Construction To Begin On New Building

EXTRACTION TO START ON NOV. 15
To Be Located In Front of P. L. and L.
L. T. L., October 29—On October 25, the Trustees of Lowell Institute awarded the contract for the construction of the new administration building and library of the Lowell Institute of Boston. Excavation is scheduled to start on November 15. The building will be on an exact 10 by 50 foot foundation, 8 feet below the present street level, and will cost approximately $650,000 for the project.

Kendrick Attends Testing Gathering

L. T., Oct. 28—On October 28, the L.I.T. committee on the AIM committee for the testing of materials held their second meeting of the year at the Packard Hotel in Lowell, Mass. Approximately 20 people were present, most of whom were technical representatives of various establishments where Textile Testing was being conducted.

The American Society for Testing Materials is a voluntary organization that promotes the development of standards and procedures for materials. The committee is responsible for conducting tests and setting up specifications for the materials.

Fellowships Offered To Seniors And Graduates

The Danforth Foundation of St. Louis, Missouri, has announced a new fellowship program. The Danforth Foundation offers students and graduates full-time fellowships for college seniors and graduates who are preparing themselves for a career in higher education, teaching, and are planning to enter graduate school in the field of education. The fellowships are available for study in the fields of English, History, and Modern Languages. For more information, please contact the Danforth Foundation at 2500 Grand Boulevard, St. Louis, Missouri 63103.
**EDITORIAL**

**Take It From Here**

Textile is going places. The administration of Kenneth Fox knows that fact, and there is every indication that the extensive expansion program that was planned. The administration of Martin J. Levy’s philosophy was most evident in 1950. The students of Lowell Textile Institute, have just begun to realize it. Now is the time for them, to start the long New England tradition.

Yes, Textile is on its way to becoming one of the leading colleges in New England. Everything in the way of administrative policy politics to this fact. Increased facilities, greater enrollment, expansion of curriculums, revision of the requirements for degrees, and building, building, building, are all in the background of this trend. That is doing its part now it is up to us, the students, to take it from here and keep the ball rolling.

We are the only ones who can transform L. T. I. from the best technical school of its type into one of the leading colleges in the area. What makes a school famous? It’s department and faculty. Certain ones have never had a competitive prestige. They were just there. But what makes a college recognized as one of the best? In the case of Textile the All-Tex formal, Upstate Day, Textile Players shows, fraternity formal weekends, and the like. But this is where it stops. Here.

There are many more to add to the list before we can rank with “proper colleges.” But of all we need is a son, an alma mater, which will mean TEXTILE. Next issue we revise to some of our old traditions. We once had the All-Tex banquet. Let’s get it back. We once had Freshman hazing, the wearing of beanie, Freshman rallies, Fresh-Soph Field Day. Let’s get it back. We never had a winter carnival. We have more than enough snow. Let’s get one organized. We have never had a competitive race, let’s get the pennant underway. Read page one of this issue of THE TEXT. We are going to have another building on campus in about a year. Read closely and you will find the facilities that will be available for more formal weekends, for rallies before soccer games (and eventually football games) as well as for other large scale functions.

Let’s open our eyes. Let’s contact our representatives to the Student Council and others, who are representing us and our ideas. Tell them you want these things. Get a S. C. agenda. Get the ball rolling. We’re going places.

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**THE FLEET LINE**

**OF FINISHING EQUIPMENT**


Foot of South Street
Lowell, Massachusetts

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**COMMENTS**

**AMPULS**

**by Bud Leventhal**

Knowing it or not, every student at Textile with the exception of the seniors has more than his share of the "kicks" of his college life. Since 1949 the freshman, sophomore, and junior classes have been building up the Textile campus. Now, the Sophomore Year is here, and the junior class is the high-speed-competition between Sophomores and Freshmen. The Sophomores have been talking about their performance for months. They have been associated with pep rallies, and have attended most of the formal weekend class meetings. This is a release of the tension of every Sophomore, because he is trying to make up for some string. It presents an excellent opportunity to be indoctrinated with a college atmosphere, which should prevail at Textile.

The main reason the hazing of freshmen is so blood-stained is the operation between the administration and the student body. This, to the administration, is shocking. Hazing is a big thing to the student. It is the way he gets acquainted with his college and his classmates. The administration seems to be doing away with the hazing and it is a part of the tradition of the college. The administration must realize that the student body will not tolerate this kind of treatment. They are willing to take it but not the administration. The administration must realize that the student body will not tolerate this kind of treatment. They are willing to take it but not the administration.

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**THE TEXT MISTAKES**

**by Bob Mulcahy**

A recent publication by the United States Office of Education informs us that freshman enrollment in the nation is about 13 percent greater than it was last year. According toDr. Earl James, Superintendent of the United States Office of Education, the number of students enrolled between the fall of 1950 and the fall of 1951 this year was estimated at about 1,750,000. However, the Administration realizes that the potential student market is apparently determined by more than the number of students enrolled in the Fall. The rate of increase of the number of college students has not yet been announced.

Another factor which may contribute to an increase in enrollment is the competition near the A.F.R.C.O.T.C. campus, especially in the fall. All day students will still be enrolled in the SOCTC. This is a strong inducement to evading the draft long enough to continue your college studies.

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**THE TEXT**

**by Ed Bonacci**

As we all know, but year was a landmark, in the development of Textile. It was a time not only of the installation of new ideas and facilities, but also of the laying of the foundation for future developments. This is one of the most important years of change that will have to be made. The changes that are going to be made will have to be made with the approval of the students.

The result of this condition will be the increase of students, administration, and faculty. The separation of these two aspects is impossible. This separation is especially evident when the whole of the process of the writing of this issue will be based upon it. Not only the "gripes," but the "gripes" will be different as well.

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**The Fleet Line**

**by Bob Mulcahy**

Bobs, Bobbies, and Bob's brother, Bob's daughter, Bob's wife, and Bob's dog. The fleet line is a group of finishing equipment that is designed to carry the textile pipe. Those who do not understand its function might be asked to carry hoppers. Fresh Soph would be asked to call the "L" when giving an upper-command. Hazing runs properly, supported by the administration and faculty, the men of the fleet line. They are the ones who are responsible for promoting a feeling of fraternity among the whole student body. They will always make their appearance on the Textile campus next fall.
TEXTILE PLAYERS

ATTENTION EVERYONE! The Textile Players wish to call the aid of every member to help them secure the greatest talent search since Nectar "Cards! Who is the greatest talent you know?"

"I always would take a letter an chance that may be my last chance for use. I read your note in the school newspaper for what could be an opportunity. If you could give me some time, I will see your note of interest and return.

Dining Hall, November 20, 1952

Dear Sir,

The letter was signed by Mr. Morgan. If such a person exists, the Textile Players need your help to make our club something
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