

## Heald Announces New Grant of \$15,000 from Ohmite Company

Dr. Henry T. Heald, president of Illinois Institute of Technology, today announced an initial grant of \$15,000 from the Ohmite Manufacturing Company to be used for the establishment of a laboratory for the precision measurement of electrical and magnetic quantities.

The gift, came through David T. Siegel, president of Ohmite Manufacturing company and a trustee of Illinois Tech. It represents the initial contribution for equipping what will be known as the Ohmite Laboratory for Precision Measurements. It will be constantly expanded as new equipment becomes available.

The laboratory's ultimate goal is to provide precision electrical measurements for the Chicago area approaching in accuracy those of the Bureau of Standards in Washington, D.C.

Working through the Armour Research Foundation, industries in the vicinity will have an opportunity to use the laboratory's facilities. This will be the first such laboratory in the Chicago area to make its services available to industry. As such, the establishment of this laboratory is a definite contribution to the scientific and research facilities of the area.

In addition, the laboratory represents an important addition to Illinois Tech's electrical engineering equipment, by means of which graduate students can be trained in precision electrical measurements. It will further provide standards for research work carried on at the Foundation.

The laboratory itself will be located at the Armour Research Foundation of Illinois Institute of Technology and will be developed under the direction of Prof. E. H. Schulz, supervisor of electrical engineering laboratories, and L. W. Matsch, supervisor of electrical engineering in the Armour Research Foundation.

## Fraternities & Sororities

### Initiate New Member Of Lambda Sorority

The Sigma Omicron Lambda sorority informally initiated Claire Brinkerhoff, Friday, March 2, at the home of Cherryll Benes. A pajama party followed the initiation. The following Sunday Claire was formally initiated, and the two graduates, Cherryll Benes and Mildred Zanis, were given corsages and pledge pins.

A few weeks ago, the Lambdas gave a hayride and party for the Eta Kappa Nu fraternity. Because the evening was cold, the hayride was cut short, and the remainder of the evening was spent, dancing, at Helen Gordon's home.

### Four Men Initiated By Alpha Sigma Phi

Alpha Sigma Phi has initiated four men into the fraternity, announced Norman Schmitz, president. They are: A/S Roy Golz, A/S Bill Wilt, Bill Zechel, and Bob Czeropki.

Also announced are the names of pledges who are: Chuck Smith, John Buttney, John Cordes, Dick Roloffs, Frank Groman, Wayne Johnson, George Schultz, Mair Brown, Bob Buchanan, Otto Salava, A/S Al Gaynor and Forrest Neil. Plans were also made for a formal and a banquet to be held sometime soon.

### J. Ranson Initiated Into Delta Tau Delta

A/S Jim Ransom was formally initiated into Delta Tau Delta yesterday afternoon, stated A/S Herb Corten, president.

There will be a meeting of the active chapter Wednesday evening at the fraternity's apartment. At that time, according to Corten, pledges will be considered and the election of officers will be discussed.

## Dutton to Get Gold Honor Key Rated as 'Outstanding' By Chicago Engineers

Dean Henry P. Dutton has been selected as one of ten men in Chicago who have distinguished themselves in the field of industrial planning and management in the last several years. This selection was made on the basis of a poll conducted recently by the Industrial Engineering College of Chicago. Dean Dutton is chairman of the business, economics, and industrial engineering departments.

Questionnaires were sent to some 5,000 industrial engineers and time and motion study men in Chicago and vicinity, in which they were asked to nominate the 10 men whom they considered most outstanding in the field of industrial engineering. Tabulation of this poll determined the names of those selected. At some future date Dean Dutton will receive an honorary gold key.

This is the second such award to be made to Dean Dutton in recent months. The Society for the Advancement of Management presented him a gold key in recognition of his leadership in the work done by the Chicago chapter of the society a few months ago.

### Poulter Will Speak to AIEE

Lt. Comdr. T. C. Poulter will give a movie and lecture on the most recent Byrd Antarctic Expedition at the AIEE meeting, next Friday, March 23.

### Theta Xi Fraternity Elects New Officers

At a recent dinner held in the Student Union building new officers of the Theta Xi fraternity were elected. They are: A/S Bob Sodaro, president; John Koza, secretary; and John Pappheier, treasurer.

Plans were also started for a new pledge class. The present pledges will have "Hell Week" starting Saturday, March 24.

### Formally Initiate Six Into Pi Kappa Phi

Six men were formally initiated into Pi Kappa Phi social fraternity last week, according to Tom Ruck, archon. They are: C. Howard Johnson, Bill Ludwig, Len Donarski, Dick Stark, George Buettner, and A/S De Witt Pickens.

A rushing party was held last Wednesday evening in the home of Bill Pottenger which, stated Ruck, was very successful. There will be a meeting of the chapter today at 5 p.m. in 405M. A formal pledging ceremony will take place at that time.

There will be a stag in the very near future for actives and new pledges.

### Sigma Beta Theta Initiates Actives

Sigma Beta Theta's formal initiation of Virginia Peting and Betty Fullerton was held March 4, at the home of Eleanor Holm. All the actives and several alumnae were present. The officers are as follows: Marie Palumbo, president; Loreen Mattren, vice-president; Irene Ptak, secretary; and Ursula Smok, treasurer.

There are now eight active members in the sorority.

## New Red Cross Drive on Soon

On Wednesday, March 21, at 10:10 a.m. every classroom at both Armour and Lewis will be visited by the secretaries of Illinois Tech. for the purpose of soliciting donations to the Red Cross. The secretaries will be acting as representatives of the Red Cross. According to Dean C. A. Tibbals, all instructors have been notified that their classes will be interrupted for about five minutes.

