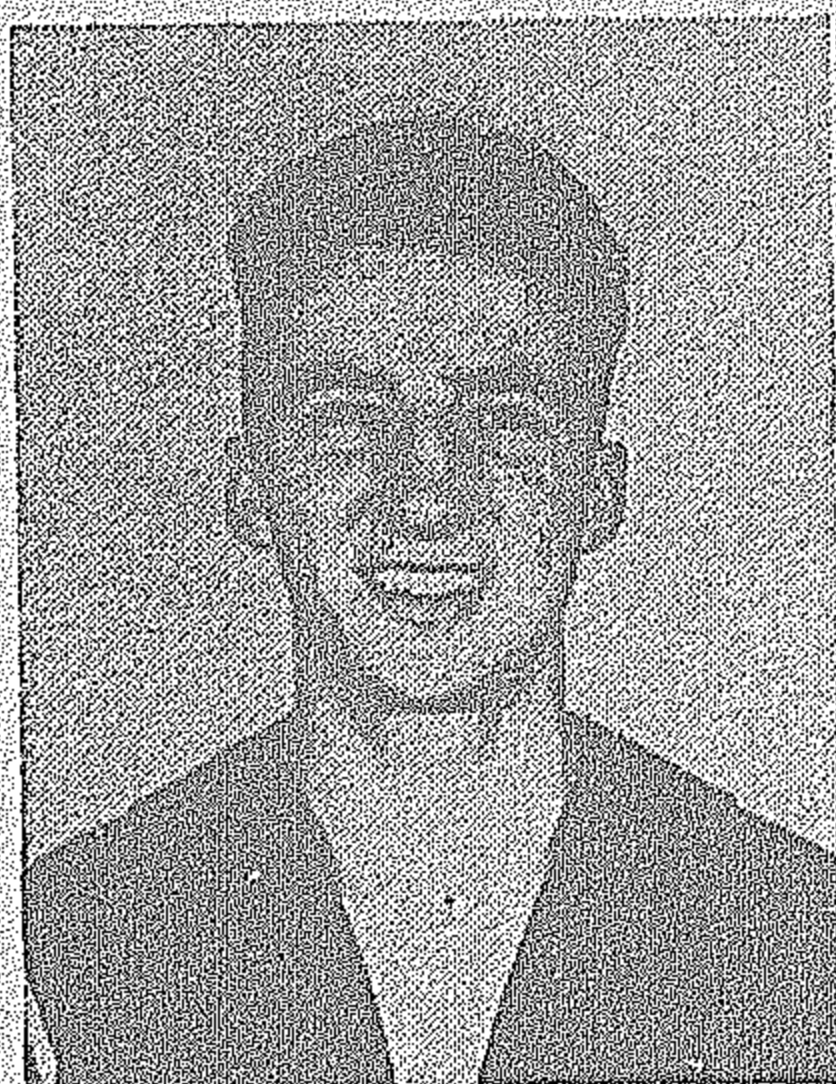




Man Of The Week—

Sports, Honor Board and ITSA Identify Smiling Tom Kilgariff

An outstanding athlete, and a member of the Honor Board, Junior ITSA Representative A/S Tom Kilgariff is one of the handsome, smiling, happy-go-lucky campus figures.



TOM KILGARIFF

Tom's athletic career began as a freshman when he played forward on the Techawk basketball team. He was second highest scorer and the only freshman basketballer to win a major letter.

This season Tom was elected co-captain of the most successful basketball team in IIT history and was the second highest scorer again. Crowning his athletic achievements was his election to Honor I this semester.

When the first all-school Honor Board elections were held last semester, Tom became one of the junior representatives. His faithful service was rewarded by his reelection to the Board this semester. Also, Tom was elected to the post of junior ITSA representative this term.

