

THE FIRST progress report of the Junior Week Committee has indicated a thorough job done by an ambitious few. The organization and groundwork have been completed, along with many details of planning. Notable among the snags encountered was the statement concerning the lack of "eager" personnel for the committee. Where are all these stalwarts who unceasingly moan about the grind and lack of collegiate atmosphere at IIT when it comes to planning an affair rich in tradition and as much fun as any movie-portrayed college event?

JUDGING FROM the first ITSA meeting held last week, the few Techawks who did bother to stir themselves to elect their representatives, made wise selections. The group's meeting was characterized by a conservative attitude of not accepting anything without sound facts and figures. The interests of the student body as a whole seemed to be represented, and discussion was lively and long. Some of you who have never heard of the ITSA might attend one of the meetings; there's a good lesson in applied collegiate democracy.

FIGURES printed in *Technology News* recently shortchanged the Evening School considerably as to students enrolled. Final figures show that 3891 students are taking their education nocturnally instead of the previously reported 3274.

## ITSA To Alter Constitution

A by-law committee consisting of Wit Kosicki, Buzz Barrows, and Dean White was appointed by the president of the ITSA, Bob Cunningham at last Wednesday's ITSA meeting. They will report on a proposed by-law addition to the ITSA constitution which reads as follows: "A report on activities for the previous semester shall be required of any student organization before request for funds is made for the following semester."

The ITSA also approved the *Technology News* budget for this semester as it was presented with the exception of the honorariums for the fall and current semesters. A committee was appointed to set up a method for awarding the honorariums.

Jaqueline Edwards resigned her position as secretary to the ITSA Board. Burita Shileika was appointed by the board as succeeding secretary.

Since less than one-seventh of the total student body voted on the hospitalization insurance plan, the ITSA decided at the last meeting to postpone any board action until the majority of the student body has voted upon this issue. *Technology News* will sponsor the student poll.

## William Barrows Elected President of Frosh Class

The ITSA today announced that William Barrows was elected president of the freshman class in the run-off voting for that office last week.

Barrows polled 21 ballots to defeat his opponent, Lloyd Shook, who garnered a total of 16 votes.

The run-off became necessary when neither of the three original candidates captured a majority of the votes cast in the initial election.

## Women's Chorus to Meet

A special meeting of women students and secretaries has been scheduled for 12:30 p.m. on Thursday in the auditorium to organize a women's chorus group to sing at the Midwestern Power Conference at the Palmer House, according to Mr. O. Gordon Erickson, music director. The women's group will assist the men's glee club and orchestra in entertaining the members and guests at the conference.

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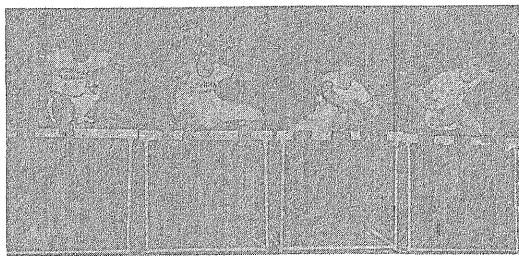
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## 1947 Relays to be Run Saturday

### Defending Champs



UP AND OVER—Pictured above is part of the Michigan Normal squad, defending champs in the Illinois Tech Relays college division. Left to right are: Garion Campbell, James Brodie, John Easley, and Keith Gundrum.

## Underground Movement to Be Discussed at All-School Assembly

"The Underground Partisan Movement in Europe During the Second World War," will be the subject of discussion at the Illinois Tech Foreign Students Association all-school assembly, to be held this Friday, from 11 to 12 a.m. in the Student Union auditorium.

Bruce Clark, president of the ITFSA, will preside over the assembly. He will deliver a few words about the aims and nature of the Association and will introduce the speakers.

Pierre A. Abetti and Erik Paulsen, vice-president and treasurer of the organization respectively, will relate their own experiences in underground activity during the war. Abetti spent two years in the Italian underground and Paulsen, two years in the Norwegian underground. They will illustrate their talks with movies.

On March 22, at 7:30 p.m., all foreign students are invited to a social gathering to be held in Room A of International House at the University of Chicago. There they will be introduced to American students who will become members of the association. There will be dancing and refreshments.

There are some sixty foreign students enrolled in the day school at IIT. Some are here on scholarships given by IIT, some are subsidized by their own government, and some are paying their own way.

It is requested that the questionnaires, which have been sent out to ITFSA students, concerning sports activities, be returned to the secretary of the English Department as soon as possible.

## John Sachs Appointed IF Sports Manager

John Sachs was appointed IF sports manager last Thursday night by Bill Ponton, new IFC president.

Sachs' first job, will be to conduct the IF ping pong tourney. Other events to be run this semester will be bowling, swimming, soft ball and the track meet. He succeeds Ken Thompson who was sports manager for the past two semesters.

## Intramural Bowling Tourney Begins Sunday

The intramural bowling tourney for team entries will be run off this Sunday. All team entries must be turned in to "Sonny" Weissman's office by Friday evening. The singles and doubles tourney will be run off a week later and those entries must be in by Friday, March 21.

