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Election Comments

The general student elections last Friday were interesting in that they had several innovations in electing procedure. Some of them were improvements over former systems; others were not.

First of all, the ITSA made an effort to introduce the candidates for office at special student assemblies last Wednesday. Although the attendance was rather small, there were some good results obtained from this. The students had a better opportunity to know for whom they were voting. However, since 10 of the 26 offices had only one candidate each, there was not too much gain in introducing a lot of candidates you had to accept, whether you wanted them or not. Nevertheless, the assemblies should be continued in future elections.

Secondly, there was used a very inefficient method of registering civilian voters. When voting, all they had to do was sign their name on a sheet of paper. Suppose, however, that later this person was discovered not to be a member of that class. It would then be too late to throw out the ballot. In other words this system of making civilians sign the sheet did not accomplish its purpose. In previous semesters a list of students, both navy and civilian was made out. This time, however, the election committee chose the easy way out and did not take the proper precautions in checking on the student vote.

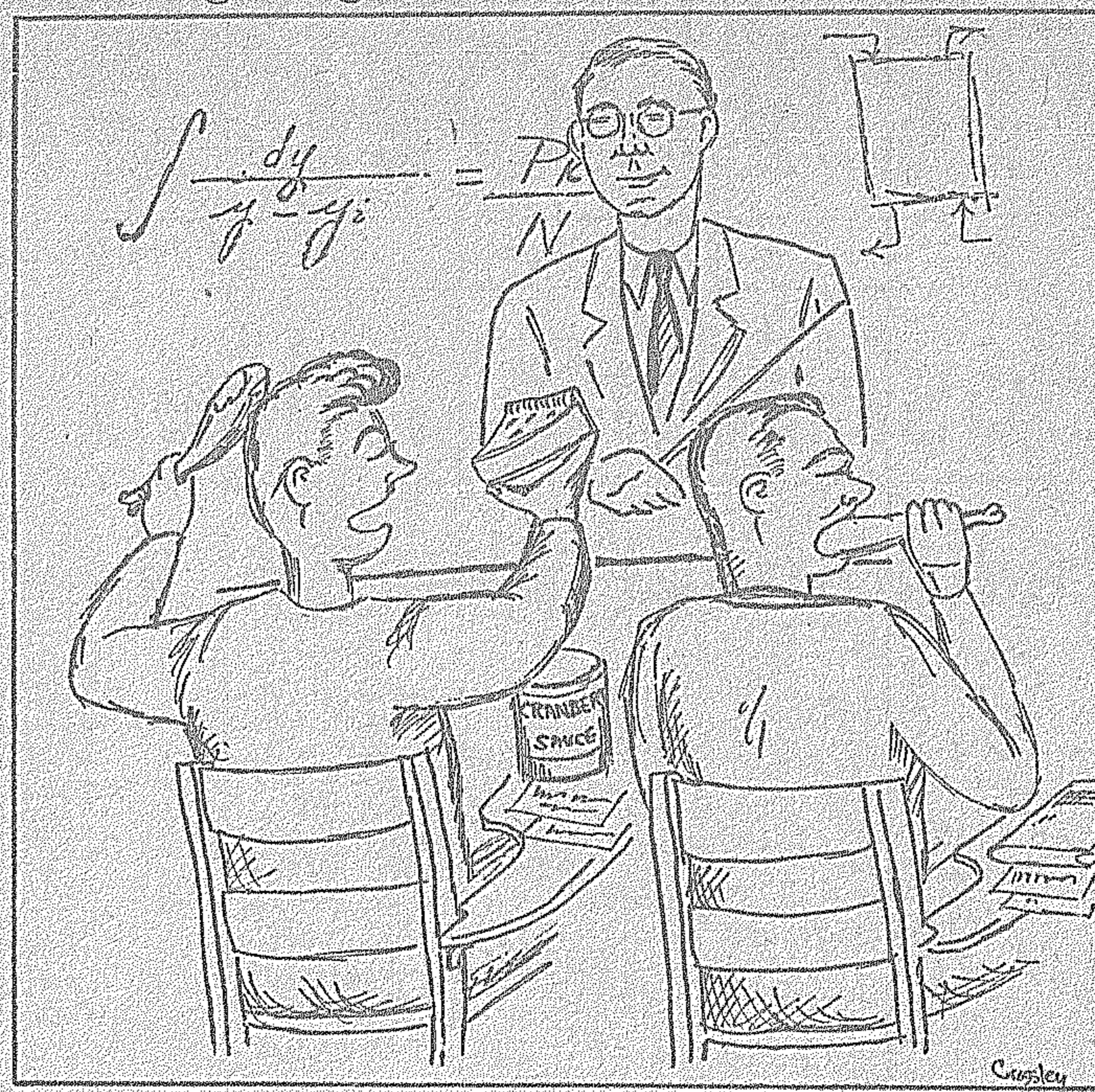
Next, it should have been specified on the ballot that those running for honor board positions had been selected by the present honor board as candidates for those offices. Some of the uninformed thought that they had turned in petitions for those offices. As a result, when a man's name appeared for both the honor board office and another position; some students thought "Why, that vain fellow! Imagine anyone running for two offices. Why, I won't vote for him at all." Some candidates lost votes for that very reason.

