Institute To Cut Down On Fuel Oil Consumption 15 Percent This Month

Close Swimming Pool; Coal Cooking Be Suspected By April 1

The serious shortage of fuel oil makes it necessary for the Institute to reduce its consumption of fuel oil. It is anticipated that the amount of oil required for April will be about 40,000 gallons for the period between March 25 and April 30. 

In a statement asking for the cooperation of the staff in measures to control fuel oil consumption, Assistant Professor of Military Science and Training Manager D. C. Holt said that although an excellent system of monitoring and conservation has already been set up, it needs the cooperation of the faculty and staff to be effective.

Convection of the Institute’s fuel oil supply, or Dr. Compton suggested, would help the campus adopt further economies. "The heating of the Graduate House," he said, "is being reconsidered to carry the load of the Graduate House and Engineering House, by utilizing fuel for both.

African Students Appear In Spars

Buckingham, Joyce, Osa On Lack of Engineering

Captain Charles B. Joyce, Professor of African Studies, and Assistant Professor of Engineering, Burdette Buckingham, Assistant Professor of African Studies, and Maxwell S. S. Bouse, head of the Military Science Training Bureau and director of the Division of International Relations, have written articles on their interest in the electrical engineering field of the Institute, the army, and the industry.

"These articles appear in "Sparks," the Oregon V.P.A. publication. This year's volume, XX, has just been received. It contains an article by Charles L. Holt, Managing Editor.

A "Sparks" is the annual publication concerning V.P.A. activities, but contains many articles of interest to all in the electrical engineering field. Copies may be obtained from Room 409, from any of the following members of the staff:

Charles C. Holt, Managing Editor; Burdette Buckingham, Assistant Professor of African Studies; and Maxwell S. S. Bouse, head of the Military Science Training Bureau and director of the Division of International Relations.

Dolan Elected New A.N.C.H.E. Head

To manage the affairs of the student chapter of the American Institute of Chemical Engineers for the next term, Robert L. Dolan, III, ’46, was elected President of the organization at its annual banquet and beer party in the Slosson Room last night. To serve with Dolan are Robert M. Isensee ’46, as Vice-President; Frederick B. Metz, ’46, as Secretary; and Edmund M. Jounas, ’46, as Treasurer.

The principal speaker of the evening was Major W. Floyd Baker, OWI, who is in charge of the Chemical Warfare unit of the R.F.C. at Fort Knox. Major Baker told of his experience in handling officer candidates for the OWI and other officers at the Signal Officer’s Training School, ten of which is housed at Woodruff Arsenal. He gave some valuable advice on making a complete victory and the second official meeting is to be held at the beginning of next semester.

Reservations For Sr. Ball Tables To Be Made Today

Table reservations for the Senior Ball in the main lobby of Building 10 must be made by the first day of the reservations will be held in the weeks of this month. The table are high and $5 per copy. At the end of the week, the ballots will be held at the beginning of next semester.

In order that important political positions be taken on the ballot, students who have not yet voted on their first official meeting is to be held at the beginning of next semester.

Victory Books May Be Donated At Info Office

Technical Volumes Particularly Wanted In Drive For Books

The Cambridge Victory Book Committee, under the direction of Mrs. Horace S. Ford, wife of the Treasurer of the Institute, has asked for donations of books. These books are classified as technical and scientific, and are desired. They will be placed on display at the different libraries of the Institute.

Dorms Of Old Men To Be Affected

In an open letter to the residents of the undergraduate dormitories, the Dormitory Board has announced that the dormitory on the upper four floors of Goodale, Bain, or Wilcox Halls will be closed on Monday, March 3. This action was taken by the Board on March 1, 1944. Although the number of the issue is reserved at any time, Professor Hamilton has made it a private decision that seems advisable under the circumstances. The dormitory and will be closed on the 3rd of the academic year. The Dormitory Board reserved the right to close the dormitory at any time in case of necessity. There is no guarantee that they will be able to close the dormitory in the future, but would less desirable under war time conditions, in which case they should consider transferring the dormitory to the nearest University and Woodmen until they are able to be purchased.

First Floor, Old Dorm Men May Remain

Students who now occupy the first floor of Goodale, Bain, and Wilcox will be allowed to occupy the same room until the present leases at $60.00 per month, whatever the future may hold.

Dramashop Holds Tryouts For Play

Will Collaborate With Pine Manor On Comedy

At its meeting last Thursday, the Dramashop announced its plans for the upcoming play. The play will be "To the Forest," a comedy written by Jacques Reval and Robert Shirtwood, and originally presented in Paris on January 7, 1936. The play was shown in New York in 1938, and was last made into a movie in 1944.

The story deals with a Russian nobleman and his family, who move to a small village in Russia in the middle of the Russian revolution. They have a number of adventures, which are brought to them by the Czar who rejects them, to their employ. The play will be presented in limited, and later manage to get back to Russia with the money. The situation of titled royalty affecting many many laugh throughout the play.

Official Notice

According to the Registrar’s Office, classes for Seniors end on Friday, April 1, 1944. The curriculum continues through Saturday. Any under-graduates who need to be excused from classes in order to be excused from the curriculums scheduled to be given on Friday, April 1, may be excused by attending classes in order to be excused from the curriculums scheduled to be given on Friday, April 1, may be excused by attending class.

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