

17 Offices Filled; 10 Run-offs Slated

as I see IT

By HAROLD BURKART

WAY BACK WHEN, in fact it was in the days of Dr. Frank Gunsaulus, there was one tradition at Armour Tech that no one would violate. It seems that Dr. Gunsaulus, the first president of Armour and pastor of the Plymouth Church, believed that there were places where men should wear their hats and that there were other places where they should not. So strong was this belief that whenever he saw a student walking through the school halls with his hat on he would, not too gently, knock it off for him.

Now, of course, there is no counter-part to this at IIT today. Your columnist doesn't believe that President Heald would care to roam about the halls knocking hats off; it might appear rather odd to visitors of the campus.

But it seems that students could remember "the grand old man of Armour", Dr. Gunsaulus, by removing their hats as they pass in front of his memorial plaque, located on the first floor of Main. Why not keep a part of old traditions alive?

IN MANY WAYS, the entire IIT student body is to be commended on last week's elections. There were candidates for all offices but one, and only three offices went uncontested. There is, of course, no reason why there should not be hearty competition for every office, but this is nevertheless an improvement over many other IIT elections.

"Casey" Puchalski also deserves a word of praise for the competent way in which he conducted the election assembly on Tuesday and for his part in making the election machinery run smoothly. It now remains for all students to follow up the good work thus begun by turning out in large numbers for the run-off elections on Friday. Now that the excitement of the first part of the elections is over, there may be a tendency to let-down, and to consider the run-offs as of secondary importance. But unless as careful attention is given to these, the work of the primaries will have been largely in vain.

ADEQUATE POLICE protection should be assured for the forthcoming dance this weekend if students are to be certain that no unfortunate incident occur. Recently, a night school student was deprived of over \$1.30 worth of jewelry and money. This might not have happened.

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Efforts Made to Improve Lunchroom, States Spaeth

"The administration and the cafeteria management would like the student body to know that it is making a sincere effort to improve conditions in the lunch room," Raymond J. Spaeth, business manager, announced today in a preparatory statement addressed to the editor of *Technology News*.

Spaeth continued:

"Even though we think we are doing the very best we can under present conditions, and we wish that the students would give some consideration to present-day food and labor problems, we are not at all satisfied with the present conditions. We are going to continue to try to improve them. In this connection, we welcome constructive criticism.

"In order that this criticism might be effective, a mechanism was established a few years ago whereby a Lunchroom Committee composed of students was created to meet regularly with the administration and the cafeteria management. Through the medium of this committee, it was hoped that the criticisms and suggestions of the student body could be made effective.

"While this committee was functioning,

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Tabulation of Election Results

