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Who's Who Among High-Lights Christmas Convocation

The Lowell State Teachers College, in cooperation with the American Textile Manufacturers Institute, presented the first of five Christmas Convocations on Thursday, December 19, 1957, at the Lowell Tech Convocation Hall. The event was sponsored by the Textile Industry Educational Fund and was attended by a large number of high school teachers and students.

First-timers at the Convocation included students from the following schools:

- Lowell High School
- Dracut High School
- Chelmsford High School
- Groton-Dunstable High School
- Tyngsboro High School
- Lunenburg High School
- Leominster High School
- Fitchburg High School
- Nashua High School
- Tewksbury High School
- Andover High School
- Lawrence High School
- North Andover High School
- Methuen High School
- Auburn High School
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EDITORIAL

STOPTAKE A BETTER LOOK

Innumerable times during our four years at Lowell Tech, we'll stand on the library steps and marvel at the campus, perhaps with a sigh and mutterings "Halls of Ivy!" How often we do grumble: "Oh, I wish I had gone to some other college, or even overseas, over again, you could bet your bottom dollar I wouldn't be here now!"

We are continually bringing down our institute's building its facilities and our own the campus from the face of the earth due to the many improvements and developments in the general group hence the feeling that we do not contrib- ute to the is the natural, but considering the limitations which a technical school has on expanding and improving its facilities.

In some respects I.T.I. may be inferior to the larger and more metropolitan schools, but there are some advantages in our being small. The candidates selected for these schools are exceptionally gifted and outstanding students and in their college careers there is a lower number of students and consequently a more intimate relationship between the students and faculty.

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Some aspects of I.T.I. cannot be discerned as being exclusive. However, it does do for one person who sincerely desires an education, and who has an aptitude for the techni- cal fields. There is the opportunity to obtain this end. This is exemplified by the students who were scholarship receivers in their college careers. They are well-equipped in the department of "Brilliant Scholars".

Above and beyond this we are and have been constantly expanding since the days when the Lowell Textile School was founded. With the realization and utilization of the present plans our accommodations and facilities will be the best to match those of any major university in the United States.

So, the next time you start touring along the dormitory marquees and admiring the buildings, just stop. Take A Better Look. Things always seem better elsewhere, but a mere glance at our roster of graduates who have been so successful in their careers will confirm you that it was in Lowell Tech that they were de- veloped.

RECOGNITION

It may be a matter of being at the top of your class to win Lowell Tech's Silver Cup and to be recognized by the Student Council. This is a great honor and privilege to represent your school and to have the opportunity to be a part of this great college. Let's not forget to get out of college and to the best.

In the Fall of 1918, the Silver Cup was presented to L.C. Putnam, and the small award of $100 today's price. When registered at the college, he was a member of the Freshman Class. It is truly an honor and privilege to be a part of this great college.

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An appeal to the Freshman Class of 1918: Keep up the good work. Let us not forget to get out of college and be a part of this great college.

LD. Prentice

Letter To The Editor

FELLOW STUDENTS:

A few of those people who do not read the newsletter each week may be living in the dark. Perhaps I should add, "blissfully," or "deliriously," or one of the other words to which I am now and then tempted to add.

Those who still desire to block other cars from leaving the parking lot (and not the method was proposed by the Student Council), an authorization was granted by the Student Council.

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Greetings

The Hindu “Diwali” Celebration
by Carl Freeman

Have you ever wondered how the Hindu natives of India celebrate their festival of light? The answer to that question is simple: they light lamps. “Diwali,” also known as “Festival of Lights,” is one of the oldest and most celebrated festivals in India. It is a time when people decorate their homes and temples with lights and candles to welcome the goddess of prosperity, Lakshmi. The festival is celebrated for five days, from New Moon to Full Moon, and is a time of joy and community. People exchange sweets and gifts, light candles and firecrackers, and participate in traditional customs and rituals. The festival is also a time to reflect on the virtues of charity, generosity, and selflessness. It is a time to forget grievances and forgive, and to promote peace and harmony. During the festival, people visit temples, offer prayers, and take part in festivals and cultural events. The festival of “Diwali” not only celebrates the victory of light over darkness, but also represents the victory of good over evil, knowledge over ignorance, and truth over falsehood. It is a time to reconnect with family and friends, and to enjoy the festive season with joy and happiness.

Catholicism and Christmas
by Neal Cunningham

During the weeks which immediately precede Christmas, the Roman Catholic Church celebrates the liturgical season of Advent. Advent is a period of expectant waiting, a time when the Church anticipates the coming of Christ. This season is traditionally characterized by a period of penitence and preparation, as the faithful prepare their hearts for the celebration of the Christmas season. Advent is a time of spiritual reflection, a time when the Church invites the faithful to examine their own lives and to consider their relationship with God. The Church encourages the faithful to meditate on the mysteries of the Incarnation, to contemplate the events of the Incarnation, and to reflect on the meaning of Christmas.