Next, it should be pointed out why an ITSA ballot was not handed out to many of the students. There was only one person running for each of those posts, and only 300 of those ballots had been mimeographed. Thus, when all of those ballots had been used up, and the men had already received a majority of the votes cast, the election committee felt that printing more copies would be a waste of paper. They were probably right in that respect, but they should have posted a notice at the polls stating those facts.

It was a good idea to post notices of election in conspicuous places Friday morning. In that way, many students were reminded of the fact that it was election day.

The inaccurate way in which the election sheets were drawn up is truly disgusting. We are referring to the arbitrary policy of writing A/S after some of the navy students' names and omitting it from others. Seemingly the person who drew up the list put A/S after the names of his navy friends and ignored the others in the V-12 unit.

Thanksgiving Dinner at IIT?

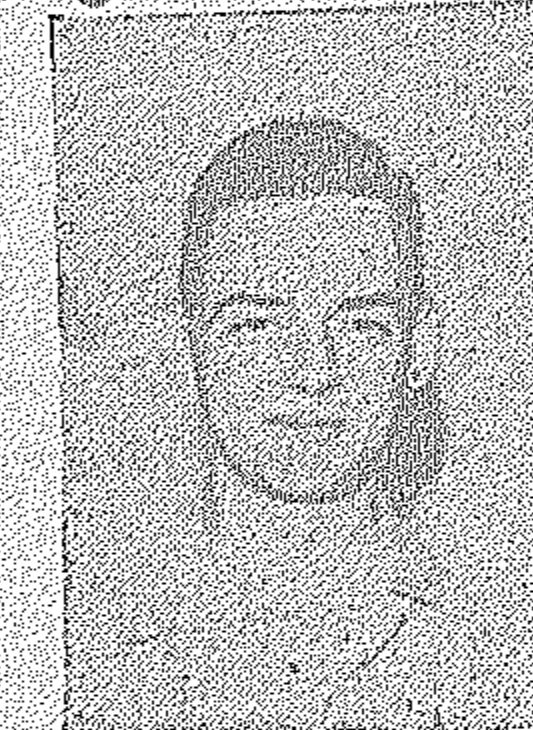


Man Of The Week—

A/S Sodaro Heads AIEE, Radio Club; Is Rho Epsilon Secretary

Because of the fact that he was recently elected to executive positions in three organizations at IIT, A/S Robert Sodaro, senior in electrical engineering, is this week's "Man of the Week."

Sodaro's most recently acquired office is that of president of the student chapter of the American Institute of Electrical Engineers. The other positions he now holds are president of the Radio Club and secretary of Rho Epsilon, radio fraternity.



He came to IIT in 1942 after graduating from Austin High School, where he took active part in the student government, the Camera Club and in cheer leading. Sodaro joined the Navy V-1 program and then transferred over to V-12 in July, 1943, and has been with the unit ever since then.

Bob's activities don't end with his three new jobs. He is now a member of the rifle team and a pledge to Theta Xi, social fraternity. As for

sports, Bob has been an active member of the hockey team for the last three seasons and now is co-captain of the team.

His plans for the future are pretty well defined. He will graduate next July and hopes to enter midshipman school at that time. If, by chance, the war is over by then, Bob hopes to fulfill one of his chief ambitions: to sail around the world. Sodaro also plans to enter into a small manufacturing business with his brother Joseph who graduated from Armour in 1938 with a degree in electrical engineering.

In spite of all his extra-curricular activities Bob still finds time to keep interest in two hobbies. He likes photography and hunting.

As for the fair sex, Bob's only comment is, "What I like better than one woman is more women."

—A/S ALAN GRANT

TECH SHORTS by TOM KILGARIFF

It was with a sigh of relief that the five men unable to attend basketball practice due to various ailments returned to the fold early last week. Another welcomed fact was the smoothing out of a good number of the "bugs" that had developed in the previous scrimmages. Ned Grable and Norm Hankins have proved to be the smoothest working two-some seen around IIT in several years. It seems that Charles Buckley must have developed some new type of bomb-sight at the rate he is laying them through the hoop. The title of "fightingest man on the squad" belongs to Pete Browning. It is estimated that he hits the floor at least twenty times in a single evening of practice.

With three games to be played this week, the Illinois Tech basketball team will be put to a real test in its first week of play. The whole success of the season may be said to depend on the outcome of these games. Playing DePaul, the top team in the country last year, will enable the Techawks to obtain valuable experience in the style of ball practiced by nationally successful teams. As usual the University of Chicago game will include the rivalry present for the past five years. According to the downtown papers, Chicago has a revitalized and threatening team.

A welcome sign was the increase in student activity in the varsity sports. With about fifty men out for boxing and wrestling, twenty out for basketball, fifteen out for swimming, and an undetermined number out for hockey, the IIT sports program will be carried out in pre-war style. The majority of these men, being V-12 trainees, reveals the fact that this is almost a quarter of the total navy enrollment on the Armour campus. This activity provides not only relaxation for these athletic participants but enables them to fulfill the duties of a V-12 student as outlined in the V-12 bulletin.

It is the duty of every student at IIT to engage in some extra-curricular activities to round out his college life. Since for the majority of students the 1M activities are the least exacting of all outside activities, then the majority of students should engage in these sports. One should engage in these sports. One should remember the old adage, "All work and no play makes Johnny a dull boy."