## 58 Schools to Compete In Largest Indoor Meet

The 1947 Illinois Tech Relays, the largest indoor collegiate track meet in the United States and one of the greatest in the entire history of trackdom, will take over the nation's athletic spotlight this Saturday evening

## ABC to Feature Techman Guest

### Music "Critic" to be Chosen by Students

You know that friend of yours who's so versed on popular music that you've often said, "You ought to be on the radio, bud!" Well, there's your chance to put him there! Disc jockey Eddie Hubbard, who's well known at IIT from his visit here on Dec. 5th, is looking for a Techawk to appear as a special guest critic on his ABC Club.

Selection of Illinois Tech's "platter patter" man will be by a vote to be taken this Thursday and Friday. Balloting will be held from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m. each day in the SU lobby. All Tech students are eligible; their single qualification is a knowledge of jazz discs.

On the air nightly from 10:05 to 11 p.m. over WIND, the ABC Club features a record reviewing session every Tuesday night, during which Eddie's "board of critics" reviews the latest popular discs. Regular critics are professionals like Don Haynes, Downbeat's Chicago editor; George Hoefer, who writes the popular "Hot Box" column in *Downbeat*; and Billboard's reviewer, Johnny Sippel. In addition to these regulars, Hubbard will have someone representing Illinois Tech on his March 18th session.

"We've felt for some time that we need the record buyer's slant in the weekly sessions," said Hubbard, "so we're looking for college students who know music and would be able to express their opinions and criticisms on the air."

## TECH TIMETABLE

Items appearing in the Tech Time Table are those which have been scheduled with the Dean of Students' Office.

TUESDAY, March 11  
Model Airplane Club, 117C, 12-1 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, March 12  
Edw. S. Lee—Assembly for Seniors, Aud., 2 p.m.  
Tau Omega, 117C, 2 p.m.  
ACS, 305M, 5 p.m.  
Dramatech, Auditorium, 5 p.m.  
Camera Club, 410C, 5 p.m.  
Eta Kappa Nu, 105C, 5 p.m.  
Mechanics Colloquium, Auditorium, 8-10 p.m.

FRIDAY, March 14  
Foreign Students Association, Aud., 11 a.m.  
Interfrat Formal Dance, Morrison Hotel

SATURDAY, March 15  
Illinois Tech Relays, U of C Fieldhouse, 7 p.m.

MONDAY, March 17  
Dinner for Women, E.D.R., 6-10 p.m.

850 individual contestants representing 58 colleges and universities from 11 states respond to the starting gun at the University of Chicago Fieldhouse, 56th and University.

Heading the star-studded field of entries will be a 29 man squad from the University of Illinois, newly crowned champions of the Big Nine Conference, who will challenge the Irish of Notre Dame, defending university titlists, for the championship.

Also bidding for the university throne will be six other Western Conference squads, representing Michigan, Indiana, Northwestern, Wisconsin, Purdue and Iowa, and such midwestern track powers as Missouri, Marquette, Michigan State, Drake, and Kansas State.

In the college class, a huge field of 44 schools will fight for the championship now held by Michigan State Normal of Ypsilanti. Included in this group will be Western Michigan, Baldwin-Wallace, Butler, Miami (Ohio), Wayne, Ohio Wesleyan, Bradley, and virtually every other leading midwestern college.

Both defending champions have entered full squads in all-out efforts to retain their titles. E. R. "Doc" Handy, Notre Dame's popular coach, has listed 39 men on his roster, and Michigan Normal, winner in four of the last five Relays, will send a team of 27 contestants.

### Dillard Threatens Mark

Not only meet records, but American indoor records as well, may be endangered by such individuals as Harrison Dillard, America's premier hurdler from little Baldwin-Wallace college, who is the only individual in history to hold simultaneously the National AAU indoor and outdoor championships and the National Collegiate outdoor championships in both the high and low hurdles.

Dillard will defend championships in both college hurdle events, having scored a double victory in 1943. He already shares the Tech Relays' 70 yard high hurdle record of :08.7 with Charles Hlad of Michigan Normal and Allan Tolmich of Wayne.

Other headlines who will appear on the program are Dike Eddieleman of Illinois, whose 6' 6 1/4" effort in 1943 set a university high jump record; Herb McKenley, George Walker, Bob Rehberg, John Twomey, Norman Wasser, Herb Matter, and Bob Richards, all of Illinois; Bill Porter of Northwestern; Bill Leonard, Terry Brennan, Floyd Simmons, Jack Hunter, and the Smith boys of Notre Dame; Ed Taylor of Western Michigan; Dick Hoerner of Iowa; Earl Mitchell of Indiana; Bud Gartsier of Missouri; Quentin Brelsford of Ohio Wesleyan; Bill Mack of Drake; and a whole host of others.

Both college and university entrants will compete in 14 separate events, including the mile relay, two mile relay, sprint, medley relay, distance medley relay, high jump, pole vault, broad jump, shot put, 70 yard dash, 70 yard high hurdle, 70 yard low hurdle, 440 yard run, 880 yard run, and one mile run.