CALENDAR

Tuesday, February 9
6:30—Society of Automotive Engineer Dinner, Grill Room.
8:00—Varsity hockey with E. U. at Boston Arena.
8:05—Baptist church student group dinner—8:15 room.

Wednesday, February 10
6:30—Graduate House Dinner, North Hall.
6:30—Sub Master Club, Silver Room.
7:00—Sponsorship Group, Fishyam Room.

Electrical Engineers
To Sponsor Colloquium

First Meeting Of Five Comes
On March Fifteenth

The Department of Electrical Engineering has announced for the second term a series of five engineering colloquia on the application of the fundamental sciences such as mathematics and physics to the solution of particular engineering problems. These discussions, each of which will be led by a well-known industrial engineer, are presented through the cooperation of the electrical department with the various manufacturing and operating companies in the electrical field. They are open to all seniors, graduates and junior honor students.

The first of the colloquia, all of which are to be given from 2 to 4 p.m. in room 10-250, will be presented on March 15 and 16. They will then continue at intervals of one or two weeks until the end of April.

Symposium
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Albert Sauveur, Professor Emeritus of Chemistry at Harvard University, were the principal speakers. After the technical discussions on Saturday morning, members of the symposium visited several research projects now in progress at the Institute.

Meteorology
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temperature may be expected. The best of the accuracy of such a prediction is far more exacting than that by which the correctness of work done by government bureaus is measured. These stations forecast average conditions over a period of time. Thus, the weather bureau may predict rain for Thursday evening. If it rains most of the night, the forecast has been correct. The Technology department, on the other hand, must say that when observers at, for example, the government station at New Orleans go to collect their 8 P.M. data, they will find it raining with a certain density. If by chance the rain stops for a short period just at 8 o'clock and then continues again, our department by the rigorous standards it sets for itself, has been incorrect in its prediction of rain. For this reason Dr. Rossby declined to compare the accuracy of Technology work with that done by the United States Weather Bureau. A conclusive proof of the grade of work done at the Institute is that Harvard Observatory relies upon M. L. T. for all its meteorological data.

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describes the industrial uses of the diamond, the hardest known substance. Exhibiting its uses in cutting steel, carbide, diamonds and other materials, Mr. Waldsten shows the gem's usefulness of drawing out tips to one-half the thickness of the human hair.

In another article by Professor John B. Wilbur of the Department of Civil Engineering, the scope of Civil Engineering is described. The functions of the civil engineer in construction, transportation, sanitation and power development—activities necessary for the development and existence of a city—are indicated.

Includes Students' Articles

Two articles by undergraduate students are included in the issue of the T. E. N. One, a general review of all Control by Indicators, is by Norman L. Laidlaw, '43. The other is the story of the College X-Ray Tube, and was written by Billard B. Hodgson, Jr., of the class of '38, who died on January 24 from a streptococcus infection.

As usual the T. E. N. includes a digest of some of the latest engineering advances notably in the development of a desert apparatus, of a modified pellet mill, and of man-made lighting. It also describes a transparent woman made of celluloid, a material as hard as horn and more transparent than glass, and showing anatomical features complete down to the most minute nerves and blood vessels of the female of the human species. The pictures of the model furnish the cover design for the issue.

Dorm Dance
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the Dormitory Committee will also give a short address. After the dinner, coffee will be served in the Trophy Room, where guests will have an opportunity to meet informally. The entire building will be given over for the pleasure of the guests, and Open House will be held in the Dormitories from five until midnight.

The guests will include: President Ford, Mr. and Mrs. Francis, President and Mrs. Jack, Professor and Mrs. Rogers, and Professor and Mrs. Hammond.

The committee consists of Ralph B. Chapin, '37, chairman; Lloyd E. Evings, '37, orchestra, P. L. Current, '37; dinner, R. J. Vandersand, '37; publicity, M. E. Rendall, '37; decorations, R. R. Goldsmith, '37; tickets, E. A. Mandrells, Graduate House Representative; B. W. Mehren, '37, usher and, Gilberts Mot, '37, is number of officials.

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