FLOWERS TO BLOOM ABOUT THE POY

Mr. Shaw, who has charge of the classification of the grounds, has his plans in the greenhouse ready to set out around the buildings. Part of the work has already been done, noticeably that in front of the Administration building. A special plan has been made to have a curve growing set off by beds of dusty miller and pansies that lie in front of the school building. The front of the Science building is to be covered with green creepers, giving it the appearance of a lawn from the railroad track. The Household Arts building has a new scheme of attendance keeping. A new system of attendance keeping is being put into effect at Poly now. Each student reports to his adviser for each day of roll-call, and the advisers keep the records. At the end of the week, however, all teachers will head to each adviser the attendance of students in their particular classes, and those records will be checked up with the reports made at 9:30 each day. This plan means no more absence excuses. Students will bring written excuses as before, but they will present those excuses to their instructors as they go from class to class. The instructors will give O.K. them with initials. The written excuses will then be filed with the adviser after all the teachers have seen it.

FACTORIAL STUDIES TAKE SICK VACATIONS

The past week has seen great progress in the faculty home with attacks of grippe. Classrooms are now resonant of the normal proportions, and it is thought that the worst is over.

Mr. E. C. Maguire, Mr. Pien, and Mr. Vise, who were out two weeks on account of illness, are all back now. Thursday Mr. Phoebe and Mr. Agasti began their examinations. Miss Huyett, who has quantities of dusty miller, has quantities of dusty miller, has quantities of dusty miller, has quantities of dusty miller, has quantities of dusty miller, has quantities of dusty miller, has quantities of dusty miller, has quantities of dusty miller. The front of the cafeteria is being set off by beds of dusty miller and pansies. The large plot in front of the Science building is to be covered with green creepers, giving it the appearance of a lawn from the railroad track. The Household Arts building has a new scheme of attendance keeping. A new system of attendance keeping is being put into effect at Poly now. Each student reports to his adviser for each day of roll-call, and the advisers keep the records. At the end of the week, however, all teachers will head to each adviser the attendance of students in their particular classes, and those records will be checked up with the reports made at 9:30 each day. This plan means no more absence excuses. Students will bring written excuses as before, but they will present those excuses to their instructors as they go from class to class. The instructors will give O.K. them with initials. The written excuses will then be filed with the adviser after all the teachers have seen it.

MRS. CHASE INVESTIGATES MENTAL TESTS

Miss Chase spent several days last week in Los Angeles investigating mental tests given as an education project. Two days she spent with the Federal Board studying the tests that were given by them to the ex-service men, then she worked with the administrator, who has had much experience in that work. The special students will remember the mental tests that were given to them a few weeks ago, those were the tests that involved the ability to read. If you want to know what you are supposed to know in that test, just look at the sample in room 4 on the bulletin board. This means no more absence excuses. Students will bring written excuses as before, but they will present those excuses to their instructors as they go from class to class. The instructors will give O.K. them with initials. The written excuses will then be filed with the adviser after all the teachers have seen it.

ADMITTING ATTENDANCE SYSTEM

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Miss Chase left for Los Angeles Tuesday, where she will take up the study of "Methods of teaching," which is her next development. Miss Chase is assuming the directorship of the Polytechnic in the absence of Miss Huyett. She has been in the Polytechnic home for ten days with an attack of pneumonia.

The whole aim of any plan will put into effect in Poly now is to help the student do his best work to do it all the time, and to do it willingly.

Building of the Home Science building is being a complete new floor. Some time ago the work in the applied arts room was finished; now the larger room is being worked on. The girls expert to be able to use the room in rainy weather for a storm.

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Katherine Palmer drove Miss Dall's car to Los Angeles recently. He is considered to be a good driver, and that subject will probably be tried out among the students of Poly.
Dizzy Doings About the Dorm

The epidemic which infected the Dorrn may have let us harboring the idea as it came as almost all the twentv seniors who were down in bed are going to go to school today, although a few of them are a little weak. The Hadford Longboys, copyiier and clock are real sick now and it is hoped they will be out and about Sunday.

Possible additions to the Dorm

It has been rumored around that the Dorm was to have a new person living there. Where this rumor came from or how much there is to it we don't know but Pat Hodges says that he ought to build it because with another wing and the one we have now that we have and the street they have in the Dorm.

Plans for the Dorm

We are going to have a new dorm in the near future if everything works out as it is planned and new students come in just as fast as they should.

The next question is how is it to be built? The present one has been gutted out from the bottom up and is complete, of course, in the outside.

Why not build a new dorm like the new dorm in New York and complete it? It is high that an elevator trip has Pullman accommodations just press a button and the result makes Aladdin's lamp look like an old tomato.

When you enter the door as many bell hops jump around you that you imagine your ears are watching some Arabian aristocrat at a new theatre. They surround you and escort you to your room, which is so far away you have to change the time twice before you arrive. All the bell hops downtown you put, and they turn your room around in steam heat, electric lights, cold water, hot water, warm water and ice water, salt water, sugar, tea, coffee, whisky, beverages, pneumatic tubes and long distance telephones.

When you get hungry you press a button and your dinner arrives in a car via the dumb waiter, and if you stick your head out of the door you get a hair cut before you can get it back. Your finger nails are manicured much quicker than your hair is cut. Your clothes are back cleaned and pressed, a bell boy on every button.

We don't need to worry about the above as it all is in New York, so rest easy and wait the plans for the dorm.
Sports

PRACTICE FOR BASEBALL BEGINS

Regular practice for baseball began Monday, February 20. It will be scheduled but training starts now to give the players a chance to perfect their batting stance.

Quite a number of the last year's team are back with us this year and also plenty of new material of experience. Those of last year's team are Patchett, Higgitt, Volland, Potter, Davis, Miller, and Trupac.

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