Mohammedanism
by J. H. Horace

There is no God, Allah, who has created all things. Allah is the Most High, the Most Merciful, the Most Sublime. All creatures are created by Allah, and all things are subject to His will. Allah is the Master of all things, and all things are subject to His power. Allah is the Creator of the heavens and the earth, and all things are subject to His wisdom. Allah is the Lord of all things, and all things are subject to His sovereignty. Allah is the Guide of all things, and all things are subject to His guidance. Allah is the Source of all things, and all things are subject to His foundation. Allah is the Maker of all things, and all things are subject to His creation.
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LOWELL TO BOSTON AND THE MIDDLESEX
by Tom Wiggles

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SPORTSMALL

ATHLETIC SUPPORTERS

Come out, come out, wherever you are. Basketball season is here, and, again, the bells are ringing. "We need you! We need you!"

Among us, walking the same halls and attending the same classes here at LTJ, are a number of young men who play ball now and then. They form a group with functions under the title of "Varsity Basketball Team". In my estimation, and limited by the strength of the words which can be used in this sort, they are a good darned terrific bunch of boys who will be out on the courts doing their best to bring that evasive glimmer of victory back to Lowell Tech.

Those of you who have had the good fortune of watching last season's schedule through a tough schedule to pile up more victories than defeat, you will agree that it has been a fine time. As I write this, I can vouch safe the fact that a Lowell Tech basketball goady has quite an effective plan to use a quiet reception, win or lose. Now I predict that this year will see our boys going on to even greater victories than the number in the past.

Off In the Orange, the rest of the season is held within easy driving distance. You can imagine how the opposing teams feel while playing on our home court with all your voices ringing, heady, and generally giving them the run. The same goes on at other colleges and without a doubt there is not a better place to be.

Do you feel a sort of glowing inner pride, a "we-can-whip-em-all" feeling when you see a coach and represent your team and do a good job? Heck, I do, and I bet you do too. There is no greater way to be a part of the thrilling victory —and this year there will be many—first hand, cheering the team on. And the next time you say to your friends, "Boy, that was a great game last night. You should have been —" and you should have!

There are the students, and there is the faculty. No matter what others say, but over the two groups they share one bond which cannot be denied. Both attend Lowell Tech, usually in institute, in one capacity or the other. And if they spend a good part of their hours breathing undoubtedly there lies within each individual some degree of loyalty to Tech, for it has done so much for so many of you. It appears that the bond is mutual and essential for the continued presence of Tech in the area. The story can be repeated in the same fashion for many other towns. The story can never be told, for the unique bond of Tech will always be there.

The story can be written off in a few words. I get a ticket at the subscription table which entitles me to each contest free of charge —so do you. I know where my school is here at LTJ —so do you. I want to watch Lowell Tech, rack up another great season —do you too?

Students who are interested in weight-lifting are requested to contact

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ALLSTON, MASSACHUSETTS

TERRIERS Undefeated At Home

BRUNE, GLANZT LEAD SCORING

The first game was a perfect demonstration of opening game blunders. By this we mean true baskets Duffered off the backcourt, and inbound throws were blown. The fact brackets were played by both teams. The evening was sure, however, to watch the game of Carl Brune whose immense height towering over the💫

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PH Lamba Phi

Another weekend, another ball! One that was named after the 1951 ball, ‘Carnegie.’ This ball which is scheduled for November 12, will be held at the hotel. This ball, which is being sponsored by the student body, is a Great Gatsby affair. The theme is the ‘20s and the decorations will be very much in the style of that era. The dress for men is a tuxedo and the dress code for women is a long dress with a veil. The ball will be held at the Atlantic Hotel and the proceeds will go to the Student Body. Tickets are available at the Student Union and at the door. The cost is $10 per person. The event is open to all students.

Delta Kappa Phi

Once again, on December 14, the student body will hold a Christmas party for the balls. The party will be held in the Student Union and will feature a dance, music, and a fashion show. The doors will open at 7:00 PM and the program will start at 8:00 PM. All students are welcome to attend. The event is being sponsored by the Student Body and the proceeds will go to the Student Union Fund. The cost is $5 per person. The event is open to all students.

Christmas Greeting

Merry Christmas to all! May all the joys of this Holiday Season be yours!

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12. Scholarships Acknowledged!

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13. Scholarship Recipients

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- Student A
- Student B
- Student C
- Student D
- Student E

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