

### SPRIG HAS CUB

*Sprig has cub, papers say,  
Da sud gets brighter ebery day,  
Bud I god tibe to play  
'Cause I god a code id by dose.  
I take bedicide frub borning to dight.  
By eyes be red, I'be such a sight.  
I stay id bed while da moon shides  
Bright  
'Cause I god a code id by dose.*

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# WAVES COME TO IIT

## Rose Narrowly Escapes Death In Apartment

### Overflowing Water Jet Causes Old Soak to Swim for His Safety

Bob Rose, hydraulics laboratory instructor, narrowly escaped drowning while brushing his teeth.

Rose, affectionately known as the "old soak", told the grim details to a Tech News reporter while splashing about in his work.

"I arose bright and early as usual and proceeded to conduct the usual necessities," stated Rose. "After carefully adjusting the rate of flow of the faucet, I gently but firmly grasped my brush in hand and proceeded to polish my tooth—I mean teeth. However, my Bernoulli Sanfran overbalanced the potential difference of flow between the What-the-tell, destroying steady equilibrium of etc., etc., etc."

## Contingent of Waves Arrive



## Women Become V-12'sers C. O. Is Annie Orcutt; New Liberty System!

### Girls to Be Assigned to Respective Quarters Mueller Made Half-chief In Charge of Heads Swimming Classes Continue In Same Fashion

A detachment of 431 Navy Waves will report to IIT today, announced Admiral S. C. Utlebutt, head of night operations in the twentieth Naval District.

The admiral added that the new commanding officer of the Wave unit will be none other than our own Annie Orcutt, the former psychology teacher, who was recently commissioned a Lieutenant (f.o.) in the Women's Reserve.

The girls are to be assigned to the respective navy quarters and will immediately take over such duties as swabbing the decks, making up sacks, etc. In addition to this the girls will follow about the same V-12 program as the men are now taking. They will participate in the physical training program with the men. As yet no definite word has been received concerning the swimming classes. It is thought that there will be no change in procedure in this matter though.

Vice-Chief Mueller, the new executive head officer, stated that as of today there will be no morning calisthenics and that the Waves will personally serve the trainees their morning breakfast in bed.

Because of the addition of navy personnel, a new liberty system will be inaugurated. According to Lt. Sammy Mlehlw, who has been in the navy two years, liberty will be granted after the first class in the morning until 9 a.m. the following day. A restriction has been made on the leave situation, though. To obtain a special leave a trainee must have a good excuse such as the family pooch having kittens or baby brother falling down a drain.

The new executive officer of the Wave unit will be the wife of the former unit plumber, Sp 4/c Richards. Mrs. Richards, who formerly worked in the bookstore, will be in charge of the social relations between the men and the women. She stated that as the plans are now, there will be a dance every night in the Student Union with free beer and cokes served as refreshments. Captain Bill Stewart, the officer in charge of teetotaling, will act as chaperon because of his perfect record of abstinence from intoxicating beverages.

With the coming of the Waves, a new problem concerning uniforms arose. Lt. Cmdr. Lignor, head barkeeper, announced that as of today all men will be issued officer uniforms with the number of gold stripes on the sleeve equal to the number of semesters the trainees have to finish. In this way, the graduating trainee can only possibly leave the unit with an apprentice seaman rate.

Any further details concerning this new navy set-up, may be obtained from Commodore Alfonso Greco, the elevator operator, who has been observing conditions for the naval intelligence office.

## Enander Gets Revenge

### Joint P.T. Classes For Sailors, Waves

The latest communique about the Wave unit stationed at IIT concerns their P.T. schedule. Every sailor will be assigned a Wave and must teach her the principles of ju-jitsu. Also, every sailor will have a Wave as a locker partner. This situation will be remedied as soon as a new locker room can be built.

The Waves who are first class or chief swimmers will teach third class sailors how to swim. They will teach them the back stroke, side stroke, crawl, and last but not the least, the breast stroke. This will serve to emphasize the importance of this fundamental stroke. If the sailors cannot pass their second class test after one week's instruction, they will be forced to practice with their instructors every free period they have.

## President Hangs

### John Enander Turns Maniac, Kills President

#### Senior Class Executive Don Albert Found Hanging in School Gym

A homicidal maniac is loos on the south campus.

Today, Don Albert, president of the senior class was found hung by the neck in the "Crackerbox" gym, murdered by John Enander, alias "Otto the Terrible". Enander was recently defeated by Albert in the class elections, and this is believed to have caused a mental relapse making his condition worse than usual.

As yet, the murderer has not been apprehended though police has been stationed in all the establishments he habitually frequents. The police, hoping to discover a clue to his whereabouts, pounced upon his address book as a possible source of information.

Friends told the reporter today, that although Enander has always been the quiet and retiring type of individual, lately he has been mentally despondent and has shunned his friends completely.

It is possible that Enander was under the influence of alcohol when the deed was performed. At a recent Illinois Tech dance, it is reported that someone accidentally passed a cork from a bottle of bourbon under his nose causing it (the nose) to light up and flash on and off.

Enander, long a political boss at IIT, was, until the recent elections, virtually unopposed. However, Albert, a young and forceful engineer, pledging himself to end corruption, won the confidence of the student body and the class presidency. A total of \$5,000,000 worth of Japanese occupational currency has been offered as a reward for information leading to the capture of Enander either dead or apparently alive.



SENIOR PRESIDENT—Don Albert met his doom at the hand of Otto The Terrible.

