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## Tomorrow - Indiana Central

Indiana Central, who blasted the Engineers 32-7 last year, invades Rose Field for the Dad's Day game tomorrow. They bring with them a 0-3 record, having lost to Hanover last week.

Central's offense, which is built around the Dan Nieson to Bill Mowry pass combination, is reportedly weaker than that of last year. Their defense, which held Rose to a lone TD last season, though, is improved and could cause the Engineers more trouble in getting their sputtering offensive machine in gear.

Rose's major line-up change will switch Fred Valanti from fullback to split end to replace Baugmardt with either John Kramer or Dan Peelman, two fine frosh, inheriting the fullback slot.

Coach Martin was quite pleased with the students' fine support of the squad against Lakeland and hopes it will be as good or better for tomorrow's important intra-state clash.

### RAIL FREIGHT TOP COMBACK STORY OF 60'S

The resurgence of railroad freight business is one of the top industrial comeback stories of the sixties. In 1966 the nation's rail lines carried seven per cent more freight than they did in 1965, making it the fifth consecutive year in which freight traffic, revenues and profits have increased after 32 years of decline.

This resurgence has resulted in a freight car shortage which the railroads are rushing to eliminate. In 1966, alone, they spent more than a billion dollars on more than 100,000 new freight cars, according to the Railway Progress Institute.

Because an average of 20 tons of steel goes into the construction of each new freight car, the railroad industry's steel requirements have risen sharply with the car building boom. In 1966 almost 2.9 million net tons of steel products went directly from mills to railroad companies, independent car builders and parts manufacturers to be made into finished freight cars or parts of new or rebuilt cars, the Institute reported.



Miss Cheryl Pedlow, a student at Indiana State, ran in the cross country meet last Saturday here at Rose. Miss Pedlow is one of the top women distance runners in the United States. She ran independently in the race and reportedly beat several members of our team.

## ON THE "IN" SIDE

Every year a few days after Labor Day about 50 to 60 stout hearted Rose Engineers slip on the football gear beginning a new season. For the next two and one-half weeks, they'll be banging heads and shoulders during the two-a-day practice sessions, preparing for the first game.

During this period, newcomers, especially the freshmen, soon become acquainted with the workings and procedures of the equipment and training rooms. The tempo here is set by the trainer Mr. Til Panaranto and student manager Henry Balough. One's first encounter with Til (as addressed by the players) comes when he discovers or imagines that he's hurt. (Some players seem very prone to injuries especially if they're tired that day and would rather watch practice.) So, this injured or "hurt" player sees Til before practice. After complaining a while, the patient is usually told (in case of an ankle sprain) not to practice but instead keep ice off and on it during rest of day.

This brings to mind an incident that occurred a couple weeks ago. Til, being very efficient in keeping the locker, equipment and

training rooms clean and orderly, waxed the floor in the training room. Knowing the hazards of his slippery floor he warns his visitors to enter carefully. As what usually happens, Til slips on his own floor and sprains his ankle. This isn't very funny to Til. (Who could blame him, since he hadn't a trainer to complain to but himself?) But Til's daily patients soon heard of his plight and promptly advised him to stay off his ankle and apply ice off and on it for the rest of day. For several days after that, Til's "trainers" made sure they "checked" his swollen joint.

The equipment room, since Til is usually in the training room, is manned by Henry "Cat" Balough, nicknamed by Fred Valanti after the movie "Cat Ballou." Henry or "Cat Ballou" is always there, ready to assist the players in their equipment problems. For example, a player who exchanges with Henry a sock that has two holes in it for supposedly a better one (because there is supply of new socks) more than likely after a "painstaking" search by Henry for another sock receives a sock with just one hole in it.

—Roger Ward

# INSTITUTE INKLINGS

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OCTOBER 13, 1967

## ACADEMIC CONVOCATION

During the convocation period on October 10, the Academic Convocation was held. The purpose of this annual gathering was to honor new faculty members and to offer recognition to other faculty members who have recently received degrees or promotions.

