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THE INSTITOOTER

The Institutor Attends A Sneak Preview

A rumor has been spread that there is going to be a sneak preview of a new movie tonight, so here I am, your Institutor, proceeding toward the theater. Why don't you join me! The movie is called, "Two Years at B. S. T. I.," and it has a host of young stars in it.

I see we're just in time, for the picture is about to begin. The scene opens in September of 1951, and the setting appears to be a college. The campus however is not the spacious, picturesque kind, and the building is quite plain, but that hasn't clouded the bright eager faces entering the front door. Some of these faces look quite familiar and one even looks like me. The cheerful attitude soon turns to one gloom as books are stacked high and a bit unsteady in reluctant arms. As time progresses, the costumes become quite unique. There are trim white uniforms on the girls, durable overhauls on the boys, and the oddest looking outfits are worn by student, who persist on gazing into strange

glass vials called test tubes. The days drift into months and we find the dental girls converging on their first victim while the food students are busily preparing their initial menus.

Swiftly the events of the year race by and now the same group is returning as seasoned veterans for their last campaign. This year the work seems to get harder and harder, as the parties and dances become increasingly more frequent. As the smoke clears from the organic laboratory, we find an atmosphere of excitement and apprehension prevails. Everybody senses the big climax is close at hand. At last here is the grand finale, August 5, graduation day and the cast is on stage to take a bow. This has certainly been a strange movie, for each and every player has been a star in his own right. Even the parents in the audience have played a vital role in the production. The players although they are relieved that the ordeal is finished, seem a trifle sad to see it end. As the curtain rings down on this unforgettable picture, we feel that it deserves a nomination for the lifetime academy award.

Senior Class Farewell

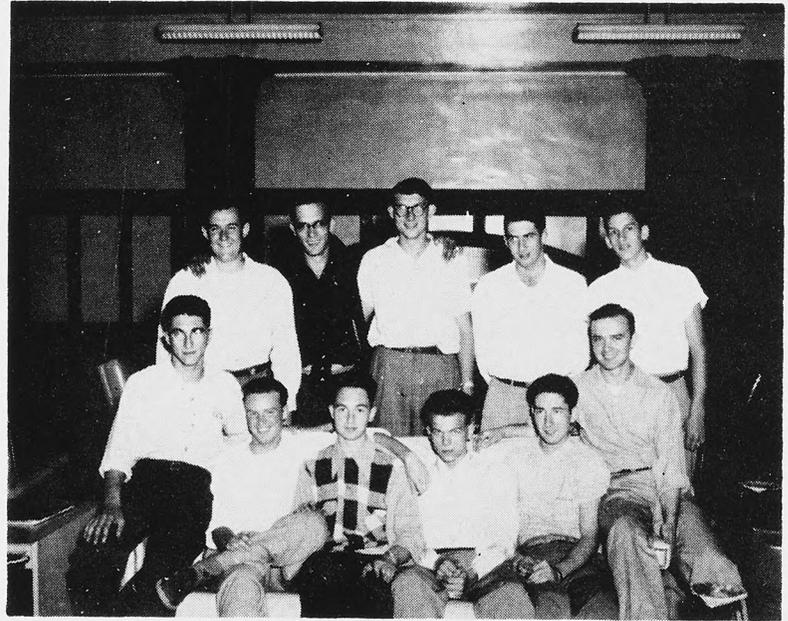
Just a few more days and the long grind will be over. It only seems like yesterday when we first set foot in B. S. T. I. Much knowledge and information has been cramed into our craniums during this period, and we hope advantage of this will be taken, to help us on the road to success.

Many things have been accomplished between our initial meeting at the get acquainted picnic at Ellicott Creek Park and these final days at school. We have studied, written countless reports, worked numerous problems and participated in several extra curricular activities.

Through the efforts and cooperation of the faculty we have been able to accomplish these tasks in the short space of two years.

On behalf of the Senior Class, we the Senior Class Officers wish to express our thanks and appreciation to Mr. Dry, Mr. Spring and all the faculty in teaching and guiding us, so we may live up to our motto, "Let Each Become All He Is Capable Of Being."

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Faculty Activity

The faculty of B. S. T. I. are a busy lot on campus as well as off campus. The following is a run-down of recent faculty activity, academically and otherwise.

The University of Buffalo conferred the degree of Doctor of Education on Mr. Norvin T. Whitmore, the degree of Master of Education on Mr. Howard T. Bassett, and the degree of Bachelor of Education on Mr. James J. Farino at their June, 1953 commencement.

The following faculty members are attending the University of Buffalo summer session to further their education in their respective fields; Miss Dorothy C. Heffron, Mr. Ernest Notar, Mr. George A. Ranney, Mr. Karl E. Righter, Mr. Laurence E. Spring, and Mrs. Mildred Z. Wates.

Mr. Paul F. Goliber has been very busy passing out cigars and candy. He is the very proud father of a baby girl named Nancy. Mother is doing fine.

Mr. R. Warren Marsh recently returned from an annual convention of the American Society of Engineering Education held at Gainesville, Florida. Mr. Marsh is chairman of the completion credentials committee of the Technical Institute division. This year that division presented a resolution to the general council of the A. S. E. E. where it was favorably acted upon. The main part of the resolution had to do with the title Engineering Technician, now officially adopted by the A. S. E. E. as the title for technical institute graduates. The society also urges that all institutes adopt the Associate Degree as the official degree.