## Freud's Genius Solves Nation's Meat Shortage Machine Turns Stray Gases of Air Into Meat on the Hoof

Dr. B. B. Freud, reknown genius of the Chemistry Department, once again became news as details of his latest invention were revealed. (FREUDS over on 3)

## as I see IT-

By HENRY FREUND

This week the comments of this column are being presented in graphic form. This is because it is easier to understand pictures rather than the written word.



## School Week Cut to Two Days; "We Object," Clamor Students

There will be no school Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of this week. So stated Dean Peebles in his daily interview with the press.

The reporters knew something was in the wind, (before they began slaughtering the cows) when the Dean strode rapidly into the antechamber. A hush fell over the crowd and the Dean made the announcement.

## IIT Takes Over Stevens Hotel Three Week Vacation For Students Ordered

Illinois Institute of Technology has just foreclosed on the mortgage of the Stevens Hotel. This mortgage was purchased on the quiet when Illinois Tech lost out on the bidding. Upon the evacuation of the building by Hotchikis Lodgings Inc. the school will move its equipment to the new locality.

A great deal of construction has yet to be done in changing some of the floors of bedrooms into classrooms. The new school will contain newly lighted classrooms, indoor swimming pools, ten lounges, three small dance halls and soda fountains combined, offices and living quarters for out of town students. The main feature will be the use of the main ballroom for regular Saturday night dances with big name bands.

At first everyone was so numb with shock that they were spitless. However, everyone began contesting his decision and questioning his sanity. "Since when does an IIT man get a vacation," asked Lumpenhead Brown.

"You can't do this to us," shouted Hank Crank, "We want to go to school."

In the following torrent of uncomplimentary remarks the Dean held his ground and stood by his rule. When the President was asked for a statement he refused to react. When asked what he thought of the rule and if it would apply to every week, he answered, "Yes." By this time all the reporters were so frightened at the outcome of such a rule that they hurriedly left.

"I think the new locality will offer the best in cultural achievements in Chicago and the vicinity," stated Dean Tibbals.

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# SLIP STICK

Cleave to the Slipstick—Let the Slapstick Fall Where It May

This weather really has changed this year. Last year at this time one used so many blankets that he had to put in a bookmark to show where he was.

—IIT—

Spike: Do you know how to make anti-freeze?  
 Pickle: Sure, hide her pajamas.

—IIT—

It was so hot yesterday that the chickens used cracked ice to keep from laying hard boiled eggs.

—IIT—

Joe: Are you a Russian spy?  
 Moe: No—I'm a mincepie.  
 Joe: You've gotta lot of crust.

—IIT—

Bill: What is an emperor?  
 Will: Its a ruler.

Bill: Oh, sure, I used to carry an emperor to school with me.

—IIT—

Sad: Hey, who discovered America?  
 Sack: Ohio.

Sad: Ohio—you're crazy—it was Columbus.

Sack: Yes sir, I know. But I don't think it's necessary to mention the gentleman's first name, sir.

—IIT—

Do you know what happened to Pompeii?  
 Sure—he died of an eruption.

—IIT—

He: There's soap in this food.  
 Waiter: That's to wash the food down.

—IIT—

He: Waiter, this plate is wet.  
 Waiter: That's your soup, sir.

—IIT—

He: During the dinner you spilled soup on the Admiral's head.

Waiter: But the Admiral didn't mind, it was Navy Bean soup.

—IIT—

1st Kangaroo: Anabelle, where's the baby?  
 2nd Kangaroo: My goodness, we've been robbed.

—IIT—

Actor: Don't stand too near the footlights—they're hot and your corns might pop.

—IIT—

Sad: What's a myth?  
 Sack: A myth is a female moth.

—IIT—

She: It fits you like a glove.  
 Her: It fits me like a glove?  
 She: Yeah, a boxing glove.

—IIT—

Joe: I'm going home.  
 Moe: Why?  
 Joe: I live there.

—IIT—

Spike: Are you serious?  
 Pickle: No, Spanish.

—IIT—

Dim: Exercise will kill all germs.  
 Wit: Yeah, but how am I to get the germs to exercise?

—IIT—

Dumb: Why did they hang that picture?  
 Bell: Because they couldn't find the artist.