With Rose's expanding student enrollment it is of course necessary to increase the faculty size. Rose has kept pace with the demand with the addition of 13 new faculty members and the return of three faculty members.

Professor Herman A. Moench, Vice President for Academic Affairs, was the presiding officer over the convocation and The Reverend Mr. Allan Harlan, Chaplain of Rose Polytechnic Institute, gave the Invocation and Benediction. After Reverend Harlan's Invocation which included a moment of silence in memory of the recent death of Bob Johnson, Dr. Darrell E. Criss, Dean of the Faculty, was presented to introduce the new faculty members and those awarded degrees and promotions.

Those new faculty members honored are: Prof. Philip H. Adams, Assistant Prof. of Humanities and Social Sciences; Dr. William J. Beam, Assistant Prof. of Physics; Dr. Michael O. Breitmeyer, Assistant Prof. of Biological Engineering; Capt. Joseph W. Cabrinha, Assistant Prof. of Military Science; Dr. Dirk J. Hofsommer, Prof. of Mathematics, Prof. Peter F. Parshall, Assistant Prof. of Humanities and Social Sciences; Capt. Andzs Putnins, Assistant Prof. of Military Science; Capt. Clyde M. Reedy, Assistant Prof. of Military Science; Dr. Alan T. Roper, Assistant Prof. of Mathematics; Dr. Armand V. Smith, Associate Prof. of Mathematics; Dr. P. David Smith, Associate Prof. of Electrical Engineering, and Dr. Stan S.

Thomas, Associate Prof. of Mechanical Engineering.

Those faculty members returning after leaves of absence are: Dr. Wilkison W. Meeks, Professor of Physics; Dr. John W. Rhee, Professor of Physics, and Prof. Warren J. Wayne, Assistant Prof. of Mathematics. Also, Mrs. Marion D. Smith was added to the staff as Assistant Librarian.

Several faculty members were awarded degrees or promotions for this school year. Receiving promotions to full Professorship were Dr. Robert M. Arthur, Biological Engineering; Dr. Frank A. Guthrie, Chemistry, and Prof. Paul B. Headdy, Humanities and Social Sciences.

Those promoted to Associate Professor are: Professor Kenneth R. Carr, Electrical Engineering; Dr. Cecil T. Lobo, Civil Engineering; Dr. Harold A. Sabbagh, Electrical Engineering, and Professor Henry J. Winton, Electrical Engineering.

Promoted to Assistant Professor were: Professor Thomas Hutchinson, Mechanical Engineering; Professor O. Pierre Lee, Humanities and Social Science, and Professor Dale F. Oexmann.

Also receiving recognition were Dr. Larry L. Rose for his recent completion and receipt of a Ph.D. degree from Claremont Graduate School and Professor William R. Brown for his Masters of Science studies at Indiana State University.

Just prior to the Benediction, the President's Greeting was given by Dr. John A. Logan, President of Rose Polytechnic Institute. Dr. Logan read an explanatory article on the history and make-up of formal graduation gowns and hoods. The Benediction brought the end to this year's Academic Convocation.

## HOME COMING QUEEN CONTEST

The Rose Poly homecoming queen contest is conducted each year by Blue Key. Any Rose student may enter his girl by nominating her according to the following rules:

1. Girls must be available Friday morning through Saturday evening.
2. Girls must be single and 18 years of age.

3. Entries must be submitted to Blue Key by October 20, 1967, and include an 8"x10" photograph.

Preliminary voting will take place on Friday, October 27, to narrow the field to five finalists. Final voting will take place on Wednesday, November 1. The queen will be crowned at the pep rally on Friday.

A fine addition to this year's homecoming program will be a concert by "The New Christy Minstrels" on Thursday, November 2, at 8:00 p.m. There will be no classes on Friday, November 3.

