“Who? Me!” Say New Man, Woman

IFC Reverses Judicial Board Action; Will Keep Activities, Cut Scholarship

April 1, 1963

It is therefore the decision of this board that the fraternity man's time is better spent in IFC activities than at his study desk,” announced Ed Bronckey, IFC President, at the conclusion of the Judicial Board meeting last Tuesday evening.

Bronckey referred to a motion, passed by the board, which closer to the current statistical trends, by eliminating all scholastic vigorous program of interfraternity competition.

The board felt that with the recent decline in all-fraternity grade point average of the new administration curriculum, that the Greeks should spend their time in some endeavor at which they can be successful.

Some of the new competitions planned to fill the gap previously occupied by study will include dart throwing (still and moving targets), checker games, chess, and archery.

Kaye racing, presently a high level interest at the University of Illinois, will be introduced, with a slight variation. 110 hematite, IFC's ties, will be semi-finalist in the Delta Tau Tie.

Big men, big Delta Tau Tie already previous the score of the ornamen
ted the competition.

New Concerts Aimed at Culture, Sophistication

Announcement of tentative plans for the 1963-64 Onion Board concert series was made by concert chairman Shyanne Ski during an OB cheer leaders' meeting last Wednesday afternoon.

Ski stated that a meeting with Greeley and Bobbie Schone resulted in an entertainment schedule for the concerts.

In order to show their cooperation, the administration has allowed an appropriation of $23.16 for the series.

Twelve hundred complimentary copies of Dr. S. Borrelle's "Building Pools for Pigs and Poultry," have been donated.

Leading off the series will be the unusual folk team, the "Han and Gally Stoppers," of St. Anselm, Tennessee. Ski mentioned that although this is the group's first public appearance, he was sure their talent would be immediately recognized.

He also asserted that the fact of the Stoppers being signed to exchange one of their "Semi-Bad Minnesota" concerts should be described only as "eccentric."

WITI Converts Dormitories into Living Antennas

"WITI will be fortunate enough to participate in one of the most important electromechanical experiments of recent times."  This was radio manager Ken Kline's reaction to ARF's latest U.S. foundation grant.

ARF was chosen for the grant because of its interest to IIT's dorms. The brick of IIT's dorms (North and South domes) has an unusually high concentration of Si(Li,Y,P,U,Ti,Ga). This compound has the property of generating electromagnetic waves by a factor of over one billion.

In relation to this experiment WITI will use both domes as antennas from 4:00 to 5:00 tomorrow evening. Although there will be considerable danger to dorm residents, because of the possibility of the effects of electromagnetic waves.

As a result, WITI will increase power instead of using it.

"All the News That Fits, We Print!"
Dear Editor-in-Chief:

I wish to make an open letter to the students and administration of IIT.

I should like to have my name dropped from the roster of the Student Union. I have never nor ever will approve of the Student movement in the United States. This membership has been forced upon me by both the administration and the ITSA Board of Control.

The organization of such a group infringes upon my personal freedom as guaranteed in the Constitution of this country in which such a movement can not help but be dangerous to the young of our country, and so I feel I must stand alone against such an organization.

My family has been very strongly associated with the powers in this country that have allied themselves against the threats posed by Unions. The Student Union is another manifestation of this threat.

It is important for us as Americans to protect the last bulwark of freedom's bastion. The tender hedges of this fence have been exposed too long to the knives of the Unions. This tender flesh that represents our Puritan heritage is in danger of being cut away by the Bolshevik hovards from the east.

I resign hoping that I can make America a safe place to live by so doing.

Patrickly yours,

David Spacch

...And Could You Add "Mother" Over the Portal to My Room?

The announced press release by Harry Hault that the administration plans to start construction soon on a new dormitory leaves us completely breathless and jumping for joy.

It is always a marvelous experience to wake up at eight o'clock in the morning, when one doesn't have to be awakened until twelve for lunch, to the melodious tunes of steam shovels, construction crews singing their "shanty work songs," and the general work-a-day noise of labor.

Besides providing a free alarm clock for the present dorm residents, the finished structure will provide the security every IIT independent resident student wants and needs.

But we do have an objection to the proposed dormitory's basic design. We feel that the announced design is much, and we request, much too radical for this campus. We feel that it would not be architecturally compatible to the present structures on our campus and that it would violate the planned and studied spatial features of the other buildings.

In addition, to raise the room rent to help finance construction just because the FHA refused to give the institute a loan because it feels the Institute is near financial bankruptcy and is allegedly "pink" is completely out of line. The Institute could always find another way to raise the money. It could always raffle off a car or like in "Boccaccio 70"...

But this is not the point of this editorial and we do not wish to digress and thereby confuse our reader, to back to our main stream of thought.

Now what would we suggest? Well!! We would like to see something more conservative along the lines of the "neo early baroque georgian colonial american" period. We want something that shouts WARMTH!!

Rooms paneled in maple and cherry with real fireplaces and deep soft chairs. We want the feeling of a real MEN'S CLUB and not one of sterility.

In such a dormitory room the student could surely study under more favorable conditions.

Brillig TN Editor Cries "Damm the Torpedoes," Raises Pen in Defense of Agglutinated Reality

by Ben Lipp

"Twist brillig, and the slithy toves Did gyre and gimble in the wabe: All mimsy were the borogroves, And the mome raths outwedge.