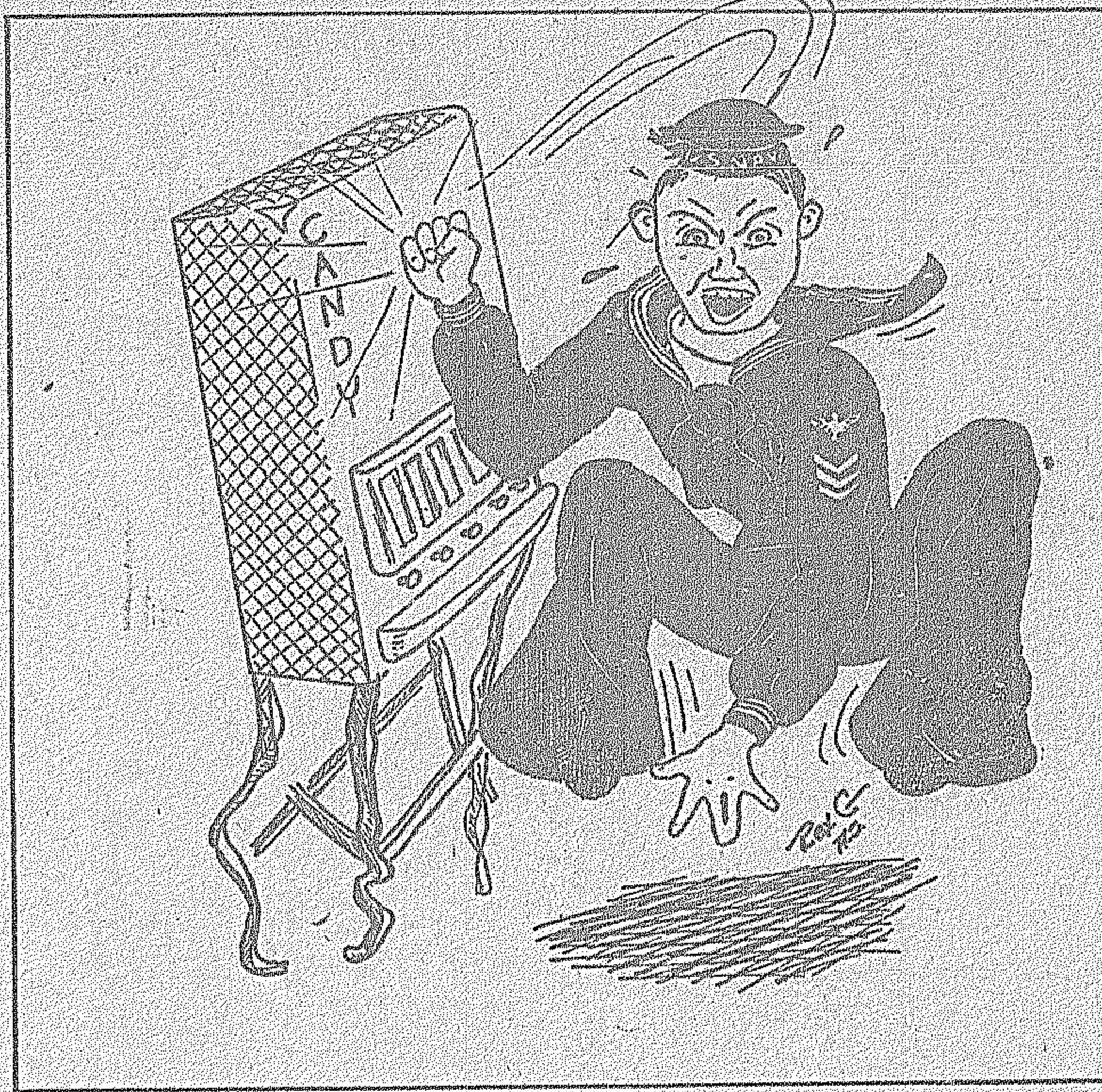
—IIT—

Man (to a newsboy): Give me a Sun.  
 Newsboy: Whaddya think I am, a stork?

—IIT—

My girl is such a flirt that when she passes a field of corn, she waves back at it.

## Guess Who?



"There must be candy in there, I can see it in the little windows".

## Man Of The Week Candy Vendor Will Succeed Jesse Hobson as Director

James Fanaras is to replace Jesse Hobson now director of the Armour Research Foundation. This was first announced at a director's meeting which took place in the lunchroom of Huber & Huber Company located on thirty-third street across from the well known Masser Hotel. It took several days for Mr. Hobson to recuperate from the shock and be able to realize that he will have a new successor. Everything was later forgiven when he met the new director and they spent an enjoyable afternoon at the Three Deuces drinking short beers.

He first appeared on the campus about ten years ago when he was seen pushing a luxurious jet propelled push cart. His first words spoken on the campus were "Candy Bars." Today, he still is saying "Candy Bars!"

He is also one of the greatest business men that exist on the campus. In fact, President Heald announced that he had contributed enough money to tear down the new campus that is to be built here and build another. Peebles commented that because of his financial stature he was chosen director of the Research Foundation. An example of his cash handling can be made by asking him to exchange two dimes for a nickel.

His first project while director of the Foundation is to assign a detail to do intensive work on exterminating termites from places where they dont exist.

Fanaras is also a great inventor, which can be varified in next Monday's Chicago Sun. At present he is trying to invent a push cart which

will sprout wings and fly. But his greatest ambition is to invent a cart wich can be pushed with one hand.

In the meantime, he is going to open a night club on the campus for



James Fanaras

the benefit of the restricted sailors. The floorshows are to resemble the ones now showing at the "L and L" and the "Club Flamingo."



Washington, D.C., March 30. (Special to the editor of Steamshovel.) The Federal Bureau of Investigation announced late today that a special committee is on its way to Chicago to open an investigation into alleged subversive activities on the Armour Campus. Acting on information from undisclosed sources, J. Edgar Hoover ordered this picked committee to proceed to Chicago, with these words, "This sort of thing must be stopped! The fate of our youth is at stake!! This ring of saboteurs that is undermining the traditions and ideals of our undergraduates must be brought to justice. FLASH: A last minute bulletin from the Justice Department says that among those under suspicion are "Happy Henry" Heald, "Curly" Tibbals, "Pretty Boy" Peebles, and "Woody" Weissman. The committee will investigate the following:

1. The failing of students even though they have attended a majority (51 per cent) of the lectures.
2. Homework assignments before the fifth week of school.
3. Forcing students to read textbooks.
4. Banning of sexy literature.
5. Removal of Petty drawings from lockers.
6. Eight o'clock classes.
7. Afternoon labs.
8. Classes on Monday.
9. Distrubing the students' peace of mind and physical health by the insurance of flunk notices.
10. The nervous strain resulting from the shortage of beautiful secretaries.
11. The shock due to the sudden awakening caused by the disgusting clang of the class bells. Ed suggestion: the installation of chimes which at ten minutes after the hour will gently and melodiously lull the student to sleep with the strains of Brahm's Lullaby, and at the close of the hour to rouse him by the soft but urgent bars of Reveille.)