—Jerry A. Wones

Homecoming chairman

## STUDENT CONGRESS ELECTED

The Student Congress for the 1967-1968 school year was elected one week ago. Although not all openings for the Congress were petitioned for, the elected Congress is the largest since the present system was introduced five years ago.

(The five vacant spots in the off-campus precinct can be filled by petitioning the Student Government and having 20 signatures on the petition.)

Elected to this year's Student Congress were:

Off-Campus—Donald E. Baker,  
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Yes, Bob Johnson was a real bell-ringer. A good student, a great leader, and a superior person — that was Bob. He was so alive—and yet more than that. He made life more bearable for all of us. It wasn't just doing the big jobs that made Bob outstanding. Oh, he had plenty of big jobs — commander of the R.O.T.C. brigade, past commander of the Rose Rifles, feature editor of the *Technic* — to mention a few. But Bob

also did the small jobs—the ones no one else wanted to do—like cheerleading. And he took pride in doing the little jobs well.

Bob's deeds could be counted time and again, but they would still not tell what a great person he was. In that grinding automobile crash last Friday night, we all lost more than a fellow student, more than a great leader. We lost a true friend.

## INTRAMURAL NEWS

In the first week of intramural competition, the major and minor leagues were led by Signa Nu and ABCD-2 respectively. Each had a record of two wins and no losses. Four other teams also made it through the week without a loss.

## LAST WEEK'S SCORES

Major			
SN	19	ABCD	0
ATO	24	BSB	0
LCA	33	OC	0
SP	7	TRI	6
SN	9	ATO	0
ABCD	0	OC	0
(ABCD won, overtime)			
TRI	12	BSB	6

Minor			
ATO	13	ABCD-1	0
LCA	24	OC	0
ABCD-2	20	SP	0
TX	7	BSB	0
ATO	26	OC	0
ABCD-1	10	SP	0
TX	6	LCA	0
ABCD-2	25	BSB	0

## STANDINGS

Major		Minor	
Team	Record	Team	Record
SN	2-0	ABCD-2	2-0
LCA	1-0	ATO	2-0
SPEED	1-0	TX	2-0
ABCD	1-1	ABCD-1	1-1
ATO	1-1	LCA	1-1
TRIANGLE	1-1	BSB	0-2
BSB	0-2	OC	0-2
OC	0-2	SP	0-2
TX	0-0		

## ARMY FIELD BAND CONCERT

The United States Army Field Band will conduct a concert in the Field House next Tuesday night, October 17, at 8 p.m. The band is under the direction of Lt. Col. Wilmont Trumbull and has 100 members. The Field Band is in the midst of its Fall tour during which it will play 67 concerts in 16 states.

"You can tell a child is growing up when he stops asking where he came from and starts refusing to tell where he's going."

"The best advice for modern people, young and old, facing all sorts of propaganda, is the single word: think."—Joseph M. Shaw, Jr., Centre (Ala.) County Herald.

# I won't go into business when I graduate because:

- ☐ a. I'd lose my individuality.
- ☐ b. It's graduate school for me.
- ☐ c. My mother wants me to be a doctor.

Can't argue with c), but before you check a) or b)—pencils up! There have been some changes. Drastic changes in the business scene. But changes in the *vox populi* attitude regarding business... especially on campus... just haven't kept pace.

Take the belabored point that business turns you into a jellyfish. The men who run most of the nation's successful firms didn't arrive by nepotism, by trusting an Ouija board, or by agreeing with their bosses. Along the way, a well-modulated "No" was said. And backed up with the savvy and guts today's business demands.

In short, individuality is highly prized in much of the business world—the successful much. Even when the business is big. Like Western Electric, the manufacturing and supply unit of the Bell System.

We provide communications equipment for our Bell System teammates, the Bell telephone companies. This takes a lot of thought, decisions, strong stands for our convictions, (and sometimes some mistakes... we're human, every 160,000 of us).

Individuality pays off. Not only in raises, but in personal reward as well. Like an engineer who knew deep down that there was a better way to make a certain wire connector—and did. Or a WE gal who streamlined time-consuming office procedures, and saved us some \$63,000 a year.