Tech News has claimed Tom as a reporter ever since his second semester. For the past two semesters, he has served as a Copy, Headline,

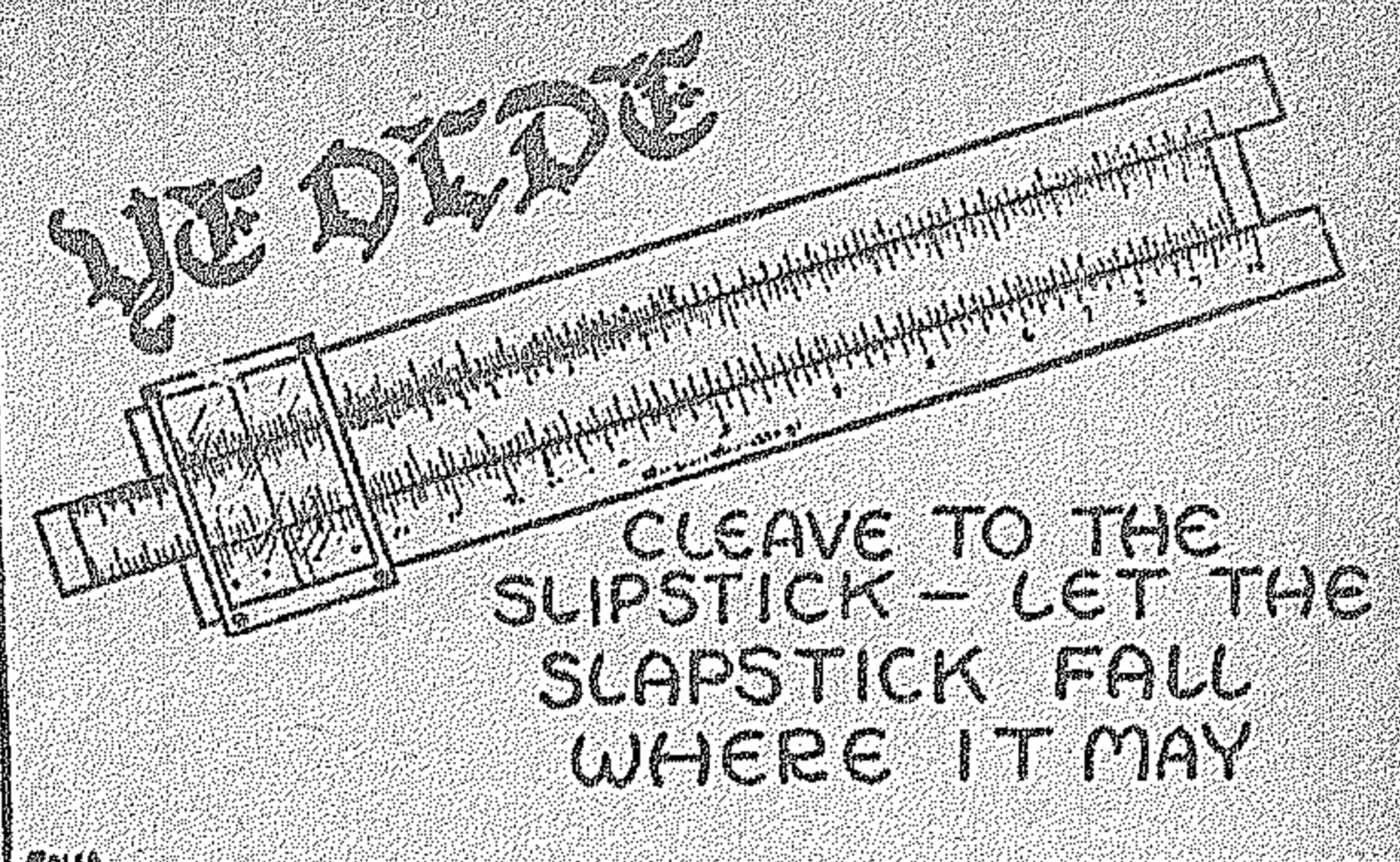
and Rewrite Editor and is one of the mainstays of the sports staff.

Intramurals have played a big part in Tom's activities. He played on the champion Cicco Wizards basketball team and on the champion Soph Mech touch-ball team.

Now a junior mechanical, Tom has been a leader on the campus since he first came to IIT from Leo High School. This past semester, he exchanged his civilian status for a place in the V-12 unit. As for outside activities, Tom likes nothing better than to "go out with the boys", as he puts it. In the summer, he has been one of the most prominent and constant visitors to the "renowned" town of Delavan, Wis. He sadly reflects now, though, that the Navy may seriously hamper his frequent trips to that delightful spot.