ITSA		SOPHOMORES	
President	RONALD LIND Unanimous	Honor Board	CHARLES R. ADLER 38
1st Vice President	DONALD K. HEDEEN 282	ALAN GRANT 32	
Secretary	Ronald Ailara 271	Lawrence Simon 22	
ROBERT NEGELE 293	Student Union Board Commissioner	HERBERT CARLSON 54	
Donald Aronson 252	William Zechel 37		
SENIORS		All School Social Committee Commissioner	No candidate
Senior Vice President, ITSA	DICK MICHALEK Unanimous	Commissioner at Large	DONALD SLAGER 60
Senior Representative, ITSA	DOUGLAS SNYDER 80	ALLEN DIMOFF 57	
Milton Schwartz 32	Honor Board	Arthur Marcusson 48	
President, Senior Class	CLARE PUCHALSKI 31	RAMON OLSON 74	
ALFRED ROBERTS 30	NORMAN KENNY 44		
WARREN FURST 22	Constantine Katsaros 34		
R. Tomas Gavin 22	Joseph Rossan 13		
Vice-President, Senior Class	LAWRENCE CERNAUSKAS 36	FRESHMEN	
JOHN DE COOK 25	George Kneel 20	Freshman ITSA Representative	JOSEPH PAPE 16
Herbert Miller 20	Secretary, Junior Class	TED PRYST 16	
Secretary, Senior Class	SAM POPOWICZ 40	Jack Smith 11	
AL WILTNER 30	ROY SABLSTROM 75	Robert Talman 11	
Ed Jallits 23	Treasurer, Junior Class	Bernard Kreisman 8	
Eldred Suhr 22	BILL Mc GUIRE 74	Clarence Sikorski 7	
Treasurer, Senior Class	ROBERT SWEIGER 50	Student Union Board Commissioner	PAUL E. FLOOD 44
JOHN ROACH 43	Ivan Goldberg 36	Melvin Feldman 24	
OGDEN CLEMENS 29	Student Union Board Commissioner	Social Commissioner	LEONARD LEVY 29
DON FELSCHER 27	HERBERT SCHOEN 130	JAMES WANGERSHEIM 29	
John Gerardi 8	Social Chairman, Junior Class	Howard Baum 10	
Student Union Board Commissioner	LARRY JOHNSON 85	Commissioner at Large	BILL CHRISTENSEN 33
NORMAN SWANSON 44	Leo Polivka 53	ALLAN KUKRAL 24	
BERNARD BINDER 34	William Parisoli 31	ROBERT SPITYG 23	
George Sayer 30	Honor Board	CHALMERS MARQUIS 22	
Social Chairman, Senior Class	TOM KILGARIFF 88	JOSEPH LEVINE 20	
GEORGE SCHOBER 62	ROBERT NEGELE 86		
	Don Heeden 61		
	John Sachs 59		
	Bill Porcelli 41		

Names in capital letters indicate the winners of the various races. With one exception, when there are two or more names in capital letters under any office, this indicates that these are the candidates who will be in the run-off election. The one exception is the last listed, the freshman commissioners at large, where Christensen has won a position, while the other four will be in a run-off.

3A Class Holds First Election

Seven Offices Filled; Dumelle Is President

Jacob Dumelle was elected president of the second semester juniors last Friday. Other officers are Vincent Bicicchi, vice president; James Leichti, secretary; Joseph Algino, treasurer; Joseph Kaleba, ITSA representative; Lewis Davidson, SUBC representative; and Bill McThomas, social chairman.

"The second semester juniors were not allowed to present candidates in Friday's elections, because of the fact that they would become seniors next semester would necessitate another election," stated Dumelle.

"Everytime we changed classes, we would find officers already elected. Rather than have this condition

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Polls Most Votes



—By Katz
POLLS · 293 VOTES—Robert Neagle received the largest number of votes cast for any one office.

F-M Music Gets All 'Yes' Votes

A unanimous vote of approval for the F-M lunchroom music was given by IIT students last week. Of the 61 ballots received in the *Technology News* poll, all expressed a desire to have the music continue.

Ken Black, president of Rho Epsilon, the radio honorary, which has sponsored the broadcasts, could not state definitely whether the broadcasts will be continued for the remainder of the term. At the next meeting of the fraternity to be held in about two weeks, he will ask the members to vote on the matter, and their decision will be announced then. Meanwhile, the music will continue.

Only about six per cent of the students on the south campus expressed an opinion in the poll. However, these men appeared to be very definite in their approval, for many wrote enthusiastic comments on their ballots. Some samples: "Definitely"; "Absolutely"; "It's really solid"; "There'll be trouble if you don't"; "On the beam"; "H—I yes". Some of the fraternity felt that the student response was poor.

Rho Epsilon has set up a committee to handle the operation of the F-M set and the necessary amplifying system. Jim Crum a/s is chairman of the committees.

West Campus Favors Women

Men Outnumbered 11-7 Girls to Rule Juniors

Men were outnumbered 11 to 7 in the results of last Friday's west campus elections. The class presidencies were split between the men and women, but all of the junior class offices went to the fairer sex.