Rewards and accolades. For saying "No." For thinking creatively and individually. For doing.

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## FRATERNITY NEWS

### LAMBDA CHI ALPHA

Rose Lambda Chi Alpha's fall activities season is in progress now with intramurals committee work, and other Rose student functions. The Lambda Chi Alpha intramural major league team has been victorious thus far in this year's football campaign with wins over the Off-campus team and Theta Xi. The minor league team won against off-campus but dropped a contest against Theta Xi.

The Homecoming committee, with Jim Pettee as its chairman, is initiating assembly plans for its homecoming display for this year.

This year also, Rose Lambda Chi's will print their alumni directory themselves on the Rose campus, according to Steve Kennedy, the chairman of the committee responsible for the directory's publication.

The Lambda Chi social calendar for the fall quarter includes various mixers, the Red Lion on Oct. 21, a Halloween party on Oct. 28 and the Shrine dance on Nov. 18.

—Dick Conrad

### SIGMA NU

The brothers in Sigma Nu have returned to the halls of Rose and once again find themselves engaged in a hectic academic and social agenda. Brother Paul Nowak is heading the construction of this year's homecoming display and the brothers are optimistic about another winner this year. The brothers are also looking forward to the other homecoming activities especially the annual alumni gathering.

The men of Sigma Nu are off to another fine start in both intrafraternity and intramural football action this season under the very capable direction of Brother Ben

Bradburn, posting a 19-0 win over ABCD dormitory, a 9-0 victory over ATO, and just recently downing Triangle by a score of 18-0.

Congratulations to Brother Dave Hohlfeldt who recently laveliered Miss Betsy McMillan and to Brothers Bowen and Langston who have engaged Miss Catherine Garrett and Miss Ladonna Lamphier respectively. Congratulations are also in order to Brother Steve Walker who over the summer months was wedded to the former Miss Janet Kindall. The couple has taken residence in Clinton, Indiana.

The brothers would like to extend their sincerest congratulations to Brother Walker for the excellent job he did while acting as Emminent Commander of Beta Upsilon and also to Brother Bill Dodge whom the chapter recently elected to the position.

### ALPHA TAU OMEGA

The brothers returned a week early again this year for the annual fall cleaning. We have 25 men in the house this quarter, mostly newly initiated sophomores.

Gamma Gamma has been very fortunate in securing the services of a new house mother, Mrs. Anna Grey, originally of Farmersburg. She is a very welcome addition to our group and is very enthusiastic about her new position. We also have gained the services of an excellent cook, Mrs. Kost, who firmly believes that each of the brothers must weigh a minimum of two hundred pounds.

The plans for our new house are progressing extremely well with the ground-breaking ceremony to take place in the near future. Occupancy of the modern-designed structure is expected the first quarter of next year. The house will be located in the wooded area just east of the campus and will house 55 men very comfortably.

Plans for the homecoming display are now finalized and construction will start immediately. Tom Trueb is in charge of the spectacular display and we are all confident of victory in the homecoming competition.

Alpha Tau Omega is proud of its five new pledges, Rolf Hill,

Howard Smith, John Spear, Sid Stone and Ken Cowles. In general the year looks bright for the fraternity with numerous social and public service functions having already been scheduled.

### TRIANGLE

The men of TRIANGLE returned to the campus in September to find that they had spent the summer in varied ways. In fact some of the Brothers had very interesting and unusual tales to tell. Two of the members were married, even more had become engaged, and at least one-sixth of the remaining members were laveliered. This past weekend Brother Gar Vana pinned Joan Reese, SMW, to become the first Brother of the colony to be pinned. Obviously the summer was a very rewarding one of those Brothers interested in helping Dan Cupid.

The colony kicked off the school year with the annual fall picnic on September 24. The Brothers spent the afternoon in playing football, eating, and discussing the future plans of the colony. The Brothers, playing in their first full intramural year, are now 1-1 as the football season enters its second week.