When asked about his going around with women, Tom claims that there is nothing to tell. None of his friends are convinced of that, however, but no one as yet has been able to get any dope on that side of his social life.

—JAMES OLDSHUE



Here we go with a new week, new circumstances and some new slavery to keep up the old grades, but what do we have here; just the same old jokes.

Has anyone heard about the poor farm lad that came into the city and found himself a job in a girl's college? It seems that they thought that Oscar would make a perfect janitor, so with this job he was given the pass keys to every room.

The following week the Treasurer ran across Oscar, who was busy running here and there, and asked him why he didn't come around on payday for his check.

Oscar was dumbfounded and said, "Vot, do I get vages too?"

Daffynition No. 1.

Watch:

Something which if you look at long enough, it will be too late to do what you were going to do before you looked at it.

Fraternity Trouble:

Pledge: What is the big idea of wearing my raincoat?
Active: It's raining out, and you wouldn't want me to get your new green suit wet, would you?

Ruck: I can read you like a book.

Mable: Well, don't be so anxious to thumb the pages.

Note to those bewhiskered fellows: How sweet the girl, How true, how brave, Who can kiss her man, When he needs a shave.

"Morphy, Morphy," called a Negro to her little boy.

A bystander, struck by the name, spoke to her. "Surely you mean Murphy," he said.

"No suh," she said. "His full name is Morphine." "What ever made you call him Morphine?" asked the stranger.

"I don't know what to name him 'till one day I hear two gentlemen talking an' one says that morphine comed from the wild poppy. Well, no boy's poppy was ever wilder than that boy's."

Rynkus: We're going to give the bride a shower.
Binder: Count me in, I'll bring the soap.

They were dancing together. The soldier was far from home.

"Do you mind," he asked, "if I close my eyes?" "Why, darling?" she asked.

"Well," he said, "I promised Myrtle in Brooklyn never to look at another girl."

Ensign: The sailor who sneaked out of quarters last night and met a girl on 35th and Michigan will step forward—COMPANY HALT.

WAR NOTE:

Out in Italy a squadron observer went to report to his commanding officer after returning from a raid.

"Were you nervous during the attack?" the CO asked.

"Who me," asked the observer, "I was cool as a cucumber during the whole show."

"Swell," said the CO. "I thought you might have been a bit nervous when you radioed in that 27,000 enemy bombers were coming in at 8 feet."

Salesman: Here, this machine will do half your work for you.

Engineer: It seems like a good deal. I'll take two.

Cernauskas say:
To get heat from a hot body to a cold body work must be done.

Wilson: Won't you give me your phone number?

Sally Jane: It's in the book.

Wilson: Splendid, and what's your name?

Sally Jane: Oh, that's in the book too.

Captain: All hands on deck. The ship is leaking.

Voice from the forecandle: Aw, put a pan under it and go to bed.

My idea of a lazy student is one who pretends to be drunk so his fraternity brothers will put him to bed.

The church service was proceeding successfully when a woman in the gallery got so interested she leaned out too far and fell over the railing. Her dress caught in a chandelier, and she was suspended in mid-air. The minister noticed her undignified position and thundered at the congregation: "Any person who turns around will be struck stone blind."

—LARRY VYTAUTAS CERNAUSKAS

—By ALAN GRANT

With the majority of marriageable males in the armed services Westminster college co-eds believe in "getting their men first" before doing any wistful planning like beginning the traditional hope chest of linens, china and silver. In a survey made among 350 co-eds it was found that only about a dozen girls own the old-fashioned cedar chest filled with luxuries.

For the first time in its 127 year history the University of Michigan is operating a residence hall exclusively for foreign students. Known as the J. Raleigh Nelson House, after the former head of the International Center, foreign students organization, the residence already houses 16 students from China, India and Latin America.

The average person consumes a little more than a minute in brushing his teeth, Dr. H. B. Robinson of the University of Washington dental school found in studying the methods of 405 individuals. He told the International Association of Dental Research that although Americans have mastered the approved rotary or up-and-down method of tooth brushing they pay too little attention to less accessible tooth surfaces.

When Dallas county Democrats decided to bar members of the Mongolian, Malayan and "Ethiopian or Negro" races from voting in the precinct presidential convention, Texas anthropologists indicated that it would take a Solomon to determine just who could vote. Comments came in from faculty members of Rice Institute to the effect that the determination of a man's race by looking at him would be extremely difficult. The controversy that has arisen is whether the American Indian (Mongolian) can vote or not.