Frank Lucatorto was elected senior class president, Gloria Klouzar is vice-president, Zeldia Weiner is secretary and William Weld will fill the office of social chairman.

In the junior class, the new (all-female) officers are:—Helen Gordon, president; Shirley McMahon, vice-president; Mildred Zanis, treasurer; and Gloria Landin, social chairman.

The sophomores elected Richard Flaskamp president, Stanley Sourel-

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Red Cross Fund Nets \$3,260.95 Here; Navy Drive Starts Today

A total of \$3,260.95 was contributed to the Red Cross 1944 War Relief Fund by Illinois Institute of Technology last week. This sum is not final because several secretaries have yet to make a complete report of their collections.

ASSC Names Band For 'The April Folly'

"It's the smooth soft music of Harvey Clyde and his ten piece orchestra, that will be featured at the first all school dance of the semester, 'THE APRIL FOLLY,'" says Tom Artinstall, new chairman of the ASSC.

"The dance is to be held in 'The Grand Ballroom' of the Student Union the night of April 1, and we're not fooling", continued Artinstall. The affair will be from 9 to 12 p.m.

Bids can be obtained from Dick Keyes, Al Purrzcki, Larry Johnson a/s, Tom Dressler, Edith Grastorf, Jane Colburn, and Zeldia Weiner for 75 cents.

The ASSC has expressed the hope that this will be one of the best dances of the year.

Competition Is Keen for Many Class Offices

44% of Students Vote; Kilgariff, Negele Each To Fill Two Positions

Seventeen offices were filled in last Friday's south campus elections, leaving ten offices to be decided in a run-off election to be held next Friday. Ballots were cast by 473 or 44% of the 1064 civilian and navy students who were entitled to vote.

The only office without a candidate was that of sophomore ASSC representative. Only three offices went uncontested—ITSA president, ITSA senior vice-president and junior SUBC representative, which automatically went to Ronald Lind, Dick Michalek and Herbert Schoen, respectively.

Tom Kilgariff and Bob Negele were each elected to two offices. Both are junior members of the Honor Board, and in addition, Negele is secretary of the ITSA while Kilgariff is junior ITSA representative.

The best turnout of voters was provided by the first semester seniors, where 158 men or 60% of those eligible voted. Only 43% of the 360 juniors, 31% of the 302 sophomores and 49% of the 139 freshmen cast ballots.

Only four of the nine senior offices were filled. The president, vice-president, secretary, treasurer and SUBC representative will be elected in the run-offs next Friday. There will be three candidates for president at that time.

The most hotly contested office of the election was that of freshman ITSA representative, for which six men competed. A run-off for this office will be held between Joseph Pape and Ted Pryst who each received 16 votes.

7 to Represent IIT At National Meeting

Illinois Tech will be represented by seven faculty members at the 107th meeting of the American Chemical Society to be held in Cleveland from April 3rd to 6th.

Dr. Maurice J. Murray, Dr. Vasili I. Komarewsky, Dr. Herbert I. Bernstein, Dr. Norman Kharasch, Lewis R. Rothstein, and Eugene H. Stevenson will present papers in the field of organic chemistry, and Dr. Hugh J. McDonald will report his investigations in physical chemistry.

Armour Research Foundation	\$1,913.25
Illinois Institute of Technology (Employees)	1,876.70
Illinois Institute of Technology (Students)	169.00
Institute of Gas Technology	202.00
Total	\$3,260.95

This amount does not include the navy contributions of the IIT V-12 unit. When the results of this drive are tabulated, they will be added in with IIT's present amount to determine whether IIT's quota of \$4000 has been filled.

Today marks the opening of the official navy Red Cross drive on the Illinois Tech Campuses. The drive, only among navy men, will attend until Tuesday, April 4.

Lt. W. A. Hamilton, commanding officer of the unit, in commenting on the drive pointed out that the money the men donate will go back to brother members of the armed

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