On Wednesday, October 11, the colony held its first formal dinner of the year with Dr. Kenneth Carr, associate member, as guest speaker. Professors Breitmeyer and P. D. Smith were the honored guests of the colony. On Thursday, the members met with Robert Dean, national secretary-treasurer of TRIANGLE. At present, the Brothers are anxiously looking forward to Homecoming and a wide assortment of social functions planned for this quarter.

### THETA XI

The newness of school has finally worn off and the brothers are back to the old grind. Since all of us are now settled in our places of residence (isn't that right Rusty, Reb and Eddie) we are now able to devote full time to the upholding of our fine academic and social record.

The minor league football team posted its third straight victory by defeating O.C. 15-9. After a setback from this, the major league

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## Five Speakers Discuss Systems Engineering

While Rose students have a day of vacation on November 3, many Rose alumni will be returning to their old classrooms. Five different speakers will discuss various aspects of Systems Engineering at the 1967 Alumni Institute.

The day will begin with registration starting at 8:30 a.m. in the main building. Mr. Haward H. Irvin, chairman of the Alumni Association, will open the Institute at 9:15 a.m. Mr. Irvin is a 1943 graduate of Rose and is now executive vice president of the Marbon Chemical Division of the Borg Warner Corporation.

Dr. Dennis H. Sapp, chairman of the Civil Engineering Department at Rose, will speak on "The Philosophy of Design" in the first session of the Institute. Dr. Sapp will discuss the general philosophy of engineering design and correlate design principles with the total socio-ecological system of man.

The speaker for the second session, starting at 10:45 a.m. will be Dr. Robert M. Arthur, chairman of the Rose Bioengineering Department. Dr. Arthur will moderate a panel discussion on "Biological Engineering." Also participating will be Dr. Frank Friedman and Dr. Michael Breitmeyer of the Rose Bio-engineering department. They will discuss man himself as a system and man's relationship to his environment as a system.

After the noon luncheon in the Hulman Union, Dean Donald R. Mighell will give the Institute address, "Community — A Systems Analysis." Dean Mighell is the assistant dean of men at Indiana State University.

The third session will have Dr. William C. Perkins speaking on "Systems Simulation." Dr. Perkins is a 1960 graduate of Rose and is presently an assistant professor of Quantitative Business Analysis at Indiana University. His speech will show the relationship between systems simulation and systems engineering. He will also cover the economic importance of systems engineering.

Prof. Herman A. Moench, vice president for Academic Affairs here at Rose, will discuss "Applications of Optimization" in the fourth session. He will discuss some simple applications of optimization techniques as they might occur in a systems analysis. Prof. Moench will also moderate a panel discussion by the other Institute speakers as a summary of the Institute.

After this hard day in the classroom, the alumni will be ready for the celebrations of Friday night.

"Not too many years ago the moon was an inspiration to lovers and poets. A few years from now it's just going to be another airport." — Robert Lee, Woodward (Okla.) Journal.

### THETA XI

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came back and defeated ABCD 12-6 on a last minute catch in the end zone by Brother Michaels.

We were troubled by a number of injuries to our fine football teams. Brother Elzufon and Stilz injured their knees this past weekend and may be out for the rest of the season; although their absence has been felt, we have managed to carry on without them.

This weekend is the military ball and several brothers are anxiously anticipating the arrival of this glorious event.

Happy New Year to Brother Elzufon from his Christian Brothers; may he see many more of them.

It also pleases me to announce the twenty-first birthday of Brother Greenleaf. Happy birthday, Brother.

The brothers of Theta Xi are looking forward to the events of this year with great anticipation and intend to uphold the honor of Theta Xi.

—K-711

### ENGINEERS DEADLOCK

After a fine first period which found the Engineers leading 13-0, Indiana Central's Greyhounds fought back to deny Rose a victory here last Saturday by forcing a 13-13 deadlock.

