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Student Health Insurance Plan Adopted

Residents Must Subscribe To Program;
Optional For Off-Campus Students

Student hospital insurance has been adopted by the Institute, effective in September. The insurance will be compulsory for all resident students and voluntary for non-resident students.

Although the cost of the insurance, $7 per semester, will be included in the campus housing charges for residents, it is not expected to be a benefit reserved for veterans and NROTC men.

John F. White, dean of students, who has worked for over a year on arrangements for the plan, described the policy as “extremely generous—students would not be able to buy this type of protection (for the same price) through any other channel than through the school.”

Law States Available

Dean White explained that the policy is available to the Institute at low rates because of a contribution by the student body’s general excellence in background and freedom from accidents.

Already in use at other schools as the Universities of Illinois and Pittsburgh and Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, the Insurance plan is designed to augment, to the extent necessary, the services of the Institute and to provide, in conjunction with the authority of the state, comprehensive student health program.

Every student taking insurance “will have a policy. There will be coverage from the day he enrolls and his policy will be in effect for the entire year,” according to Dean White.

Students wishing to be covered may notify the Office of Student Affairs through the summer months at a charge of $6, making the yearly premium $13.

The plan will pay $5 for hospital board and care, a sum greater that the $5 that is provided by local policies.

Covers All Expenses

The sum provided in each separate injury for miscellaneous hospital service is $10. There are hospital examination, anesthesia, out-of-patients, and similar services. This sum will be paid when the student is confined in the hospital or when the service are required by the resident ITF physican for “out-patient.” In the case of personal injury and thus not confined to the hospital, the sum will be $10.

For surgical treatment, tables are paid in graduated schedule to a maximum of $325, a figure 50 per cent above the usual maximum. This amount is in addition to the basic $10.

The $100 insurance premium provided by the policy is 50 per cent of the amount of the student’s money.

“Enough money” is the phrase that can be given a measure of the amount of the student’s money.

For professional visits by a physician, the policy provides $15 as a maximum, for any professional services rendered due to injury or miscellaneous illness.

For services required due to injury or miscellaneous illness, $25 is given as a maximum, for any professional services rendered due to injury or miscellaneous illness.
S t u d e n t s of one Chicago grade school recently attempted to solve the problem by firing the office containing test grades and other records. They would have been successful, too, except that duplicate records were kept elsewhere.

Then there's the case of the University of New York. That institution, which until recently sent out all final examination papers to faculty for grading, dispensed with the vital final quizzes to the London Educational Testing Services, Inc., which administers the SAT. The university then burned the papers, which the students were unable to retrieve.

One approach is through conferences and other methods by which the teacher may get to know and grade a student on time same as time as well. Students who know their teachers' names might benefit from this approach.

One teacher to have the student on time is an adjustment made by the teacher in grading is comfortable and more reliable. Some students, however, have found it difficult to grade themselves.
Original Play 'I'm A Genius' Opens Junior Week Activities

"I'm a Genius," the first completely original play to be produced by students of Illinois Tech, will open a week from today at 10 o'clock in the morning. In addition to the afternoon performance starting at 1 p.m., there will be a two-hour performance following the 1 p.m. show.

The show will be presented at 7:30 p.m. in "Empire Hall," a newly erected auditorium. "Dansen's Cigarettes," a well-written and well-acted play, is expected to become a permanent organization presenting a single play each year.

Music for the production is a result of collaboration by Byron Gilling, Philip Kowalchus, and Robert and the Piano Group, Inc.

Read the paper election said, "Who's sick?"

And the Piano Group, Inc.

Graduate Assistant Takes First Place in Research Contest

Dr. D. P. Boder Receives Award

The Social Science Research Council has awarded David P. Boder, professor of psychology, a grant of $500 for his study of displaced persons in Europe. Dr. Boder conducted his research during the academic year 1949-1950, when he personally interviewed hundreds of displaced persons in their own countries and transmitted their testimony on tape recorders.

The notification better states that the social work toward the completion of your study of psychological and antinomical components in personal histories of displaced persons, with special reference to personality differences due to overbearingly unchecked stress.

Dramatech Production Delayed Until May 13

"A Bicycle或"The Yellow Rose" has been postponed in the interest of May 13 and 14.

At the March 31 meeting of Dramatech, it was decided that the time left between now and the proposed time of presentation was not sufficient to produce the quality entertainment desired.

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Varsity Nine Opposes U Of C In Opener

Melgaard, Graener Only Veterans On Entire Roster

Veteran pitcher Warren Melgaard will lead a green line-up against the University of Chicago on Monday to open the Techawk baseball season.

Melgaard and second baseman John Graener, both returning regulars, have shouldered the starting assignments. The remaining positions on the team are not yet settled. Joe Zabakoff and Bill Glancy, both freshmen, are struggling for the shortstop job with Bob Stein, another freshman, penciled in for his bidding back up.

Now and again, the Techs are likely to go to Dick Keesee and Ted Hornak, respectively. Keesee is a left-handed freshman who looks like he will be a base-hitter. Hornak, originally a first baseman, has been moved to the "hot corner" by Coach Hornak in an effort to fill a hole in the defense.

Offensive Problems

The outfield has presented Glancy with an even greater headache than has his pitching. Only one of the candidates show signs of hitting, the other two are still unknown.