Eggs frozen in convenient blocks (one egg or up to five pounds) will be ready for the housewife or confectioner in the post-war era, predicts Dr. Luis Bartlett, University of Texas test engineer and inventor of the "flash freezing" process.

A workable Honor System has recently been approved by the students of Grinnell College. The rules state that no faculty members or proctors will be in the room after the first ten minutes of the quiz. The student will sign the same type of pledge in existence at IIT. The penalty for a first offense is an I in the course and two weeks suspension from the college. The second offense will bring about the permanent suspension of the student from the school. This is a workable Honor System.

The men of DePaul University drove the female members of their newspaper staff away and put out their own traditional "he-man" addition recently.



Boogie Woogie:

I am only one of the many IIT students who were unfortunate enough to miss Prof. S. I. Hayakawa's lecture on Boogie Woogie. From the comments voiced by those who were lucky enough to hear it, not only on Prof. Hayakawa, but also on his assistant Jim Wangersheim, I am anxiously awaiting the chance to hear it again, during the day. I am sure that I speak for many.

R. E. D.

Elevators:

The other day I noticed that some IIT madmen were opening the door to the elevator by putting their hands through the grating releasing the safety catch and then slamming the door back and forth.

Apparently these men feel it takes engineers or people with a great deal of mechanical ability to pull such daring feats, but they lose sight of the fact that they are in college and are supposed to show some signs of intelligence.

Do these people realize that what they are doing may not only cause misfortune to themselves, but to innocent people?

Are we, in an institute of higher learning, going to sit back and let a few non-thinking members make the student body look like a bunch of imbeciles? Is activity of this sort to be characteristic of the student body of IIT?

We, the thinking students, must take up this challenge and try to uphold the standards of the school. If we see another act of this sort it is our duty to remind these culprits in no uncertain terms that they should show consideration for IIT and for other students.

K. N.

Good Techmen:

It seems as though Tech News has finally bowed and given the navy man on the campus some thing to be proud of. Its about time the navy man has been put into the position of "good Techawks." We are very pleased to be able to work as brothers with you on Friday

evenings.

Certainly the athletic teams should be faced with a tough situation if it weren't for our "good Techmen", the navy students. And what about our navy band that plays for the dance club? Let's not forget that the members of the band forfeit an hour of their precious liberty time each time they provide music, just to be "good Techawks."

Keep it up Tech News. Perhaps if we hear more of the good work the V-12 students are doing, we can get a little more campus unity.

R. F.

The writer is referring to the recent co-operation between civilian and navy students on Technology News.

—ED.

Where Credit is Due:

I believe that credit should be given where it is due. I am referring to the maintenance department. One of the biggest jobs on the campus is to maintain the campus in a fashion that will make the student body proud of its campus. This job under the present conditions has been carried out by the maintenance department.

Such work as converting the houses on Michigan Ave., into navy barracks was done by the Maintenance department on time to house the incoming navy men. This alone was more than most colleges in this area could do. From the plastering and plumbing to making the beds that the men sleep in were done by the maintenance department. This job was also done for the ASTP. Such jobs as building the Lewis lounge, building the horseshoe courts, and thousand other small jobs are done all at the same time by this department.

"The best is none too good for the students on the campus", is the motto of the maintenance department stated Mr. Walter J. Parduhn, superintendent of the maintenance department. This motto I believe has been carried out in every situation that it was possible. How about a salute to the maintenance department.

Ed Rubin



BERNARD GOODMAN is the only student majoring in architecture who will graduate in June . . . CLARENCE SIKORSKI, freshman ME, once took a bicycle trip in which he traveled through six states . . . The oldest student enrolled in the civil engineering department is JOHN HIRAMOTO, 28 . . . A graduate student, THOMAS HUNTER, is an instructor in three different departments. He teaches physics, mechanics, and fire protection engineering courses . . . DONALD RAPPEPORT, freshman EE, formerly attended the University of Illinois, where he had Dr. ALFRED AMES for freshman English. At the end of the semester, both Don and Dr. Ames transferred to IIT where Don again has Ames for freshman English.