Sparked by Roger Ward's and Fred Valanti's fine running and by Charlie Hill's timely passing, Rose struck twice in the initial stanza and held a 13-0 advantage. Fred Valanti scored first on a short run and the PAT was good. The next score found senior end Jerry Novotny in the end zone on the receiving side of Charlie Hill's aerial, but the conversion failed.

Midway in the second quarter, the tide began to turn as a Valanti fumble was recovered by the Greyhounds, and on the next play, Nicolson connected with Schrink for a TD narrowing the gap to 13-6 as the PAT was no good to the left.

Another fumble recovery by Central in the third period led to their tying the score. Aided by a 15-yard penalty against Rose for pulling the face mask, the Greyhounds marched down field, and speed back Billy Ross scored from the 3-yard marker to knot the score at 13-13.

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## Tomorrow - Concordia

Still hungry for their first victory of the season after an initial loss and two consecutive ties, Rose's Fightin' Engineers journey to Concordia to do battle tomorrow.

A 21-7 victor last year, Concordia is rated by Coach Martin to be slightly better offensively than last year, and as a team, he rates them to be about the same as last season.

In an effort to improve the Engineer's play, Fred Valanti will be removed from his offensive fullback slot in order to allow him to concentrate on defense. Tom Merrill, a 5'11", 187-lb. frosh, will get the fullback assignment. John Shambach, senior tri-captain, also returns to his defensive end post after being sidelined with an injury before the first game.

If the Engineers can sustain the type of play they showed in last Saturday's first quarter, they have a good chance to bring back that important first triumph.

### STUDENT CONGRESS ELECTED

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Donald Bath, Craig Collisson, Pete R. Fowler, John Fish, Feida Hardyman, Jack Borst, Richard L. James, Toby L. Kraft, Clifford Lewis, Larry Rose, Ricki A. Vick, Mike Howlett and Dave Joksa.

B-S-B Hall—Jack Arney, Terry Luster, Richard McCammon and Joe Rodriguez.

Speed Hall—Steve Goble, Paul Moore, Ken Shafer and Greg Dawe.

Scharpenberg Hall—Richard Bunce, Thomas Foltz, Jim Hull and Bill Jahn.

Mees Hall—Eric Brandt, Daniel Ealy and James Lowes.

Blumberg Hall—Eugene Brackbill, Thomas E. Compton, Donald Grant and Fred A. Kinnan.

Deming Hall—Richard Ference and Lester Ficzeri.

"A mustard seed is very small, but it looms up like a Himalayan peak when placed by the side of some minds." — Samuel Harden Stille, The Wellington (Ohio) Enterprise.

## ON THE "IN" SIDE by Roger Ward

"Road trips are something else!" This is a tamer version of the typical answer the seasoned Rose footballer would give in response to a question about his odyssey to his away games.

Belonging to a small conference (Prairie Valley Conference, consisting of three teams—R.P.I., Ill. College, and Principia), we are forced to schedule teams that are located in states like Missouri and Wisconsin and Kentucky. Even a trip to "near-by" Jacksonville, Illinois (Ill. College) required that we were to leave here at the modest hour of 7:00 a.m.

So, on that brisk September morning, everyone slowly arrived.

### HARRIERS HARRASSED

The Rose cross country team suffered a crushing defeat at the hands of the Little Giants of Wabash College last Wednesday on the Engineers' home course.

The 18-41 defeat was just the opposite of the 15-50 victory over Marian College two weeks ago. Rose took the first seven places in that one. Wabash proved to be a tougher opponent than Marian, however, the team showing was considerably worse than it was against Marian. Bob Childs was the only man to improve on his time since the last meet.

Bill Allen of Wabash led all runners across the finish line with a 22:37 time for the four-mile course.

The first three finishers for the Engineers were Larry Lynn (third), Sam Vuchinich (seventh) and Greg Shutske (eighth).