Having been largely responsible for the outcome of the recent election, the "Steamshovel and Garbage Workers Union", Local 1152, has been granted permission by the War Manpower Commission to hire a new worker. We have placed numerous advertisements in one of the larger papers of the city, namely the "West Madison Street Herald Gazette", and finally the right man has accepted our offer in the person of Cadwalader Q. Snaffu, whose job will be to keep the teeth of the shovel filed to razor like sharpness. How long he remains will depend largely upon the amount of destruction and damage we are able to accomplish.

Eleanor Berta and Deloris Johnson should be made to stand in the corners of their respective offices after having brought so much tragedy into the lives of the students at IIT. Having promised that they would trip the light fantastic with our gallant boys in the lounge at 6:30 Wednesday evening, our fair damsels failed to appear at the appointed time and as a result, numerous excuses were given the following day. You should get together on your stories girls and stick to one.

A few weeks ago, Cyris McLean, the dashing young Romeo of our great institution, was lamenting the fact that his recent girl companion had departed for California on a visit. Having been taken in hand before all was lost, he may now be seen racing through Skokie in his bright red convertible accompanied by his best friend's girl. His reputation is undoubtedly nation wide by now and by the way Cy, who is your girl friend visiting in Cal, a V-12 boy? If that sailor has as much on the ball as a select few of V-12 at IIT, you won't have to fear her coming back home. Willie Flynn, your attention please!

A/S Jack Osborn has been seen lately spending Wednesday evenings at the Dance Club and in regards to many inquiries as to his ability, we are hereby informing all that Jack is very proficient in the art of dancing. He spends the evening in a quiet corner engrossed in conversation with a very charming little girl. This young lady politely refuses all invitations to dance, preferring to wait for her "Johnny Dear."

Our own Angelo "Step and a Half" Garetto, freshman architect, finds classes at the Art Institute extremely interesting when in the company of Barbara Berger. Be careful of his line, Babs, as "Ang" has been known to cause several far south side beauties to become despondent when he left them. That suave, debonair manner will be your downfall, yet, "Ang."

Even though IIT is not blessed with an abundance of members of the fair sex, those who do ornament our ancient halls of learning are presenting quite a problem to the men on the campus. Jim Anderson has quite a problem in discouraging Alice Lewis whenever Hendrick's English class convenes. It's not her fault because our hunk of man Jim takes delight in reciting Shakespeare into the ear of attentive Alice. You had better not let that student nurse of yours find out Jim or there will be h— to pay.

Several nights ago William "Just call me Carmen" Rivkin performed an exclusive hula dance for a washroom audience. It was such a tremendous success that the boys have requested a return engagement. But being very shy, Will modestly declined all offers. Where oh where did you learn to dance? We have obtained a regulation skirt from the islands, Bill, so if you wish to try it on for size, just contact us.

BLAME IT ON THE WAR! The cigarette shortage has been felt deeply by the students and workers here at IIT. You should have seen the expression on Mr. Bruhn's face when Frances Houlihan walked into the bookstore and asked for a cigar! Not chewing tobacco, mind you, but a big brown cigar. Will any of you chivalrous boys drop around to the cashier's office and express your condolences. This is sure a rugged life!

Walter Koehler wishes that a day contained 48 hours instead of 24. Besides doing homework and various outside activities he manages to be extremely fond of two gals and claims them both as his one and only. Wally says he has it all figured out, but I sure would like to hear the explanation. There ought to be a law against a creature, such as he, two timing two innocent girls. It might be fun while it lasts, but how long will it remain a secret? Anyone knowing of a good hideout in the Black Hills, please contact Wally.

The other members of the local are complaining about the work that our helper Snaffu is doing, so it looks like he won't be with us next week. Lots of luck, Cad. Go back home and live a life of ease for you've earned it! It's time to blow out the candle and hit the hay.

—BOSSCO



LETTER OF THE WEEK: Quiz Troubles

I was set to wondering by the pamphlet on the honor system. My first year in college was the best that I could make it. I appreciated and felt that I was learning something; and as a hard working student, my grades were average.

A Look At Alumni

From John Behrmann ME, '41, comes the glad word that he is now back in the States. Aside from various ribbons that he received for his many flights over France and Germany, he was called "Daddy" upon his first visit home.

Lt. Don Davidson is now a fire marshal and assistant first lieutenant on the "world's most powerful battlewagon," the New Jersey.

Ed. Sipp, '38, is now the chief engineer aboard the USS Electra.

Comes news that Herb Hansen of a submarine relief crew, met Hugh Story, ME '43, of the Bluegill, and Herman Grantz, Co-op '43, of the submarine Lapon, both officers, in the South Pacific.

Well, our twins have joined the Wacs. After their recent graduation, Louise and Jackie Caldwell will leave for Fort Des Moines for their basic training and afterwards will be assigned directly to hospital duty.

Internationally recognized as one of the world's greatest mathematicians, and a holder of twelve honorary degrees, Dr. George Birkhoff, Lewis '02, passed away last week. Dr. Birkhoff made the commencement address for the June graduation class.

David Messer, '24, is in charge of a communications for all the Montgomery Ward stores throughout the country.

When Herb Miller of the recent graduating class, showed up for his midshipman's training, he found that one of his instructors was Ensign Bill Parks, '43.