Cooperation of the student body in unearthing and bringing to light the existence of these and any other vile practices is earnestly solicited by the committee.

The editor of Steamshovel is happy to make an amazing offer to the student body.

How many of you have dreamed of owning a glow-in-the-dark slide rule? Well, now you can buy one of these mysterious "glow" slide rules. These slipsticks actually glow in the dark. They are just the thing for doing homework after lights out, and are guaranteed to save midnight oil. These "glow" slide rules have shiny silver plates attached to each end. All the numbers, lines, and even the hairline glow. You just can't afford to miss this amazing offer. "Glow-in-the-dark" slide rules cost only ten dollars. Due to priorities we can only offer 10,000 of these fine instruments, so place your order now. You may get your "glow" slide rules from any member of the Garbage Collector's Union, Local No. 23 1/2 or any staff member of this paper.

At last the impossible has happened. Don "girls are useless" Haack has had his first date. This being such a dangerous adventure, I feel it is my duty to give you all the details, from the first hello to the last good-bye. Don was on his way home one afternoon when he spied a beautiful and lovely girl seated in the same elevated train and no one occupying the space next to her. Don said to himself that he just must summon all his courage and resourses and sit down in the seat next to her. He sat there a full twenty minutes before saying a word. After starting a conversation on the pretense of being lost Donnie was startled out of his seat by this lovely when sh easked him to come up to her apartment some night. Don said that his mother would not permit him to do this but he said that he would take her to a show. Next Saturday night Donnie (as she called him) and his lovely proceeded to a local theater and the balcony!!!! Donnie then did something drastic, he put his arm around this female and tried to do a little cooing but she was a trifle chilly. After the show they went to a drugstore to split a soda. Having borrowed a car for this momentous occasion Donnie parked at a well secluded spot along the lake front. By this time his date was quite willing to play along with anything that Donnie suggested. They stayed there till the wee hours of the morning when he said they had better go home as it was getting late. Don was so worn out by this experience that he swears he will never date a girl again, even his future wife. Oe yes, I imagine you would like to know the girl's name. She is none other than Gloria Farrel of the aeronautical and mechanics department. We are wondering where A/S Murray Percival, Gloria's "steady" was all this time, or have they broken up?



WILLIAM C. KRATHWOHL, after many years has finally made pi an even number. For the unmarried secretaries we have the following list of single men at IIT: EDWARD BICEK, MARVIN CAMRAS, BRUCE LONGTIN, and GEORGE MARTIN. YALE BROZEN is publishing a book on how to become rich in one easy lesson. His only lesson is—marry the boss's daughter. THOMAS HIGGINS will, from this time on, devote his time to reading comic books in place of EE books. There are to be beer parties for the faculty everyday in the lounge of the Student Union. Sonny Weissman is to be head bartender. ALFONSO GRECO, the elevator operator, has eloped with one of the secretaries. Her name will be printed as soon as he reports to work. CHARLIE NASH'S juice class reports that he said 110 "ahs" in five minutes. BENJIE FREUD flunked his mental examination for the Navy. DIESEL DAN ROESCH is to manufacture kiddie cars at the beginning of next month to offset the gasoline shortage.

# IIT to Take Over U. of C. Fieldhouse

## CAMPUS COMMENTS

### LETTER OF THE WEEK: Alumni Praise Campus

The alumni who now have 3-20 vision wish to compliment the Institute on the splendid lighting now installed in Chapin Hall. Those who were fortunate enough to become alumni and did not freeze to death on the fourth floor of Machinery Hall, are amazed to find a spacious and beautiful campus, automatic elevators installed in all buildings, and dustproof classrooms. All the devices of a modern engineering school, such as air conditioning, deodorizers, soot removers, automatic window washers, etc. are being put to practical application after their principles of operation have been taught for the past twenty years. The alumni is proud that their school believes in practicing what it teaches by using only the most up-to-date devices which combine to make the undergraduate years of a student highly enjoyable.

The beauty of this location coupled with the beauty of the campus in general has attracted students from all over the world and we are proud to be Illinois Techmen.

The Alumni Body

## She Gets Her Male



## No Hope -- for women

We have a sad, sad situation over here at the west campus—there are so many men, they are beginning to get in one's hair. Particularly, there are so many seniors. Why the girls have so many dates for the senior affairs, that they won't be able to attend, for they can't make up their minds.

The home economics department has developed a new cake recipe that can be used for eating or foundation stones — preferably foundation stones. The recipe is to integrate the number of eggs raised to the power "e" and divided by the natural logarithm of the number of cups of baking powder times the cups of milk with the limit of one teaspoon to three teaspoons of vanilla. This must be done in a rarified atmosphere of hydrogen sulfide. Professor Supple has tested this recipe and discovered the only way of eating it is to swallow a small portion, followed by 99M Aqua Regia.

Dr. Maintland of the biology department has been raising flies to help alleviate the meat shortage. Dr. Countryman has developed an ultra microscope for the slicing the ribs of flies.

## "Superman" Graham Leads Unit; Amasses Amazing Score in Physical Test

A/S John Marshal Graham III is the new superman of IIT. This title was bestowed upon him recently as a result of his amassing a total of 38 points in the recent P.T. test. Lowest scorer in the test was Arnie Niemi with an 83 point total.

Scores were tabulated in much the same manner as golf and par for this particular course was 30. "Supe" didn't want to embarrass the rest of the class by finishing under par so he faltered a bit on push ups and sit ups.

This comes as no surprise to his quarters mates as he keeps in trim year 'round by exercising with his 20 inch slide rule. Normally a 160 pound hunk of stuff, John tips the beams at an even 200 when accompanied by his rule.