The Engineers will be out to improve on their record against Hanover College today at 4:30 on the Rose Course.

A few bothered to bring books. (Most of which weren't opened anyway on the trip except by the few studious souls of Wayne Nack and Charlie Hills. Jose' Ibanez brought several books that were used by Fred Valanti trying to pound out a rattle above him while on the bus.) Some brought a pillow—the most practical item to take along. Bill Gurley found a friend here. He didn't utter a word the whole trip except maybe in the fancies of dream world.

After traveling for two and one-half hours in our "psychedelic" bus (as described by Jose', noting it shook quite a bit) we came to a stop in Decatur, Illinois—a dead stop.

The bus stalled half way through an intersection. What made it worse, we were supposed to eat outside Decatur and our growling stomachs had to wait. In the back of the bus, Don Lombardi tried to coax a V.W. to give us a push. Finally getting a push by a pick-up truck, we were on our way to the pre-game meal. By the time we arrived at the restaurant most of us could eat a horse and a half. From the outside things looked very encouraging—a sign said "Smorgasbord." Inside chicken, pork chops, roast beef, salads, potatoes, desserts, etc., were all laid out on a large serving table. As we entered, we were told to find a seat. There, we were served one slice of beef, a 50-cent size baked potato, two small dishes of peas and peaches and toast. Coach Martin isn't sadistic, he knew that a team could play well with a full stomach. Then why did we eat at a smorgasbord!

Boarding the bus again, we were off to serious business in Jacksonville.

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Dean of Students, Ralph M. Ross, leads the academic procession at the Academic Convocation last week.

## Honor's Convocation

For the second Tuesday in succession, a convocation was held for the purpose of recognition of persons connected with the "Rose family." The convocation period this past Tuesday, October 17, was devoted to the annual Fall Honor's Convocation. It was one of two Honor's Convocations that are held throughout the year to recognize those who are outstanding in scholarship and leadership.

With Dennis Fritz, Vice-President of Blue Key Honor Fraternity, acting as master of ceremonies, the convocation began with the traditional opening remarks by Dr. John A. Logan, President of Rose Polytechnic Institute. Following Dr. Logan's address, Professor Herman A. Moench, Vice-President for Academic Affairs, was called upon to present the

Hemingway and Bogart Awards. The Hemingway Award was initiated by Sarah Hemingway a relative of Chauncey Rose, in 1888 for the Senior student with the highest average. The following year the award was extended to the Freshman with the same qualification. This year two Freshmen were tied with perfect 4.0 averages. They were John Fish and Bruce Williams. The Bogart Award is a similar prize for the sophomore with the highest average. Lee Van Camp was the recipient of this award from the Class of '69.

The Student Body Government awards Honor Keys to students who have exhibited outstanding leadership and participation in student government, athletics, publi-

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## Military Ball A Success

Each year the military Department of Rose Poly sponsors and hosts a formal dance. Last Saturday, this year's Military Ball was held at the Hulman Memorial Union Building on the Rose campus.

Upon arriving at the Union Building, the Rose student and his date entered the ballroom under a saber arch furnished by members of the Rcse Rifles, the school's precision drill team. Rose students and their dates were then

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## "Get-Acquainted" Parties For Frosh

On Sunday, October 22, the fraternity system at Rose will hold the annual get-acquainted parties for the freshmen. The purpose of these parties has been to familiarize each interested frosh with the "fraternity system" at Rose (e.g. the fraternity houses and members).

Those who signed the list for the parties have been divided into two groups—an afternoon and an evening one. The former begins its circuit of the frat houses at 1 o'clock and ends at 5 o'clock. The latter group begins and ends its tour at 6 o'clock and 10 o'clock respectively. Freshmen in the first group should be ready in their rooms at 12:30 while those in the second, or evening section, should be ready at 5:30. Commuters will be picked up at the same times from the Student Union Snack Bar. It is requested that all who plan to attend wear coats and ties.

The parties, which are not "rush parties," have been moved up to

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