Ensign Ray Tubergen, manager of the 1943 basketball team, writes that although he is out of the States, he gets lobster, shrimp, and steaks quite often at his training base.

—LEWIS DAVIDSON

NAVAL NOTATIONS

Quarters #2

Ed Johnston, former Quarters #2 man, now a commissioned ensign, returned to the quarters for a short visit last Friday. He is an executive officer on an LST and is en route to his new assignment with the fleet.

Stan Getris, Ray Wells, Tom Leckner, Jim Kier and Joe Jelinek returned to quarters after spending the week end in Detroit.

Roy Schimmelpfenig arrived back at quarters after spending a very enjoyable stay in Greencastle, Indiana with his brother who incidentally plays in the backfield on De Pauw's football team.

Quarters #4

Archie Hoye Heim has turned plumber along with Elwood Margison. Thursday night they stopped the long term leak in the first deck wash-room, but at the expense of Raymond Winkler's hot shower on the second deck.

Overheard as one of the seaman left the phone booth: "This double life is getting me down!"

Allan Kukral has at last revealed where he gets those Shiek-of-Araby haircuts. He recommends the Women and Children's Barber Shop in the Boston Store.

Quarters #5

Ensign Jean Lloyd was visiting her brother Sam Lloyd at the quarters last Saturday. The met did a smart eye's left as they passed her following inspection. Ensign Lloyd

As semesters passed I noticed my grades dropping. The majority of my classmates remained the same or followed my grades, but a few received what I considered above their mental average. No!! They were not cheating in the sense the pamphlet relates, that of copying and cribbing. My trouble, I finally deduced, seemed to start when it was time for a quiz in a course. After a month on a difficult subject the instructor would come forth with, "We will cover everything in the book so far."

Was this an encouraging statement to an average student having trouble with a course? Those few "shining stars" again received their "A's", and my grade which in previous times had been a "C", dropped to a "D". These few individuals had obtained old quizzes from the previous semester; from night classes, or by way of files, and advance information not extended to the entire class.

What a fool I had been in trying to study for the quiz, when there it was all available. Cheating? No, not according to "honor system." You have probably deduced my fate in the course—I flunked out.

Perhaps my failure was due to my stupidity, the grading system, the method of teaching, the quizzes, and then again who am I to say?

I Wonder

Co-op Service

We should like to take this means to reply to the letter of I.L.S. in the last issue of *Technology News*, wherein he complains of the poor service of the school bookstore.

The writer seems to forget, however, when he says that "a student is forced to scout all over the city trying to pick up the books" that the students have their self-owned and self-operated co-operative bookstore, one of those several purposes is to improve just such service. The staff has recently been working on and has been trying to improve just such coordination between the bookstore and departments as he mentions.

The Management of the Engineers Cooperative Inc.

is stationed at Portsmouth, Virginia, where she is a radar expert.

Quarters #5 has given a vote of thanks to the men from Quarters #2 for standing part of its watches. It has been suggested that tea and cookies be served to those men standing night watches.

Witold Kosicki has been bragging about his new nephew.

Quarters #6

Triumphant were the men from Michigan while aiding the "rooters" of old Illini in transporting their gear and respective sacks into the hold of Quarters #6. There the Illinoisians will remain and forever hold their peace until once again the Illini challenges the mighty Wolverines.

Robert "I'll take the Redhead" Freund and Ray "her name is Anderson" Bojanowski spent their usual week-end ashore.

Quarters #7

Thirty-six percent of the members of Quarters #7 are out for varsity sports. Seven of the 18 men from the basketball squad are from Quarters #7.

These men are Ned Grable, Norman Hankins, Charles Buckley, Tom Kilgariff, Sol Rosenthal, Dennis O'Geary and Leonard Slazinski.

Arnie Niemi is out for track and Wendell Omer is trying for the swimming team. Richard Lander and Ivan Goldberg are on the wrestling team.

I.I.T. Inquiring reporter

QUESTION:

What were your reasons for coming to Illinois Tech?

ELLIOTT TARADASH, Freshman Civil (aero): My reason for entering

Illinois Institute of Technology is that I feel I can obtain just as fine an education in engineering in this institute as I could get in any other school in the country.

In the past few years I have come to the conclusion that in the future I would be more successful and happier if I entered the engineering profession.

ALFRED TERAEE, Freshman Electrical: I entered Illinois Institute of Technology because after investigating numerous other colleges, I arrived at the conclusion that here at Armour College of Engineering I would receive the best and finest engineering education in the country. I am majoring in electrical engineering and when and if I graduate, I hope to be able to live up to the high standards of all the engineers who have graduated before me.

JOHN W. TANDYK, Freshman Mechanical: I came to Illinois Tech

because of the superior training that can be acquired here. The technical training here is not comparable at any other institution in the country. When a man is applying for a job and puts on the application

blank that he is a graduate of Illinois Tech, he will be given a greater preference over a man from any other college, because industry recognizes a school whose technical training far exceeds any other college or university of its kind.

VICTOR PIETRYGA, Freshman

Civil: I enrolled as a freshman at IIT this fall because I considered this school to be the best available to me for instruction in the field of engineering. Armour has the reputation of being one of the best schools in the country. I feel that if I am worthy of graduating from a school of this repute, it will add to my laurels.

