reception will be held on the second floor in Orchestra Hall.

Student marshals, who are the "brains" of the undergraduates will usher at the occasion. These include the following: Richard Alm, Harry Anderson, John Briggs, Patrick Colombo, Robert Dahl, Allen Devinatz, Joseph Lind, Arnold Kramer, Gerald Landsman, Richard Larson, Ronald Lind, Donald McMillan, William Nash, Robert Negele, Alfred Roberts Jr., Westly Ruther, Kenneth Sanders, John Schwemberger, Arnold Thompson, Russ Komen, Richard Johnson, and Florence Bartusek.

ITSA meets

Hugh Story opened the meeting of the ITSA last Tuesday which was held to meet various campus problems. Bob Bechtolt reported that the ITSA banquet will be held on February 1.

Professor Schommer gave a short report on the forthcoming relays. He stated that the medals and cups will total \$600 to \$700. Also, he moved that the indoor track team be allowed \$300. The motion passed.

Farrell and Anderson reported on the proposed Article nine of the by-laws concerning the TECHNOLOGY NEWS. The article was voted on and passed last Friday by a unanimous vote of the members present.

Following various protests about the type of music in the lunch-room, a motion was moved and passed to give Rho Epsilon complete charge of the lunch-room music. Next a discussion upon the subject of intramural manager, elections, and the Student War Council was entered into by the members.

Featuring the speech of Mr. Wilfred Sykes, president of Inland Steel company, and the awarding of degrees to nearly 300 men and women, the 1943 commencement will join the pages of the dusty record book a week from tomorrow night, February 3, at 8:00 o'clock in the well known portals of Orchestra hall.

Mr. Sykes, the chief speaker of the evening, is president of the Inland Steel company and a member of the Board of Trustees of the Illinois Institute of Technology. As chairman of the \$3,000,000 development program of IIT, Mr. Sykes' name has become well known to the students of the school. He officiated at the opening of the new Research building several weeks ago and thus added a new link to the development chain.

The graduation ceremonies proper feature the Glee club and especially the graduating class. At this time the honor men of each department will be recognized for their outstanding scholarship over the four year college course. Also, certain men in the class receive recognition from various professional societies for their work at the institute.

The scholastic honor men at Armour are as follows:

EE—Gunnar Ohman
ME—Aaron Kolom
CE—Ray Sauer
Archs—Ed Farrell
ChE—Robert Mahassek
FPE—Robert Bechtolt
IE—James Johnson
All departments—Aaron Kolom

At Lewis the honors got to the following:

Honor Woman—Theresa Fazio
Honor Man—Victor Smith
2nd Woman—Pearl Moskowitz
2nd Man—Edward Droeker

President Heald will deliver the charge to the graduating class and then with the assistance of Dean's Clarke and Peebles will award the degrees to the student body.

The program follows:

1. Processional
2. National Anthem
3. Invocation
4. Glee club selection
5. Commencement address
6. Solo
7. Awarding of Honors
8. Conferring of Degrees
9. Induction of graduates into alumni association
10. Alma Mater Song
11. Benediction
12. Recessional