Intimate friends reveal that the slipstick is a network calculator in itself.

## IIT Secretaries Are Observed Chasing Students on Campus

A grave situation has arisen on the IIT south campus. Various secretaries have been observed chasing men between classes. This condition which has been detected some time ago is indeed very sad since the chased (chaste ?) men have declared that they are in no condition to repulse the improper advances made by these females.

The men in question were ambushed going to and from classes and in some cases even during the classes themselves. The girls have organized a union called the "WOOO". These initials stand for "We're On Our Own". Their general plan is to attack in pairs and really take over.

It is sincerely hoped that those secretaries responsible for these advances will refrain from similar conduct in the future since IIT men hate girls and want no part of their dealings. Girls, in their opinion, constitute the definite lower type of animal which is responsible for much of the evil in this world. They, according to reliable sources, claim that girls drive men (not those from the IIT campus) to such horrible things as drinking, necking, marriage and other evils.

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Dr. Freud has finally developed a machine capable of condensing the stray gasses from the air and resolving them into their original form.

His development is of particular value to the nation at this time because, once set up on the roof of Main, it will be put to work forming beef cattle from the atmosphere surrounding Tech. Illinois Tech was chosen as the location of the machine because, after much careful testing of air samples, it was found the Tech campus was host to the most red ration points per cubic yard of any spot in the Chicago area.

## Red Cross Membership Drive For 1929 Begins

The Twelfth Annual Membership Roll Call of the American National Red Cross to enroll members for 1929 begins Nov. 11, Armistice Day, and ends on Thanksgiving Day, Nov. 29.

## Indian Tribe Found in Machinery Hall

The impossible has appeared again. A small tribe of Indians were found occupying the old cast metal laboratory in 400 Machinery Hall. They were first noticed when a janitor heard beating of drums. Investigating, he found the indians doing a war dance which was to be followed by an attack on the roaches who decided that they also wanted to occupy the same hunting grounds.

Their visit, however, was short lived. It seems that the vibration from Yoeman Gutterick's false teeth prevented their tepees from being stable.

## Schommer Discloses Wager That Resulted in Transfer

Moving of Fieldhouse to Illinois Tech Problem of Engineering Departments

### No Fooling!

## Schmitz IM Mogul, Extends Deadline On Tourney Entries

The call for intramural softball teams has gone unheeded. Norm Schmitz has announced that there were a total of four entries as of Friday, the deadline date. "The ultimatum is up before you the students! The only way to insure the continuation of the intramural program is for you to support it to the utmost."

Due to the miserable showing Schmitz has extended an invitation to the navy quarters to enter teams in the meet with Quarters #2 permitted to enter two teams. The only restriction is that a navy boy can play on but one team, either quarters or class.

The deadline has been extended until Friday, April 6, and all entries must be submitted by that date.

Many new bats and softballs have been acquired and everything is in readiness. What do you say, fellows?

### TECH TIME TABLE

- MONDAY, April 2**  
 8:00 a.m. No school at Armour  
 1:00 p.m. Classes start  
 1:10 p.m. Profs sling bull  
 1:20 p.m. Tech News out—Paper slings bull  
 1:30 p.m. Call it a day
- TUESDAY, April 3**  
 Same schedule as Friday
- WEDNESDAY, April 4**  
 8:00 a.m. No school at Lewis or Armour  
 10:10 a.m. Strippers will tease in Auditorium  
 12:30 p.m. Sack Laboratory
- THURSDAY, April 5**  
 8:00 a.m. Siesta Time  
 10:00 a.m. Armour meets at Lewis  
 11:00 a.m. Rodeo  
 12:00 a.m. No classes at Lewis  
 4:00 p.m. Afternoon Tea  
 7:00 p.m. Armour, EDT, PDQ, BVD, etc.  
 12:00 p.m. Censored
- FRIDAY, April 6**  
 Same schedule as Tuesday

Fulfilling the fondest desires of the most ardent Illinois Tech alumnus, Athletic Director John J. Schommer has announced that the University of Chicago Fieldhouse is now the property of the Illinois Institute of Technology and will be transferred from the U. of C. to Tech's own Ogden Field.

Having nothing else to do while waiting between events at a track meet, John and Stagg began to flip coins to while away the time. Losing slightly for the afternoon, Stagg sought to make up the deficit on the following day but met with negative results.

This continued over a period of years until the deficit had grown to such proportions that Stagg chose to bet all his losses against the fieldhouse. Coming through in fine style, John completely outclassed his coach and opponent to emerge the owner of the fieldhouse, the title of which he turned over to President Heald as a gift to the Institute.