ARTHUR RABINOVITZ, Freshman Electrical: The reason why I

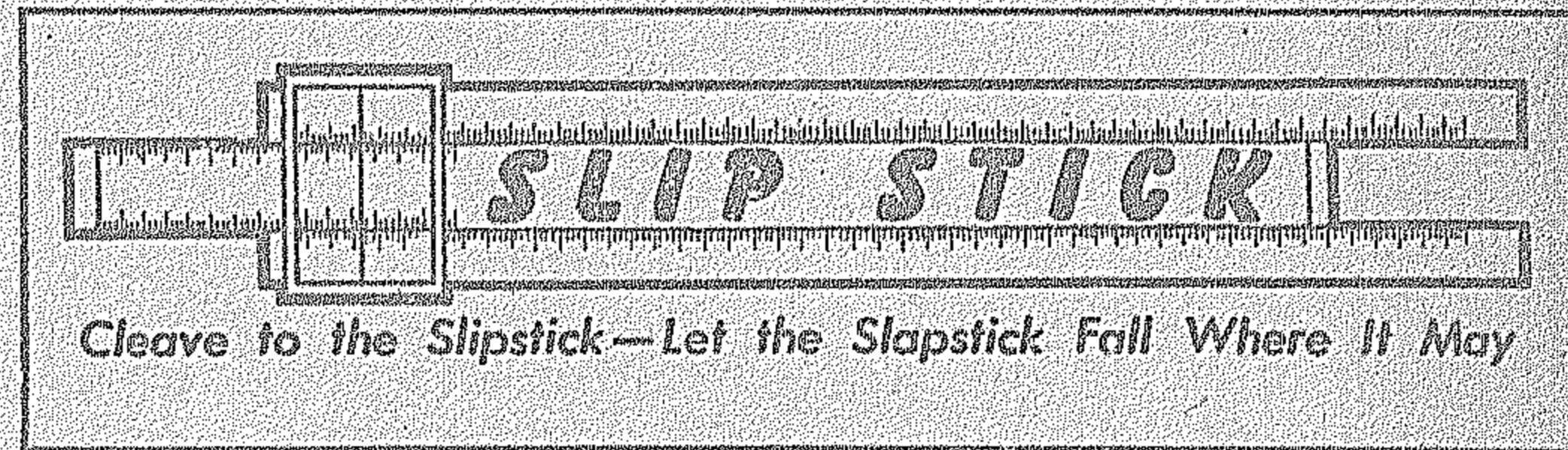
came to Illinois Institute of Technology is that it offers wonderful opportunities for the future. For instance, the electrical, mechanical, civil and chemical engineering fields are open for graduated men of good

standing. IIT also offers the best education in the engineering field of any school in the country.

—LEONARD BROWN



BUD KRAUSE, freshman mechanical, has something to be proud of; his father was mayor of Chicago for two weeks after the death of Carter H. Harrison... DR. RUFUS OLDENBERGER, math professor, writes book reviews for "The Chicago Sun"... DR. WILLIAM KRATHWOHL'S automobile license number is the square root of five... PROFESSOR JOHN J. SCHOMMER refereed the Chicago Bear's football game on November 12... MICHAEL SADOWSKY, professor of mathematics, was at one time an admiral in the Russian navy... A/S BILL CANNON, MAA of Quarters #7, is a cousin of Fred Waring, nationally known band leader... A/S CARL CHILD has never touched tobacco or drunk coffee.



In most cases it isn't very difficult to get some one to talk about his hobby, I know I can talk all day about my doll Jean; she really is a doll, everytime I squeeze her, she yells Ma! Ma! She hails from behind the yards and is the village queen, I guess every poker player in town has held her. Her kisses speak volumes and you can bet that she's a circulating library. Her disposition is wonderful and she'd remind you of a steam kettle, tho' up to its neck in hot water, it continues to sing. She loves war songs and her favorite is "Here Comes the Bride". She's a decided blonde, in fact she decided only recently. The way she puts up her hair reminds you of an O'Adar mop. One day I asked her what the doctor said to her father after she was born; she turned around puzzled and replied, "Well why bring that up?" Sometimes I think that's just about what the doctor did say.

—IIT—

"You can always tell a lady by the way she dresses."

"Well, a real lady will pull down the shades."

—IIT—

C.P. Have you seen my jokes in the "Slipstick" this week?

A.W. Yes, long before you were born.

—IIT—

Jack: My girl is very irritable, the least thing sets her off.

Tony: You're lucky, mine's a self starter.

—IIT—

County Judge: Five and costs for reckless driving.

Motorist: But we were on our way over here to get married.

County Judge: Make it 15 and cost, you're a darn sight more reckless than I thought you were.

—IIT—

Ralph tells me that "Postal's" are living off the fat of the land; they're reducing experts.

—IIT—

Mrs. A.W. I didn't run after you before we were married.

Mr. A.W. Listen, a trap doesn't run after a mouse but it catches it just the same.

—IIT—

Advice to girls: Don't keep nagging your boy friend, for a young man is like an egg—if kept in hot water too long, becomes hard boiled.

—IIT—

A bachelor is a man who has cheated some lady out of the thrills of a divorce and alimony.

—IIT—

Life is one darn thing after another, but love, is two darn things after each other.

