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Professor Simpson Astounds Many With Ability As Prestidigitator

Professor Thomson Electrical Pioneer Passes Away At 84

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With the death of Elihu Thomson, perhaps the foremost American in the field of electrical discovery and invention has passed from the scene. Professor Thomson, active president of the Institute from 1899 to 1922, and Director of the General Electrical Research Laboratory at Lynn when that institute was founded, died on December 12 of pneumonia at his home in Swampscott. He was 83 years old. President Compton, Owen D. Young, Chairman of the Board of Directors of General Electric, Gerard D. Swope, President of General Electric, President Harry M. E. Black, Graduate School, were honorary pall bearers at the funeral.

The Late Elihu Thomson

Men To Be Pledged at Midnight

Scabbard and Blade Nephews Will Receive Fraternal Elbow

At Midnight

Midnight pledging of new members to the local chapter of Scabbard and Blade, honorary military fraternity, will be the feature of the annual military ball to be held Friday night from 10 to 2 in Walker.

For the first time, the Institute chapter, G company 6th regiment, and the B. U. chapter, K company, 6th regiment, are uniting in their pledge drives. A B. C. ball will be chosen to serve as honorary colonel and presiding judge prior to the new men.

The dance is a semi-closed affair, either uniform or formal dress is required.

Chees Champion Wins All Matches But One

Thirty Simultaneous Matches Played by Adams, 23

Weaver W. Adams, '23, former cheeSEM champion of New England, is the author of a recent booklet entitled "With Toes and Wife," written while on some thirty boards simultaneously. A notable one was the Eastern League and won on all but one.

The one loss, to Alfred J. Green, '20, was an easy one, made through an oversight. As Adams continued to roll his boards, Green started another game, but this time Adams ran true to form and (Continued on Page 4)

T. C. A. Officers Installed at Dinner

The new officers and members of the T. C. A. formerly installed the dinner held in the Walker Alumni lounge last night. After a speech by the president, in which he expressed the activities of each section during the past year, (Continued on Page 7)

T. C. A. Dinner

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Senator Thomas To Oppose Dodge In Forum Debate

Supreme Court Will Be Subject At Meeting Thursday

In Room 10-250

The Honorable Robert G. Dodge, former president of the Student Alumni Association, will speak in opposition to Senator E. B. Thomas of Utah at the next meeting of the Tech Union, John Wallace, president of Tech Union, announced yesterday. The discussion will be held in 10-250, at P.M., Thursday, March 18.

The question will discuss President Roosevelt's constitutional Policy in general and his court proposal in particular. After Senator Thomas and Mr. Dodge have spoken, the meeting will be given up to general discussion.

Mr. Dodge is nationally known in legal circles as an attorney. Often asked by the Tech Union to speak at the forthcoming meeting, he replied that he would "negotiate his duty as quickly as he can if he's called on.

Senator Thomas was asked to address the meeting by Professor General James A. Farley, in response to a request of the Tech Union that he speak at the meeting himself or send someone whom he thought qualified to speak.

Because of the general concern over the meeting and the widespread publicity already opened to the public, the first few rows of seats, however, will be reserved for Tech Union members.

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Tech, T. E. N., Voo Doo Will Present Unique Deal in Part of Ceremony

Mr. A. N. Murray of the Murray Machine Company will be the guest speaker at the Gridiron banquet, tomorrow evening at 8:30 P.M. in the Parnassus Union Room of Walker Memorial. At this time, Gridiron will include men chosen from the doctors in the Gridiron on the publication.

"Prestige Prestige" is the topic chosen by Murray for his speech. Wednesday, President Frederick C. Fre- sen and Mr. Fisch of the Nautical and Aviation on Publications are expected to attend.

For purposes of initiation, the groups of Sophomores from each of the three publications, Voo Doo, T. E. N., and The Tech, will present skits of short duration. Technical matters will be in no condition to carry weight at this time, for the reason that this publication does not require新陈代谢 until this time.

Phi Gamma Delta In Quarantined For Week

Sufferer from at the Phi Gamma Delta fraternity early last Saturday morning, when William H. Chase, former student of his fraternity, was contracted the disease at S. M. Hospital. Professor Thomson, presently assigned to that fraternity, is available on the premises.

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ELIHU THOMSON

Pioneer
WITH the death of Elihu Thomson, the world lost a noted scientist and inventor. His inventions, patented or not, have resulted in the development of many things that we use today. The field of electrical science would be very different without the work of Elihu Thomson.