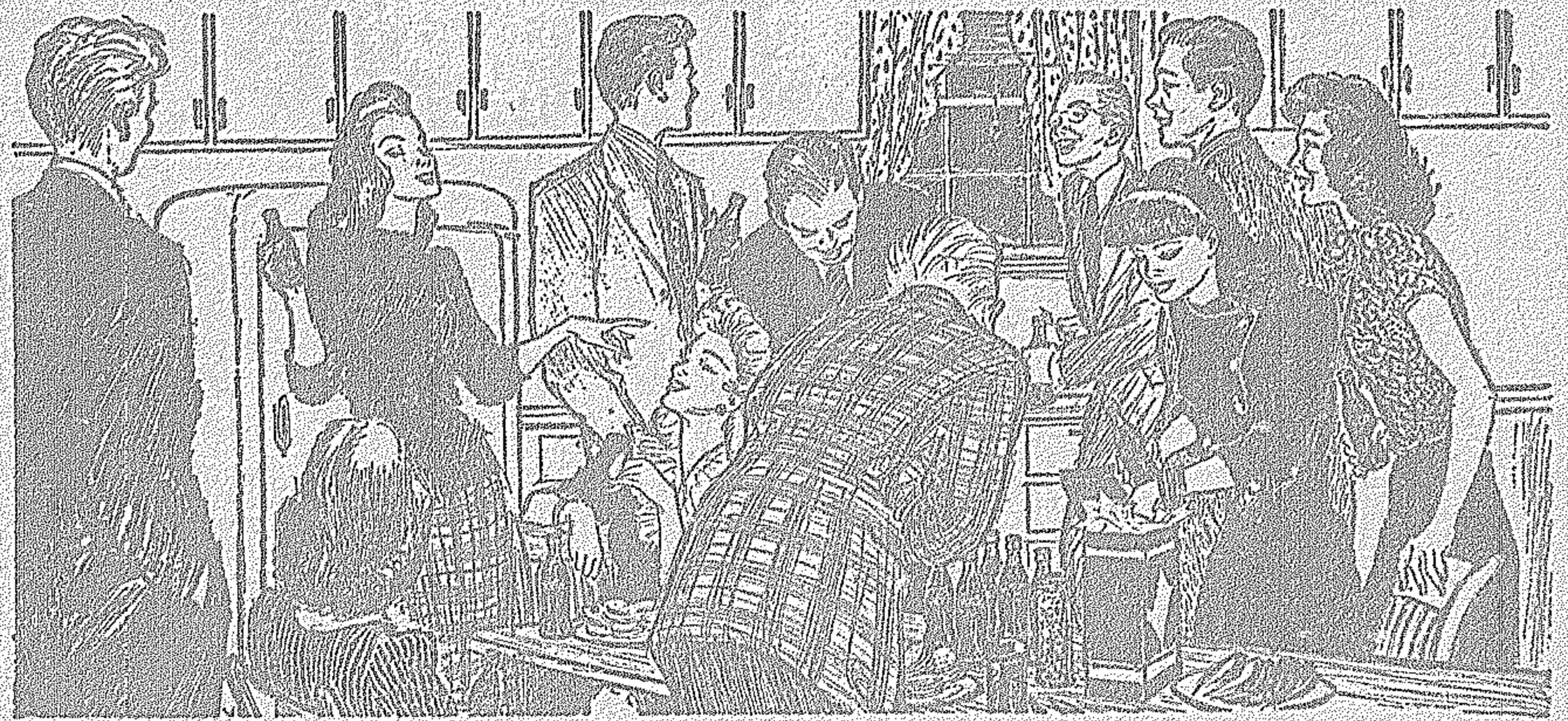
The main problem on hand is the moving of this massive structure to the IIT campus. Latest reports from the various engineering departments working on this problem indicates that hydrogen filled balloons will lift the building from its foundation whereupon suitably installed airplane power plants will send the entire mass through the sky to the Armour campus where the building will be lowered into position on Ogden Field.

Eyes moist with tears of joy Schommer sadly stated that due to the immense size of the new structure, the present fieldhouse will have to be demolished.

## Sox Park Secured For IIT Students

The purchase of Comiskey Park for the use of IIT athletic teams has been announced by Grant Stenger, professor of P.T. This acquisition was prompted by the increased student demand for a hop scotch and jacks playing field. Engineers are studying plans for moving the park to Ogden Field. According to Ima Ole Toole, lady engineer of Roach Exterminating Co., the transition will take place sometime in 1918.

## Let's raid the icebox... Have a Coca-Cola



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 Have a Coke are words that make the kitchen the center of attraction for the teen-age set. For Coca-Cola never loses the freshness of its appeal, nor its unfailing refreshment. No wonder Coca-Cola stands for the pause that refreshes from Maine to California,—has become a symbol of happy, refreshing times together everywhere.

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## Dirty Shirts Invade Campus; Observed on Faculty and Deans

Due to a strike of all laundries in the Chicago area over the week end, Technology Center was bathed in more than the usual dirt and grime today with gray collars and cuffs protruding from well-pressed suits of both faculty and students.

Lone stand-out on the faculty was Sonny "Beau Brummel" Weiseman, who admitted he had salvaged two shirts and was having them laundered by Elizabeth Savage in the ladies lounge.

President Heald, when asked for a statement this morning, pointed out that while a gray shirt could occasionally go with a red collar and tie, yet a dirty shirt never should.

The Chicago Herald-American was generally credited with inspiring the strike, informed sources said today, as last winter they had in a remarkably prophetic editorial started the rumor of an impending laundry shutdown.

"It's all right for them," John Schommer was quoted as saying. "Down in the loop where it's nice and clean they can get past with three shirts a day. But out here... well... personally, I'm in the habit of filing a day's supply under S and changing every hour."

Members of the V-12 unit seemed singularly free from laundry trouble but were unwilling to explain how they rated priorities on this essential service.

## Cure of Corrupted Craniums Can Come Quickly Quote Quack

By Dr. F. J. Quacknamara  
Ha young man, do you sit up nights thlking of your next quiz? Of formulas? Of theories? Of blondes? If it's the former you're the one we are worried about.

Your mind has been corrupted! You what? ... Aw shuddup! I'll tell you what to do from here in. I got your number. You're the kind of a guy what gets pooped after doing a hundred push-ups. Yah! You're the mug whose heart pants after running up to the fifth floor Main. Ya weakling! Ya Freshman! An your face turns red... when? Naw, when a skoit goes breezin' by. Just look at cha. Cream puff! An if she ever kissed ya your teeth would come up an gag ya! Shuddup I said!