—IIT—

A young girl carrying a new born baby approached the gates of a large Hollywood studio. The gate man asked her who she wanted to see. She replied, "Errol Flynn, tell him it's about my movie contract."

—IIT—

Again time and space leave room for a few parting words, remember, if a girl looks old she's young; if a girl looks young she's old, if a girl looks back follow her. Q.E.D.

—"CHEE" PACHUCKI



A/S HERBERT TAYLOR

To A/S Herbert Taylor of Quarters #4 goes the distinction of being aboard one of the ships to escape the Pearl Harbor attack without damage. Herbie was stationed at the time aboard the USS St. Louis, a cruiser. The St. Louis and the Phoenix, another cruiser, escaped together.

Herbie was born in Scotland and came to the United States when he was six years old. He enlisted in the navy in 1940 and went directly to Radio Technician School. After graduation he was sent to the Pacific Fleet and stationed aboard the St. Louis at Pearl Harbor. He was there when the Japs came. The captain of the St. Louis was so proud of the conduct of the crew under fire that he issued a citation to each member commending him on his conduct. This citation is one of Herbie's most treasured possessions.

From Pearl Harbor, Herbie spent several weeks on convoy duty to the United States. The St. Louis then shipped from San Diego and joined an attack force that participated in the Marshall Islands raid. Taylor was then transferred to the USS Indiana. His next operation was reinforcement patrol for the Guadalcanal and Solomon Island landings.

From the South Pacific Herbie went to the States, where his next task was putting the Intrepid, an aircraft carrier, into commission. The "shakedown" cruise was a trip down the East coast, through the Panama Canal, then to San Francisco. While in San Francisco, Herbie was appointed to V-12 and came to George Williams College, and then to IIT.

After spending nearly four years in the Pacific, Herbie has some interesting tales to tell. He tells one of a time at Honolulu when he tried to bring a small alligator back aboard ship. He had purchased the gator ashore and came up the gangway when the officer of the deck stopped him.

"Where are you going with that?" he asked.

"Well, sir, I promised my mother an alligator purse, and by gosh, she's going to get it."

He didn't get the alligator aboard.

For his overseas service Herbie has received the American and Asiatic-Pacific campaign bars and the National Defense bar. Herbie also has a "hash mark" for his enlistment which was completed in March of this year.

—A/S ALLAN KUKRAL

Forty Men Out for Wrestling; Only Three Lettermen Return

Forty men turned out for wrestling last week and this is undoubtedly a very large number as compared to other turnouts in past years. There are three letter men returning to the team, including Captain Vick Mieszkowski, Don Albert, and Roy Churan.

Many of the fellows out for the team have just transferred to the south campus from George Williams, where they had been stationed previously.

Last year Don Albert and Don Johnson came in second in the AAU tournament. Albert was in the 128 pound class and Johnson in the 155 pound class. The other lettermen, Mieszkowski and Churan, wrestle in the 175 pound and 135 pound class, respectively.

Definite dates for matches have not been set as yet, but invitations have been extended to Northwestern, Wheaton, Illinois Normal, Illinois, Michigan, Michigan State, University of Chicago and Navy Pier.

Bernard "Sonny" Weissman is coach of the wrestling team.

As far as the boxing is concerned, of which Sonny is also coach, the turnout is very small. Charles Porter is the only returning letterman of last year.

Await Postal Results Of MIT Rifle Match

The final results of Illinois Tech's postal rifle meet with the Massachusetts Institute of Technology have not been received as yet.

Another meet has also been scheduled in the Techawks' expanding schedule. This one is with the University of Iowa for the week of December 11.

Leonard Brown is now the presiding captain of the 1944 rifle team, with Jack Schmidt and Larry Johnson as co-managers.

The results of the Illinois Tech rifle team is as follows: Brown (270), Schmidt (265), Burns (264), Wilt (243), and Schneider (240).

Pi Kappa Phi Fraternity Pledges Nine New Men

At a meeting last Monday, nine men were pledged to Pi Kappa Phi. The fellows are: Jerry Alger, Ed Arends, Leonard Donarski, George Duettnier, C. Howard Johnson, William Ludwig, Robert Prasse, Henry Pype, and Richard Stark.

Pledge meetings will be from 11 to 12 on Wednesdays.

A/S Wally Breisch was appointed chairman for the Founders Day party which will be December 9. Tom Ruck, archon, A/S Warren Lenox and A/S Don Helbling will be assistants in arranging the program.

Swimming Team Begins Practice

At a meeting held last Friday fifteen men turned out for the swimming squad. A/S Bob De Boo is captain of the squad and is one of the two returning men from last year's squad. A/S Tom Lechner is the other returning member. Last year Lechner, as a backstroker, was undefeated.

Outstanding among the new men are A/S Whitney Pearson and A/S Joe Hardman. Pearson attended IIT two years ago and has come in from the fleet. When at IIT Pearson, a free styler, was considered the best man on the team.

A/S Joe Hardman, a breaststroker, has also come in from the fleet. Manager of the squad is A/S Don Helbling.

The entire swimming squad will work out on Friday nights at the University of Chicago. The coach is Ray McGillivray, who has been coach of the University of Chicago team for 15 years. The navy men will work out any time at Valentine's and civilians will work at Valentine's on weekdays.

