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**“Snow Ball” Ballroom**

LaSalle Hotel was acquired last week in addition to the grand ballroom of the "Snow Ball," which will be held on February 9, featuring the orchestra of Ray Morgan, for $20.00.

**Integral Staff to Meet Today**

The Century Room will have a bar and tables, and the food will be provided by the Century Club. The room will be decorated with flowers and candles, and the atmosphere will be reminiscent of a 19th-century ballroom. The dinner will begin at 7:00 p.m., and dancing will follow.

**Twenty-one Offices Are Filled in Recent Class Election**

Last Monday an election of 21 offices was held on the campus. The results of the election were:

- **President:** Shirley McMahon
- **Vice-President:** Mildred Zazu
- **Treasurer:** Margaret Reilly
- **Secretary:** Mary Healy
- **Journalist:** Mary Healy
- **Editor:** Mary Healy
- **Assistant Editor:** Mary Healy
- **Building Manager:** Mary Healy
- **Business Manager:** Mary Healy
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**New Opportunities Open to Men With Graduate Training**

Students who graduate and go on to the professional schools of engineering, architecture, and the like, will be given preference in employment.

**Citizenship Fund Is Established at IIT**

In order to make this book more representative of the student body, a special attempt will be made to include more books covering a wide range of subjects. The students will be divided into five sections, each section responsible for one section of the book.

**Calendro Elected to Head Pin U Nu Psi**

Calendro was elected to head Pin U Nu Psi, the fraternity for men, by a vote of 9 to 1. The election was held last week.

**New Navy Officer Arrives This Week**

A new officer for the naval training school arrived last week. He will be in charge of the training program for the upcoming year.

**Technological Society**

The meeting of the Technological Society will be held on Thursday, at 7:30 p.m., in the auditorium. The guest speaker will be Dr. J. E. James, head of the chemistry department at IIT.

**Blood Plasma and Cellulose Are Titles of Movies to Be Shown January 28**

The Student Alliance of the American Chemical Society and Alpha Chi Sigma, professional chemical fraternity, will screen movies on these subjects.

**Navy Men Offered Post-War Positions**

A group of 12 men interested in post-war jobs with the government and private industry will be offered positions.

**In Memoriam**

In memory of Dr. Robert Jones, who passed away last week, the Technological Society will hold a memorial service on Monday, at 7:00 p.m., in the auditorium.

**ITSA Honor Banquet Will Be February 7**

The ITSA Honor Banquet will be held on February 7, at 7:00 p.m., in the auditorium. The keynote speaker will be Dr. J. E. James, head of the chemistry department at IIT.
**Obstacle Course**

Techman Talking by John F. Mungold, American Professor of Mechanics

After more than two years of service, I am binding the thought that all my efforts have been in vain. Many changes have taken place on campus during these years. The main obstacle is in exploring fundamental principles. After all, the laboratory work should serve to enhance the understanding of scientific principles. I am proud of the attitude of our students in keeping abreast of new ideas. It requires a positive attitude to do the work. Patience and enthusiasm outlook for your subject are vital which is to make students in the creative process. The school where the instruction is given is required to be in the fundamental principle, back in technology as well as in science. I like to bring in new ideas and keep them as a hobby and understanding that we are offering new encouragement to students when we did a number of projects. The confidence which is being carried is in a definite aspect to the student. Formerly very little attention was paid to the literature, but there are new ideas recognized and developed properly in the curriculum.

After having left the technical college, I was interested in courses as well as in technical knowledge. I believe that I am justified in the assertion that our student body is much more interested in all subjects offered than the students of a liberal arts college. Nearly all of our students have a great deal and not primarily to get a degree.
LETTER OF THE WEEK: Lewis

For too long a spirit of unity among the students of the school has been the most conspicuous absent in the daily life of the students. This has resulted in the running the political and social activities of the school out of the control of the students. Meetings were called at unspecified times and places, and the students were not informed of the details. The events were planned with a possible outcome in mind, and no information was given to the students.

Several reasons have been cited for this lack of unity, and the lack of unity is a major concern for the school. The lack of unity is manifested in the student body's inability to act as a united force.

Therefore, the students should be encouraged to participate in school affairs and to act as a united force. This can be achieved by emphasizing the importance of unity and by providing opportunities for the students to participate in school activities.

A Look at Alumna

From 14 (L. T.) came news of the school's growing ranks of alumnae. The Alumnae Association has been very active in recent years, and this year, the school is expecting a significant increase in the number of alumnae.

A special meeting was held to discuss the future plans of the association. The meeting was attended by a large number of alumnae, and it was agreed that the association should continue to be active and to provide opportunities for alumnae to stay involved with the school.

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Mr. Charles Hadley

On Christmas Day, 1930, Mr. Hadley and his wife found a unique gift. It was an antique slipstick, a device used for measuring the length of objects.

Mr. Hadley was a member of the National Geographic Society, and he had a particular interest in maps and globes. He was interested in the history of navigation and in the instruments used to measure distances.

Mr. Hadley and his wife decided to use the slipstick to measure the distance between the two points on the map.

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Near the Basket

Techhawks Rally to Overwhelm North Central and Lawrence

Honkink Scores 20 Points Against Lawrence to Set Individual Scoring Mark for Season.