The death of Thomson is great news to many people, but it is also a reminder of the great work that he did. His inventions have had a huge impact on our lives, and his contributions to science will be remembered for generations to come.

In the end, Thomson's legacy is a testament to the power of invention and innovation. His work has helped to shape the world we live in, and his contribution to science will be remembered for many years to come.

REVIEWS AND PREVIEWS

**METROPOLITAN** — Nancy Stahl is missing with Victor McGraw, Walter Connolly, Peter Lorre and Jane Lang in the leading roles, but it is a credit to the director and the cast that the show stands above the usual outing. Director: John Barry. "The Key" and "The Keyhole" are the most luscious of all the musical numbers. The key-rocker, a man whose genius penetrated into many fields, was not a mere recital of his accomplishments. Professor Thomson, a man whose genius penetrated into many fields, was not a mere recital of his accomplishments. Professor Thomson, a man whose genius penetrated into many fields, was not a mere recital of his accomplishments. Professor Thomson, a man whose genius penetrated into many fields, was not a mere recital of his accomplishments. Professor Thomson, a man whose genius penetrated into many fields, was not a mere recital of his accomplishments.

The field of science today is so huge in scope that a mere recital of his accomplishments would be impossible. How profoundly the field of science and technology has advanced under the influence of the work of Elihu Thomson.
**SPORTS**

**Applications for Tech Star**

Guerke, Tech Star Nipped At Tape In C.4-A 2 Mile

Kites Finishes in Nine-Way Tie; Hamilton Ties With Seven

Smith of Rutgers Wins Decision As He Fights Shoulder to Shoulder

Barely caught at the tape by Phil-

**OTHER SPORTS**

Dodge Saves Swimmers From Total Blanking

Riflemen Get Setback In New London Shoot

Defeated by Crimson Foilmen in Ninth Engagement

Team Receives Fifth Set-Back As Swordsmen Falter in Pins

Showing a definite lack of vitality, the Crimson's veteran record was overcome by Harvard last Saturday afternoon in the 165 pound class. The Crimson's George Carn-...
Thorne-Loomis European Travel Plans Ready; All Students Eligible

Informal Snapshots Wanted For Yearbook Publication

Informals for the Technique are needed and anyone having pictures to submit is asked to get them in this week. The deadline is Friday, March 19. Negatives are preferred and they will all be returned next week. Prints will be accepted only if they are size 5 x 7 and on glossy paper. They can not be returned. The pictures or negatives are to be placed in the box provided for the purpose in the infirrmion office, room 10-156. Hand as many pictures as possible.

Technique

Inforrrmary List

Brooks Hospital
Crossan, Richard M., '40
Haynes Memorial
Taylor, William E., Jr., '40

Rub Keeler says:

"Luckies are a light smoke that treat a tender throat right"

An independent survey was made recently among professional men and women—lawyers, doctors, lecturers, scientists, etc. Of those who said they smoke cigarettes, more than 87% stated they personally prefer a light smoke.

Dr. Ruby Keeler verifies the wisdom of this preference, and so do other leading artists of the radio, stage, screen and opera. Their voices are their fortunes. That's why so many of them smoke Luckies. You, too, can have the throat protection of Luckies—a light smoke, free of certain harsh irritants removed by the exclusive process "It's Toasted." Luckies are gentle on the throat.

A Light Smoke

"It's Toasted" Your Throat Protection AGAINST IRRITATION—AGAINST COUGH

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The Leader At Technology . . .

in Variety of Sandwiches Served

WALKER MEMORIAL DINING HALLS

The finest tobaccos—The cream of the crop

In a way, it's easier to keep in condition as a dancer than as a singer. Exercise can keep the muscles in shape, but there are a lot of things that can go wrong with the voice and throat. It stands to reason, then, that any actress wants a cigarette that is gentle and strikes the right note with her throat. I started smoking Luckies 4 years ago. They're a light smoke that treat a tender throat right!"

Ruby Keeler

LOVELY WARNER BROS. STAR

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In All Three Libraries

Tuesday, March 16, 1937
Dormitory Students Outrank Average Decreases Slightly From Last Year's

Phi Mu Delta Leads List of Fraternities; Eight Houses Top All; Undergraduate's Average Rating

The dormitory students once again took highest in scholastic standing from the fraternity men, according to latest averages released from the dean's office. The general average of men last year dropped to 3.00 while the dormitory average dropped to 3.01, a total difference of .12 between the two groups.