Meets lined up are at the University of Illinois, Lawrence College, Northwestern, George Williams, Western Michigan and De Paul. The meets at Illinois and Lawrence College are the only ones definite, although the exact time for them has not been set.

Charles Adler Elected ACS Chapter President

Officers of the student chapter of the American Chemical Society were elected at a meeting held Wednesday in 406M. The men elected were Charles Adler, president, Edward Shore, vice-president, and Carrie Butler, secretary - treasurer. Dr. Bruce Longtin was elected faculty sponsor.

Plans for an all-school assembly sponsored by Alpha Chi Sigma and A.C.S. were discussed. Selected industrial movies currently being shown at the National Chemical Exposition will be the main feature of the program.

All students enrolled in chemistry or chemical engineering are invited to apply for membership in the society by contacting one of the officers for an application blank.

De Paul, Chicago, Wilson Meet IIT Cagers This Week

The Illinois Tech basketball team will have its first test of the season in a practice game with Wilson Junior College this evening at 5 p.m. in the Valentine Boys' Club gymnasium.

This game is the first of three to be played this week. The first game of the regular schedule will see the Techawks meeting the University of Chicago Wednesday evening at 5 p.m. on their home court.

Climaxing the week is the Friday game with DePaul. This is to be the first game away from IIT's home court and will begin at 8 p.m. that evening.

As yet Coach Ed Wagner has not announced his starting team, but the squad composed of A/S Ned Grable, Hank Koci, Bob Kasnicka, A/S Norman Hankins, and A/S Tom Kilgariff has been working together more than has any other combination.

The final cut of the team was taken last Thursday when eighteen men were issued uniforms.

Those donning the scarlet and grey are A/S Charles Buckley, Hank Koci, Bob Kasnicka, A/S Fred Leydig, A/S Jack Hammack, A/S Byron Fanslow, A/S Sol Rosenthal, A/S Gene Evers, A/S Pete Browning, A/S Willie Burns, A/S Jim Sickel, A/S Norm Hankins, A/S Ned Grable, A/S Len Slazinski, A/S Dennis O'Geary, A/S Tom Kilgariff, and A/S Bob Negele.

New Yeoman Is Added To IIT Ship's Company

Yeoman 2/c R. W. Ross reported for duty with the ship's company of the Illinois Tech V-12 unit Friday, after duty in the Pacific area. Three other members of ship's company were recently promoted. They are Jack Margolis to pharmacist's mate 1/c, and Sy Hennes and Harvey Gutteredge to Yeomen 2/c.

The new yeoman is a veteran of two years service with the navy. His last sea duty was aboard a destroyer escort. Ross's home is in Minneapolis, Minn.

Honor I Meets Tonight To Elect New Officers

An election of new officers is to be held at a meeting of Honor I, honorary lettermen fraternity, this evening at 4:30 p.m. in Bernard "Sonny" Weissman's office, announced the group's president, Norm Schmitz.

A social event, most likely a hayride, is planned for the near future.

Alumni to Hear Robert Casey Of Chicago Daily News Staff

Robert J. Casey, war correspondent for the Daily News, will be the guest speaker at the annual IIT Alumni Association's meeting in the Continental Hotel, formerly the Medinah Club, November 30 at 8 p.m.

Admissions Office To Build Enrollment

The Office of Admissions, recently set up on the south campus, will take care of the forseen rush of new students in the post war period. Under the direction of Mr. John F. White, the office will furnish information to prospective new students and will also go out to high schools throughout the country to interview future students. The present program will be to build the enrollment of Lewis by arousing interest in the Home Economic courses. At Armour the immediate program is to maintain enrollment at its present height.

Ten Secretaries at IIT Take Spanish Lessons

A group of 10 secretaries on the south campus recently hired a tutor and are now taking Spanish lessons. The class meets on Tuesday nights in the secretaries' lounge, and about three sessions have already been held.

Members of the class are especially interested in conversation.