Now park your fanny on dat dusty seat and listen ta me. (Yah, I feel a sermon comin' on me too.) You've got to delate your curriculum, eliminate the proffessordum, latch on to the pulchritudinum. Ya boy! But don't mess with another man's gal.

Ya got dat shrimp? Den listen furdder. Ya got to dresd proffs up to the maximum, bring studies down to the minimum. Have faith in da Waves liable to walk upon the scene. To illustrate my last remark; when da Waves move in don't go hide in the dark, but find ya a little place to spark.

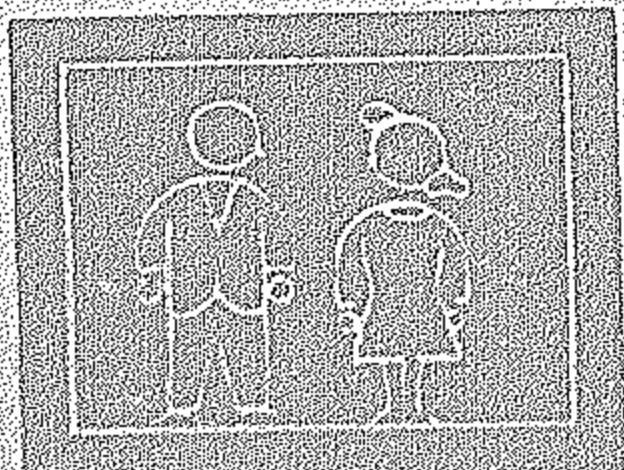
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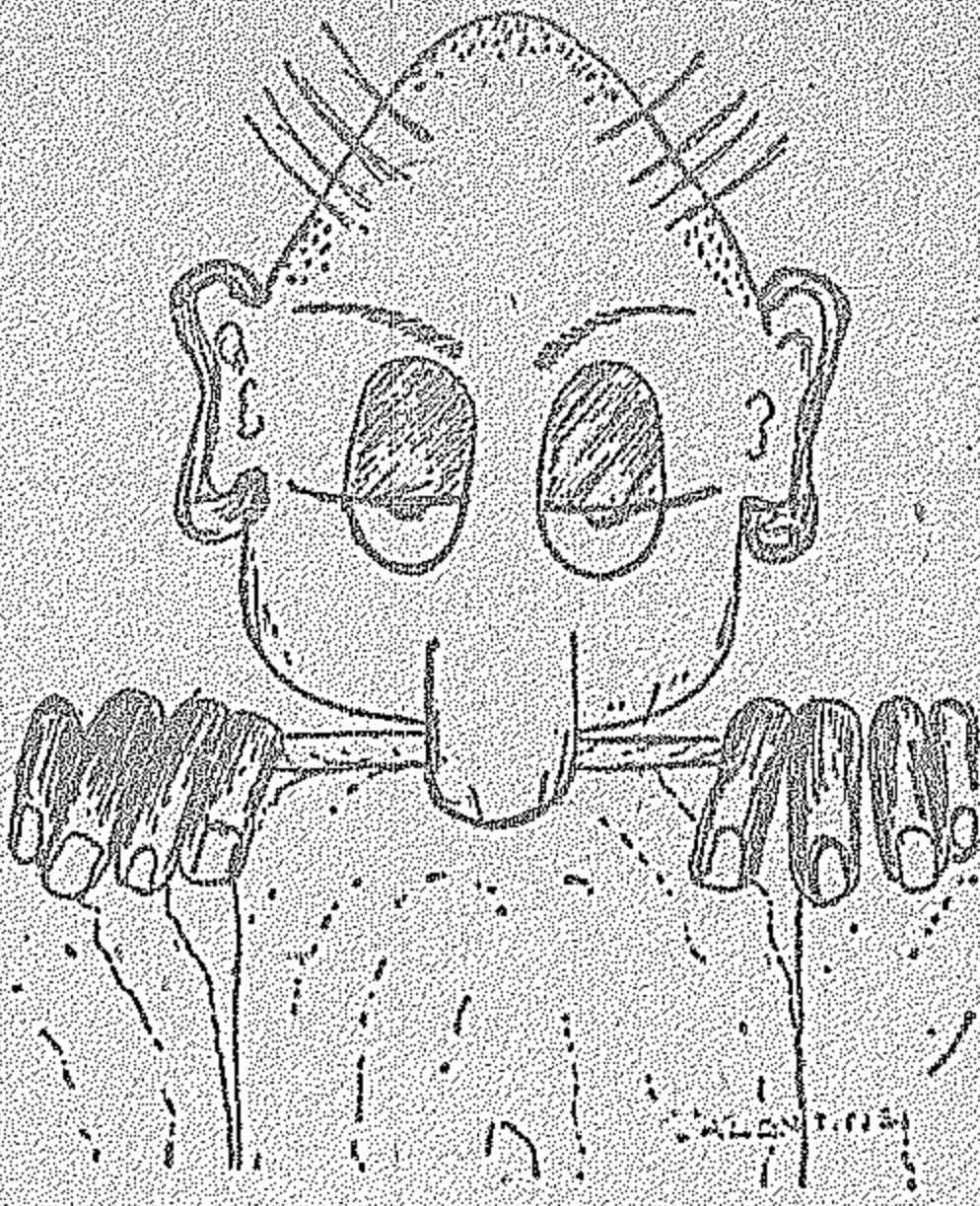
## NAVAL NOTATIONS

Due to the fact that the naval trainees on the Illinois Tech campus have become so very enthusiastic about their work of late, they failed to go out last week-end. Therefore there is no naval notations this issue. This change in attitude has been brought about partly by the more stringant scholastic requirements of the navy but mainly because the men love their work and hate to leave the campus even for a few hours.