Ted McClellon, sophomore center, is most likely to start, but he will be in deep trouble if he is not as consistent as Bob Leibovitz. Both men have been off and on in practice, and if one of them can show consistency, Leibovitz has shown a marked improvement from last year. Bob Leibovitz has been off and on in practice, and if one of them can show consistency, Leibovitz has shown a marked improvement from last year.

Glancy has started with the first three runs in the lineup. The second baseman is expected to be a good hitter, but he has not played as often as a leadoff hitter. Glancy also suffered from a back injury during the baseball season, and he may be in another one of his not-very-regular programs. He aviates a heavy bat and will be used as a regular in the lineup if his back can take the strain. This week, however, he is expected to be a regular.

Our five-inning game was smoothed by a couple of base hits. In order to win, the batsmen must hit the ball hard and make contact with it. Under Glancy's tutelage, the boys can be expected to play a hunting, interesting game.

IIT Tennis Season Opens Saturday As Hosts At Home

The Tech tennis team, which has been the center of attention in the city, will open its season on Saturday against the Illinois Institute of Technology. The match is scheduled for 4 p.m. at Armour College. The Techs are expected to have no trouble in winning.

Trackmen 'Hit the Road' —Rumors Fly over Ogden Field Track

The Techawk trackmen pictured here are not working out on their new track...they are merely borrowing an uncrowded and uncrowded track for a practice session. The field is perfect for the Techs, who are working on their technique.

Achilles Prime For Jr. Week

By Morton Neubauer

A variety of track events and field games highlight the activities on the sports agenda during Junior Week. Hurdles and broad jumps are scheduled for the 800-yard dash, the 440-yard dash, and the 110-yard hurdles. In addition, there will be a broad jump, high jump, and shot put event.

Because of the optimism shown by the members of the track meet, Coach E. McMillan has extended the deadline for entries to Friday. All teams have already entered the 12 relay, and there are more than 40 entries on the individual events list.

One of the highlights of this athletic event will be a baseball game between the faculty and the senior class team. The winner will play a team composed of women's court officers.

Another event, which may not be as popular, is the men's track meet. This year, the meet will be held at 3 p.m. on May 23, at 4 p.m. on May 25, and 4 p.m. on May 27. These events will take place in week. For the last two events, the track meet will be held on May 25, and 4 p.m. on May 27. These events will take place in week.

An intercollegiate track meet sponsored by the PTP and the track team, will be held Saturday afternoon.

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Power Conference Dinner Attended By Record Crowd

As all engineers’ dinners, attended by members of the profession, the annual meeting of the Midwest Power conference last week.

Col. Robert B. McCormick, editor of the Chicago Tribune, addressed the group on the subject “Arm Glass Out of Date?” He was introduced by treasurer Albert D. Bailey, superintendent of the Commonwealth Edison company.

The total registration was over 2,500, according to Robert W. Whitehead, secretary of the conference. Three days of meetings included over 80 talks, three luncheons, and the dinner. Director of the conference was Maurice R. Wistrom, dean of the evening division at MIT.

A. C. Moreland, director of education at the Westinghouse Electric Corporation plant in Pittsburgh, spoke at the Thursday luncheon, emphasizing the increasing opportunities and needs for engineers in the rapidly expanding power field.

Garett Burgess, of the National Association of Power Engineers, spoke, in a talk Thursday afternoon, titled “The Gap in the Development of Today’s Operators and Engineers.” He related to graduate school and the achievement of a qualified status.” He went on to emphasize the importance of practical experience in the training of operating engineers.

Unclaimed Goods Auction To Be Held April 27

Automobiles, trucks, and machinery that have been in the warehouse for the last 30 months will be sold in the auction. A series of events will be held by members of the Student Union Board of Control and Illinois Engineering Student Association in the South Union lounge starting April 27.

Some of the items up for bid are tractors, farm equipment, and other machinery. The auction will start at 10 a.m. in the lounge.

Clinical Psychology Offered For Summer

A comprehensive program of courses is to be offered by the psychology department during the coming summer. Courses in individual psychology will be scheduled in the early morning and late afternoon, for the benefit of employed students. Two courses in clinical psychology are being planned, one to be taken during the first session and the other, a course in advanced clinical psychology, scheduled for the second session. Each course may be taken concurrently.

A clinic for children will be arranged and members of the teaching and administrative staff, as well as students, will be given an opportunity to bring their children to the clinic. Anyone interested in advanced clinical psychology is encouraged to attend the sessions. The course is expected to qualify students as psychometricians or psychologists.

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THURSDAY, APRIL 5

9 a.m., North Union; 11 a.m., South Union; 1 p.m., North Union; 2:30 p.m., South Union; 4 p.m., South Union.

FRIDAY, APRIL 6

9 a.m., North Union; 11 a.m., South Union; 1 p.m., North Union; 2:30 p.m., South Union.

SATURDAY, APRIL 7

9 a.m., North Union; 11 a.m., South Union; 1 p.m., North Union; 2:30 p.m., South Union.

SUNDAY, APRIL 8

9 a.m., North Union; 11 a.m., South Union; 1 p.m., North Union; 2:30 p.m., South Union.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 11

9 a.m., North Union; 11 a.m., South Union; 1 p.m., North Union; 2:30 p.m., South Union.

May 1-4, 1942, the annual meeting of the Midwest Power conference will be held in St. Louis, Mo.

CHESAPEAKE—The final event of the conference will be held in the evening division at MIT.

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