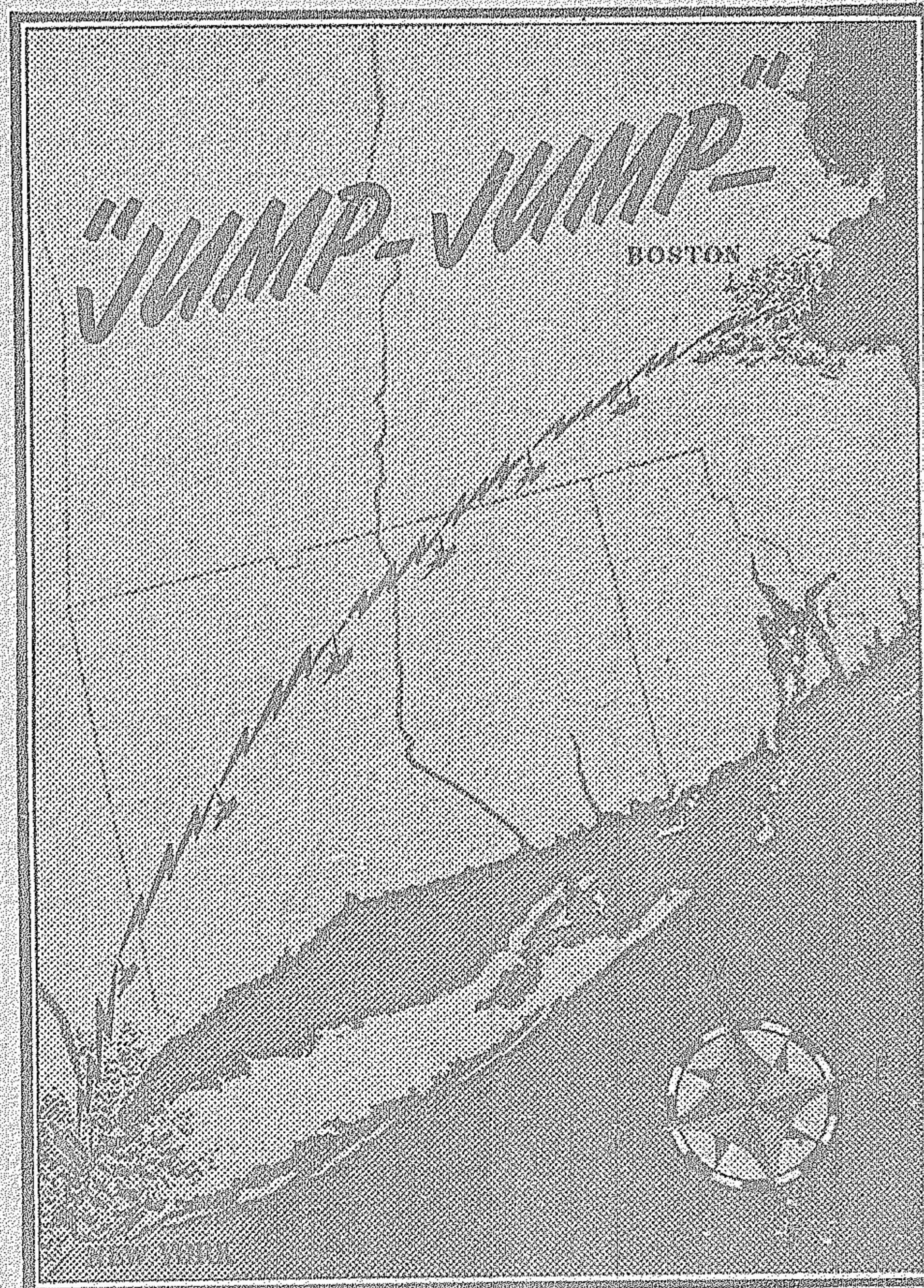
President Henry T. Heald will give a brief report, and IIT's glee club and orchestra will compose the remainder of the program. George Von Gahr will serve as chairman.

Election of officers will be held with the following people as nominees: president, Adolph H. Fenscholt, ME '13; vice-president B. C. Hooper, ME '07; secretary-treasurer, Laura Winkelman, HE '20, and representative of graduate school Edward Wagner, Ch. E '38.

Admission is by ticket. If there are any extra, they will be made available to students. Those interested are asked to contact the alumni office.

Dean Peebles Attends Board Meeting of ASLE

Dean James C. Peebles recently attended a meeting of the board of directors of the American Society of Lubrication Engineers of which he is vice-president. The purpose of the gathering was to plan for a proposed meeting sometime in February. The ASLE is a new organization which began only a couple of months ago at a meeting in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.



NEW RADIO RELAY LINK FOR TELEPHONE AND TELEVISION

Tiny radio waves, shorter than any used before in commercial telephony, will link New York and Boston in a new experimental "jump-jump" relay system for the transmission of telephone speech and television programs.

These waves travel in straight lines like beams of light. Because of the earth's curvature, the distance will be spanned in a series of straight-line jumps between transmitting and receiving stations about 30 miles apart.

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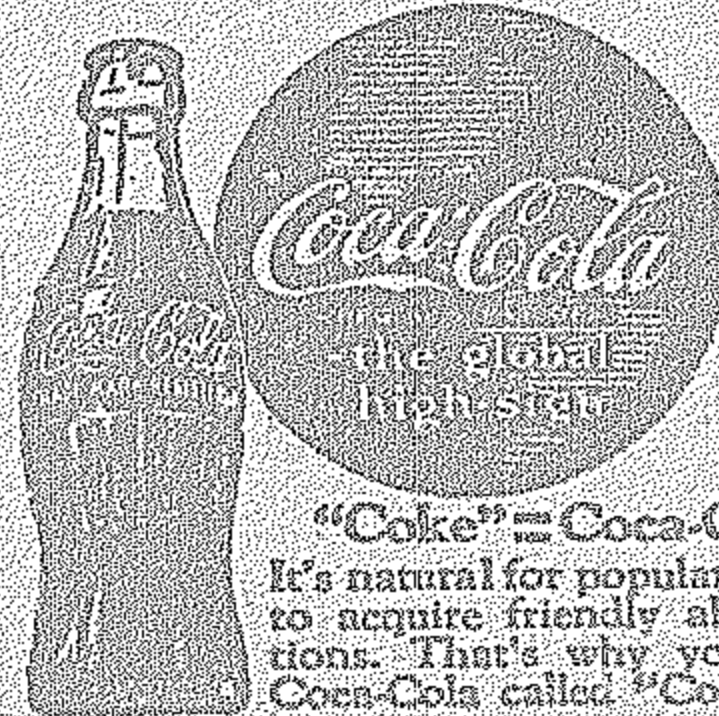
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