How much will it cost?



How long will it last?



## Will Build New Assembly Hall

Movies, Sports, Plays can be offered there

The construction of the new IIT auditorium will begin day after tomorrow. The plans have been completed and the materials have been ordered and prepared. The chosen site is at Main Street and Hidden Avenue, which is a short distance south of Armour.

The Acme Teardown Co. Inc., well-known builders of public buildings, have contracted to handle the mamouth construction job. It intends to complete the auditorium by the end of this year, for it will have more than 100 men on the job. AAAA'IAAAA priorities have been obtained.

The new building, including all the modern equipment it will contain, will cost exactly \$66,666. An air conditioning unit, movie projection room, and a built-in loudspeaker unit are only a part of its many features. The seating capacity of the auditorium will exceed 1500. The stage, about 50 feet wide, can be used for theater productions, movies, etc. A new feature of the stage is that it may be cleared so that the school's basketball games can be played there. In this way, large crowds can be seated conveniently with no strain upon the facilities of the auditorium.

## Glaves Offers Temper Course

by Former Economic Class

Prof. C. R. Glaves, soft spoken member of the Industrial Engineering Department, will offer a course designed to relax the student in the class room. With the coming of spring many instructors have complained that their students are so alert in class that they are worked into nervous exhaustion. Prof. Glaves has solved this problem by allowing the majority of his class to sleep while heated debates are carried on by the instructor and conscious students.

Prof. Glaves has been with the school for many years, and in his stay has come to love the ways of our institution. He always has nothing but the highest praise for members of the staff and many classroom hours are spent in delightful discussion of the mental prowess of the engineer. We know the professor is just trying to build up our morale (no that's not morals—we can spell) but he declares that that no group of students grasp the complexities of business with the ease displayed by the engineering student.

## Phenorten Is Student at IIT

J. Tinesly Phenorten, a new student from Mars, has completed his late enrollment and will start classes Monday morning. His grades for the entrance requirement examination were so high that the registrar's office is letting him start sixteen weeks late.

He received his earlier education on Mars and decided that he would like to finish it at Illinois Tech. His main interest lies in the field of electrical engineering, and he would like to obtain electricity in a tangle form.

Phenorton has been spending most of his time on a super atom smash-device which will use the energy of the atom to propell his motor cycle.

The thing that fascinated Phenorton most was the network calculator. In half an hour's time he had it apart. After putting it together he found about 3 million parts left over. With these parts he plans to build an electron-jet propelled coffee perculator.

Another thing that greatly intrigues Phenorton is the electron microscope.

Upon very deep research work on the theta particle of argon gas he found a startling discovery. The theta particle was found to possess body lice.

He claims that the reason he came to Illinois Tech is that he had heard that this school had a large number of beautiful co-eds. So far he is still looking for the large number of beautiful co-eds.

## Rational Numbers, Irrational Prof, Make Math Easier

Doc "Willie, the chump" Krathwohl, Professor of Arithmetic Fundamentals and Director of the Compartment of Illiterate Tests and Measurements, has finally revamped the number system so that  $\pi$ , the Greek letter, and "e", the base of natural logarithms, are even numbers. The Doc says that, with regard to  $\pi$ , the revised system will save all fourth grade students trouble in solving differential calculus problems.

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## "Heaven Can Wait"—New Navy Quarters Satisfy Sailors Wants

"The spacious new navy quarters will be ready for occupancy next week" announced Lieutenant Royal F. Sessions, today, as he finished an inspection of the pent-house now standing on what was formerly Ogden Field.

"I fully believe that these quarters will be an improvement over the previous housing conditions," said Lt. Sessions. "The navy is trying to have the best possible study conditions for the men stationed here."

The first public examination of the quarters has revealed the comforts the men in the station will be subjected to, starting next week. Each man will have an individual room with hot and cold running water, built in showers, innerspring mattresses and self swabbing decks. It is contemplated that the 500 Waves, to be stationed in the same building, will act as hand-maids doing such useful things as cleaning stripes and pressing blues.

Together with the change in quarters will be a projected alternation of policy. The trainees will stand no watches and will not be required to make musters.

Morning chow will be served in bed, as morning calisthenics will be eliminated.

Liberty will be granted every day because it is thought that the quarters will be so perfect that the men will not want to leave.

## Prof Nash Will Retire Monday Accepts Job to Rid Chicago of Tribune

It was just announced to a Tech News reporter that Prof. Charles Nash will retire from his position in the electrical engineering to take a position on the Democratic Committee. This position will be of the utmost importance. The duty of this committee will be to see that F.D.R. will run for a fifth term. Prof. Nash's specific duty will be to head the political department of the Chicago Sun. This will be the start of a long battle to wipe the Chicago Tribune from the city streets.

IIT has been honored to have Prof. Nash selected to do such a task that many good men in the past has failed to do. It can be safely stated that the Chicago Tribune hasn't a chance for survival since Charles Nash has been selected for the job.

## "A's", No Work Is New Policy

As of April 1, there will be no grades lower than 'A' issued. This of course is done to relieve the students of work. Instead of study hours for the civilians and watches for the navy students, there will be free refreshments in the cafeteria at any hour.

With this regime it will be possible for the huge number of students to become acquainted with their surroundings.

The bookstore will be open from noon to one o'clock with an hour for lunch, this enables the few people who desire some amusement to gawk at text books.

Of course there will be some work. Armour must live up to its standards. As an added attraction tuition will be paid to every student enrolling here.

We hope this new standard set up for IIT will not prove too rigorous for its many inmates.

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