To date about \$1400 has been collected from approximately 400 employees of Illinois Tech. This is still some \$1000 short of the quota of \$2400. This quota is the same as the quota which was met in the last drive.

Quarters #2, which had the highest Red Cross contribution per man in the recent navy Red Cross drive, and was granted a special liberty last Friday evening, according to Lt. A. W. Blake, executive officer of the navy unit.

The total contribution amounted to \$422.50 from the officers, ship's company and trainees. Lt. Blake stated that this is a very commendable showing for the unit. Quarters #3, 5 and 6, had 100 per cent contributions. The leading quarters averaged \$1.02 per man.

### ELECTION

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The offices which are open for election and qualifications for each are as follows:

#### Senior Class

Second semester—Present officers will be retained.

First semester—President (ITSA representative).

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Vice President.

Secretary.

Treasurer.

Social Chairman.

SUBC representative

These officers will be elected by the first semester students and will hold office for two semesters.

#### Junior Class

President (ITSA representative).

Secretary.

Treasurer.

Social Chairman.

SUBC representative.

These officers will be elected by the first and second semester students and will hold office for one term. Sophomore and freshman class offices to be filled are the same as the junior class officers.

## Journalism Group Is Largest Since Draft Cut Staff

Twenty-eight new reporters have enrolled in Journalism 211, the largest group since February, 1944. The Journalism 212 class has eight students. The large enrollment has necessitated the organization of two sections.

"The large decrease of the reporting staff after February of 1944 can probably be attributed to the draft," said Henry Freund, *Technology News* editor. "However, this semester many freshmen with previous experience on high school newspapers were contacted and were urged to join the *Technology News*

The increase in members of the staff this term is also attributable to the support of navy students who have joined the *Technology News* this term. Many returning vets have also joined and there is increased support from the west campus.

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the social chairmanship of his class during his freshman, sophomore, and junior years. He has served on the staff of the newspaper for one semester.

A contributor to *Technology News* for one semester, Henry Pype has been an active participant in intramural sports and is assistant intramural sports manager at the present time. He is now engaged in reorganizing the "Link", Illinois Tech date bureau.

A/S Richard Peterson has served on the staff for one semester. He is a member of the Dramatech. Before coming to Illinois Tech, Richard attended the University of Chicago where he was circulation manager of the "Chicago Maroon."

Harold Daniels has served as freshman SUBC representative for two semesters and as a member of the newspaper staff for one. Rubin has been on *Technology News* for two semesters, returning after a brief absence from the staff. He is also a member of the IIT Round Table and the SAM. A member of the freshman social committee, Janik has served on the newspaper for one semester.

Ronald Born, *Technology News'* latest cartoonist, has studied art at the National Academy of Fine Arts. He is a graduate of Senn High School and is a freshman mechanical engineering student. Born has done a great deal of commercial cartooning.

## Seniors Dance, Dine on April 7

The Senior dinner dance will be held at the Columbia Yacht Club on April 7. Bids and table reservations can be obtained from A/S John Wright, Henry Levin, or Bill Parasoli at \$4.50 each. The attendance will be limited to 110 couples and all bids must be bought or orders placed for them before 5 o'clock today.

Dinner will be served from 7:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. After the dinner Eddie Parnell, formerly with Lawrence Welk, and his orchestra will furnish music for dancing. Candles will replace electric lights.

## Navy and Civilians May Obtain Recent Integrals

Students who have not yet obtained their copies of the 1945 Integral may now get them in the Integral Business Office, first entrance, fourth floor Chapin. The yearbook will be given without charge to those students who paid their ITSA fee for the two semesters beginning in February and July of 1944. Those who paid the fee for only one semester must pay an additional \$1.50 for the book. For people who have made no such down payment, the Integral sells for \$3.

## Subscriptions Offered To Evening Students

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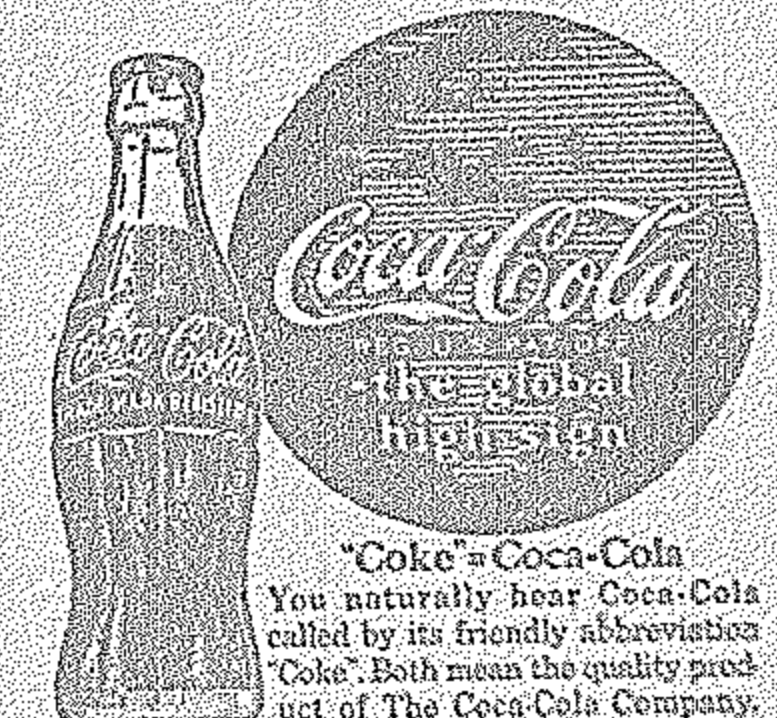
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