Once more spring has sprung and another inspired April Fool's issue of Technology News has been agglutinated by its trenchant stuff which somehow has managed to get through such another weak shackle, but head unbowed. April Fool's issues, like R. L. Mencken, aim to "comfort the afflicted and afflict the comfortable." The normal role of a college newspaper in the national environment of the college is to forbid editors to opt in such an impolite way as to suggest the truth behind the scenes in the Elysian fields we hesitatingly call home.

Even ripples against hard-working-student-boards which shall go nameless but not anonymous are limited by the fact that their trituration may be juxtaposed with distributive reprimand and hence work to the considerable political demise of the overly cogent and zealous editor. But in the April Fool's issue, the haste expressed editors may, and inevitably do, strike home to accomplish satirical what they may not do in a mundane fashion to shatter the euphori epo of student "leaders" and administrative "mentors."

The April Fool's issue is, as all journalism should ideally be, an issue which stands in magnificent disregard of sacred cows, administrative apostasies, and consists student insubordination.

No group, not even alums mater or apple pie, is exempt from the assiduous effort to achieve truth by fiction-an assertion well borne out by the fact that the newspaper itself becomes subject to the hopefully trenchant barbs of its own editors.

The unfeeling reader may conceive of an April Fool's issue as a source of entertainment; others may view it as an exercise in polemics. Such views could not be farther from the truth. The issue is in fact, a necessary part of the parochially restricted collegiate paper's effort to add another facet to reality. There is a tendency toward silliness and protectionist self-pitance among collegiate communities as well as a distinctly doctrinaire attitude in college groups about their own place as the "chosen people."

It is in the fervent hope of dispelling this egocentric syndrome, shattering pomposity, and creating an idea that no group may take itself seriously unless it first can take itself humorously, that this issue is dedicated.
TN Gains Glorious Win in Garbage Study

The Testing Service of the United States (TS-US) announced at a press conference held in the kitchen of the U.S. that Technology News holds more garbage than any other college newspaper.

The TS-US conducted the tests with five grades which ranged from extra fine, fine, average, unsanitary and rotten. Technology News held more than 25 times the weight of garbage.

This same test was made on last year’s newspapers and the editor produced since January of 1963 held 35.4 per cent more than the same issue produced in 1960.

In the laboratories of TS-US garbage collected from the campus apartment buildings, the Commons cafeteria, the Fish Cafeteria, and the nine fraternity houses was weighed and graded. The testing report had this to say about the campus garbage: "... and the best specimens came from Carmen Hall.

It should be noted that the honor was held by the cafeteria in the dorm last year. Repeating this honor disqualifies the recipient in the next year’s competition. When the level of humidity in the garbage was checked, some new and quite unexpected results were obtained. As the humidity approached 100 per cent, the amount of garbage increased with the square of the percent. The TS-US has formulated an equation for this phenomenon: W = 0.05 H^2

- % of HP X NTN. This means that the amount of garbage that any issue of Technology News can hold is equal to the percent of the humidity squared times the number of pages in the particular issue of Technology News being tested.

The weight is expressed in Wolniak’s per page. Dr. Wolniak, the director of TS-US, worked on this project this year. He also formulated the equation which has become known as the Wolniak Equation.

During an interview Dr. Wolniak stated, “We have never before had anything to test that was as interesting as Technology News. I have never been able to name an equation after myself, but I have done now.”

Lavinia Harcourt-Smythe, editor of the Chicago Statesman said, "The garbage produced at the U of C is as good as that of JIIT. In fact, we feel that we have more garbage to choose from."
ARF Announces New Eighty Story Erection to Complete IIT’s Campus

“We plan to construct the world’s tallest building dedicated to the advancement and progress of basic and fundamental scientific research,” stated Dr. Harry Seely, director of Armour Research Foundation, in announcing the proposal to build an 80 story administration and research tower. He continued, “The board of directors feels that it will be a beneficial architectural landmark on this otherwise drab campus. Designed by Skidmore, Owings, and Merill, the tower will be shaped like a giant Grecian Ionic column.

Give TN Award for Typography

Following tabulations compiled during the past year, the Associated Collegiate Press has awarded a special commendation of merit in typographical excellence to Technology News.

I'm making the award, the ACP cited “The continual devotion of Technology New to principals of high journalistic standards and excellence in letterforms from the copy of the newspaper...as well as dedication to the interests of outstanding reporting.”

Thanks to your prowess, your work is excellent, Technology News staff of the technical staff is to be congratulated.

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Cruickshank Revamps Constitution

Reorganization and reorganization of the ITSA Constitution has been under discussion voluntarily by students of the ITSA Constitution, which is the rules committee. It is requested to the board to undertake a major development of the Constitution since 1938.

Cruickshank stated, “The present Constitution bears to little resemblance to a controlling body, that somewhere the Constitution must have been misprinted, or improperly understood.

Elvin Rumsby, present secretary-treasurer, and President, Harold Keister, have both expressed their support of the program, and Chuck Harvey, ITSA director, will support it as long as it costs the Board no money. Dean Hahn, not being completely familiar with all the past history of ITSA, has decided that the project is worth while.

Correction for Typograph

Under the reform, each member will go through an initial orientation period. New members will join in a printing shop, engraving plants, paper mill, foundry, ink manufacturer, pressman, and printing and commercial firms.

Cruickshank stated that new Board members, the Board approved a requirement that new members shall not have any previous experience on ITT.

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