Dissatisfaction at Walker

The freshman class doesn't like contract feeding in the current Military Training Plan at Walker. Although the results of the poll being taken by the student senate are not yet in, it does not expect a public opinion report to attest that widespread dissatisfaction exists among those men who must take their meals in the Walker Hall.

Making contract feeding a requirement for freshmen living in East Campus is an Administration prerogative; but as we said last spring, the spirit and philosophy of our Military Training Plan was proposed by the Scientific Manpower Advisory Committee. This plan, endorsed by all the leading engineering societies, was intended to maintain an adequate flow of men into technical training.

Trade-off

It is in view of their shortage—Why not make proper use of them? If you stop to consider the number of engineers lacking at present and the decrease in output of new engineers, in addition to their growing demand due to increased technical growth and improved industrial and transportation facilities, I am sure you will agree that this situation is not unjustified.

The large number of job offers per graduate and the high starting salaries offer one of the best arguments in the aim of the graduating classes continue, as is expected, until 1954.

The effect of the heavy influx of veterans into engineering schools has already affected the profession to the point that Mr. Greenewalt believes that in the industrial field and government research programs, I am sure you will agree that this is the most powerful incentive in a free country.