Coming from behind in the second half the Illinois Tech basketball team defeated Lawrence, 84-71, in Wisconsin to remain perfect in the conference this season.

The team's performance was highlighted by the play of Junior Honkink, who scored 20 points against Lawrence. This is the individual high for any one game this season.

With just a single basket being scored in the second quarter by the Tech squad they were on the short end of the score. Upon play being resumed in the second half the Techs' offense took over with Honkink scoring a point. The rest of the scoring was split among the Techs, with Allen, Ball and Foster scoring 6 points each.

The Wisconsin match was the second highest of the season. The Tech's best performance was against the University of Illinois, and this performance was a total of 55 against the Wisconsin Tech.

On that Wednesday North Central of Waukesha, Wisconsin visited the Illinois Tech basketball team at the Valentine Boys Club and received a 55 to 66 drubbing.

Like the Wisconsin game the Techs had to overcome a halftime deficit as scoring was solid, but the first half was a 15 to 10 deficit. The remainder of the game was a constant barrage of Tech scores.

Tactical analysis of this game was necessary in that the Wisconsin team faced a heavy press and personal fouls were called against the Techs.

This shows thatTech can play defense at all times, although each comes from their respective attack.
**Student Union Organ, Once Proud of Old Armour Mission, Is Now Collecting Dust**

The story is familiar, and the reader knows it, but the soul of the old organ is still there. It is the heart of the Students Organ. You might think that the organ has been forgotten, but it hasn’t! True lovers of art never forget their painting and brushes, even with old organs.

It was nearly three years ago that the organ was finally removed from its lofty heights above the stage of the Student Union. Choirs and choirs had been formed, practiced, and polished then, its fame restored by voting and sixty base, good children’s hearts kept up with support of sentiment at the organ, and the organ itself was changing its sound.

But all is different now. The organ, once high and the loft of the stage below it, at one time, is now a part of the ground floor in Chicago. Its pipes range from two inches to 16 feet in length. Three pipes make up each set, and each set has 36 pipes per key, plus 23 pedals give it a perfect harmony. The organ is now, more than ever, in its last stage.

The organ is in the house of a local organ company. Such people are on our corners today. They are not going on as the possibilities of rehabilitating the organ. It has been suggested that the organ be reconditioned. This step would make it possible for some of the old organ to remain in the Student Union, and establish it in the assembly hall of the new student union. It is desired that it be in use in a daily class or for service which the organ is now used.

The organ is still there.

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**Toboggan Party to Be Held By Seniors**

The senior party will be held at the Palace on Friday, January 26. It will be an afternoon affair.

The busy surf will be used to transport 100 to 125 couples, plus the band. The sea will have left the buildings at 1 p.m. It will return at 7:30 p.m. The band will be Dr. Hoppel and the orchestra. The so-called special chair, suggests that the sea will make early returns with reservation. The band will be Dr. Hoppel and the orchestra.

Spear Leaves IIT for Sea Duty Assignment

Chief Pharmacology, Mr. Charles D. Spear, left the Illinois Tech V. I. T. service not in service, it was revealed today, to the Royal P. Balsamo, commanding officer.

He will need to take a crew, a third return, and a southwest return to Chicago. Spear will service on Guadalcanal with the 24th Marine Division during the first day of our I. T. I. V. It is a part of the Russell Islands before coming to Illinois Tech.

Spear has served at IIT since last July.

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**AIEE Names Dr. Higgins As New Faculty Advisor**

Dr. Thomas E. Higgins, of the Illinois Institute of Technology, has been named the AIEE’s West Coast Advisor. He will be the second advisor to the Illinois Institute of Technology.

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**Tribal PlansPicnic For End of January**

Plans are being made at the Illinois Institute of Technology to hold a picnic at the university. The picnic will be held January 27, with music provided by the University Band. The event will be held on the university grounds.

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**Fraternities & Sororities**

Witt Elected Head Of OU Delt Dilemmas

Race Witt and Bill Perier were elected president and secretary, respectively, of the Illinois Delta Phi club. The pledges will hold their annual meeting and election of officers on February 19.

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**Dean Peabody Will Speak At Austin High School**

Austin High School students will hear Dr. James C. Peabody at an assembly this Friday.

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Bargley Protection is Topic at FPES Smoker

E. W. Michalek, of Underwriters Laboratories, spoke on how tests at the FPES smoker held last Thursday evening in the Student Union Lounge.

Michalek spoke on the need for better protection of electrical appliances. His remarks were well received by the audience of about 90.

Quarterly Reports

Quarterly reports were presented by the following: Paul Bogen, of 107 Rad; George Billingsley, of 107 Rad; and John Ensign, of 107 Rad.

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Quartermaster C. W. Raven, RTO of Quartermaster Corps, presented the first report of the year. He stated that the efficiency of the officers and men has increased since the last meeting.

Quarterly Review

The quarterly review of the activities of theilarian Corps was presented by the quartermaster. He stated that the corps has continued its good work throughout the year.

Young Officers' Club

A young officers' club was presented by the quartermaster. He stated that the club has been well attended and has continued its good work throughout the year.

The meeting adjourned at 10:00 P.M.