The general average of all undergraduates of 3.18 as usual was higher than the fraternity average but more than .10 lower than the year ago with all classes.

Phi Mu Delta lead the 24 other fraternities with a rating of 3.33, jump- ing from fourth position last year. Theta Delta Chi, Phi Kappa Sigma, Delta Tau Delta, and Phi Gamma Delta followed in order to gain the charmed "first five" circle. The dormitory freshman lead the fraternity Freshmen by .04 and general average of all freshmen by .06. The general average for fraternities freshman dropped .06 last but Kappa Sigma standings showed a gain of .40 to lead the other fraternities. Incidentally, this fraternity showed the biggest gain in general average jumping from eighteenth to third position.

Of the 24 fraternities on the campus, Delta Chi was the only group to show an increase over last year's average, the general fraternity average stood .07 below all-fraternity rating.

Phi Mu Delta lead the fraternities in the comparative five year rating for the third successive year. Chi Rho repeated last years record by frater-

Phi Mu Delta

Terry F. Longstreet, '37, in charge of Phi Mu Delta, said that the fraternity's high rating was due to the application of the "devil's advocate" principle in their schoolwork. By dividing the attention of the members between interest and, if possible, "radical" ideas, honest and sincere methods of teachinginspired these men.

They are the teachers that students remember in the post-graduate years. It is their influence that remains in students minds after graduation.

There are many other faculty members who leave a real impression upon their students' memories. Many of these instructors are interesting and effective in their presentation of the subject matter. But there are few, if any, who are able to reorganize and improve the twenty-year-old lecture outline, which keeps boring lists of facts which are not relevant to the human being, and who have very little influence upon the "students."

Discussion and comment than, in the flux between student and faculty in the "getting of education," stimulates thought, encourages the natural outpouring of ideas. It brings to mind the principle that suitable arguments are not sufficient to the subject in discussion, recalls old readings. We recommend that discussion and comment upon recent events be faculty members who are not afraid to venture into controversial fields. The students are influenced by the professor's notes.—Wisconsin Daily Cardinal.

COMPARATIVE SCHOLASTIC STANDINGS OF FRATERNITY AND DORMITORY UNDERGRADUATE GROUPS AT M.I.T.

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HARRY SCHEIN, Representa.

SWEET AS HONEY

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The dinner, held in the Students or faculty member's room will be held.

Dr. Newton Farrar of Cambridge will be introduced to members of the Commoner's Club in the 5-35 Room by former President Leonard Cham-

ber where a ball session will be held. At 7:15, after having supper in the Silver Room with a small group consisting mainly of dormitory and grad-

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Underground Notice

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seller "The Return to Religion." Students or faculty members who

wish to reinforce the knowledge

which they have obtained from

Dr. Link's address in 10-250 to-
day may purchase this book at

cost price $1.45.

No other resort in the world re-

ceived the unique honor that was

ascribed to Professor Thomson, the award of the three most notable scientific medals of Great Britain. In 1914 he received the Hughes medal of the Royal

Society. In 1924 the Salvin medal, given by all the technological engineering bodies of England, and in 1927 the Parody medal, presented by the Institute of Electrical Engineers in

England. In 1910 he was honored as the first recipient of the Edison med-

al, given by the American Institute of Electrical Engineers. In 1916 he received the John Fritz medal, be-

stowed jointly by the American Insti-

tute of Electrical Engineers, the American Institute of Mining and Metallurgical Engineers. He was awarded the Grand Prix at the Paris Expositions of 1880 and 1890, and was made a char
cer and officer of the Legion d' Honneur by the French government.

Chess

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was the annual intercollegiate chess meet sponsored by the M. I. T. Chess Club. At a short business meeting before the match started, Adams was voted an honorary member of the club. Adams was a member of the Technol-
yogy chess team from 1919 to 1923. He was New England chess cham-

pion in 1924, Massachusetts champion in 1921, and the National chess champion in 1925. He has played top board in the Metropolitan Chess League without losing a game.

Elections

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out of the running, the ballots are
credited to the third choice among

the men left in the competition.

Majority Found by Preferences

By this means the competition is
divided into two, the one having the largest

number of votes is chosen while the second

is eliminated. When two men are

elected to an office such as the Insti-
tute's president, as he always

invites his preferences in order, so

that makes smoking a greatpleasure.

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