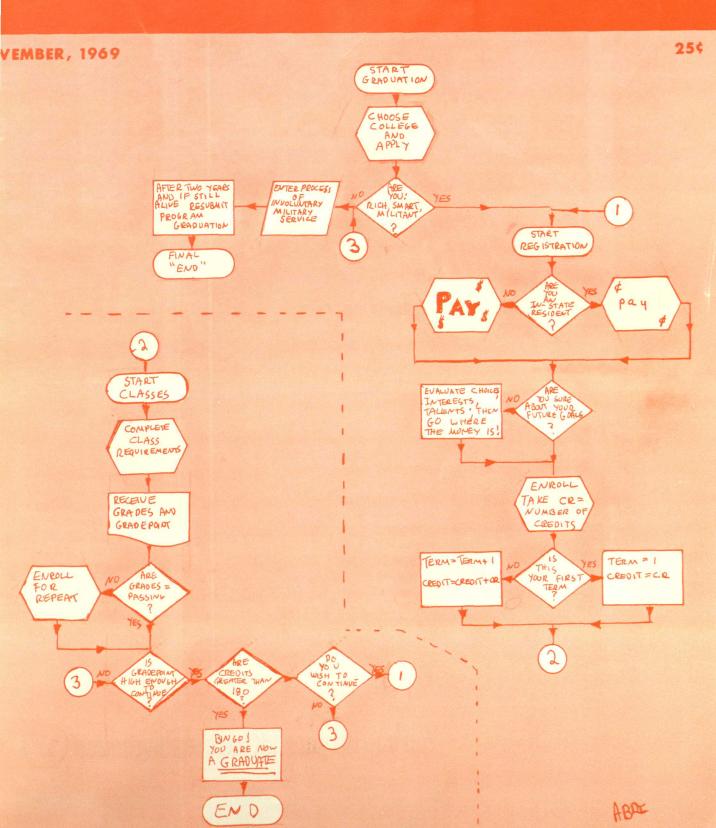
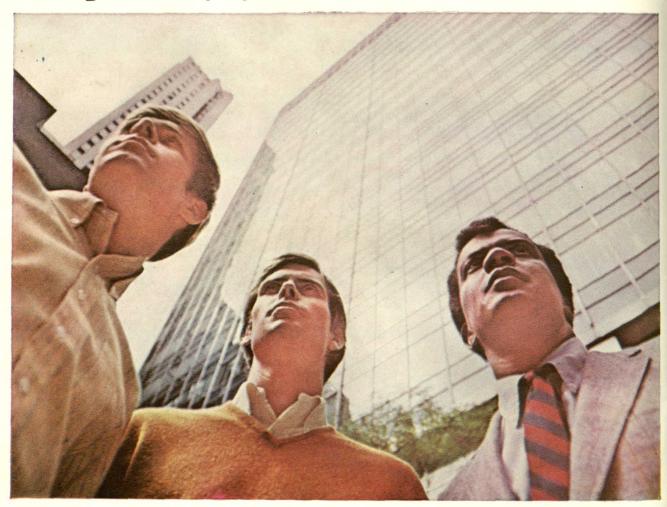
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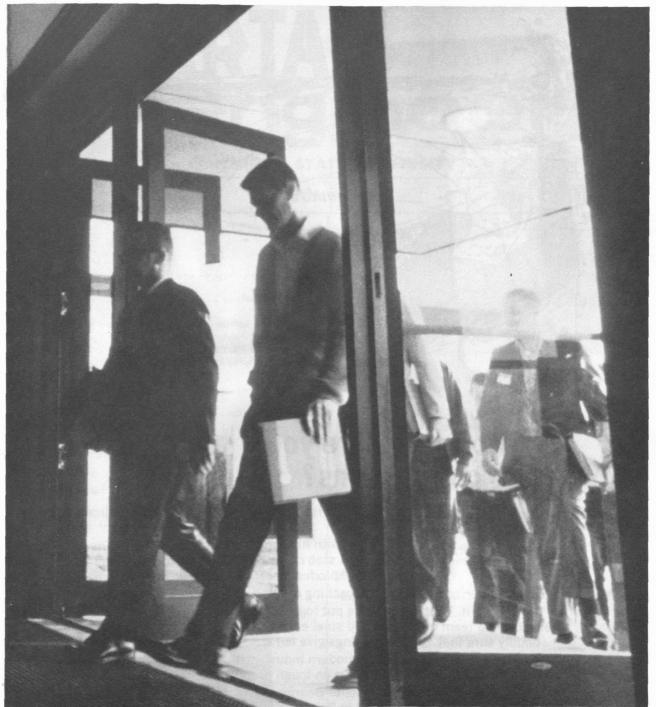
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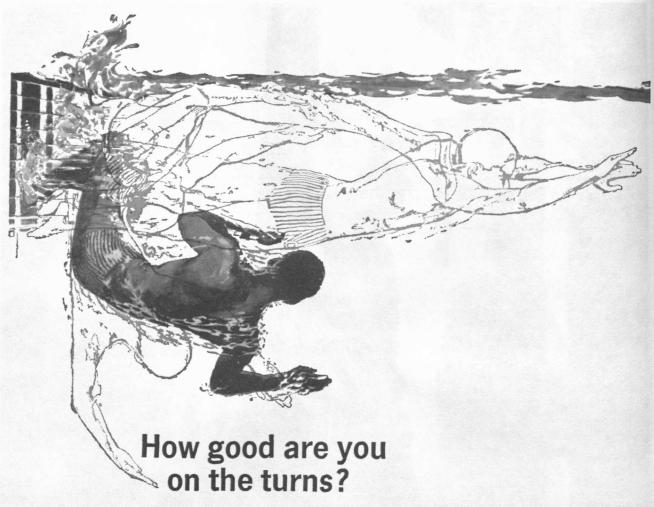
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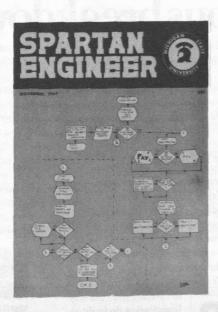
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Editorial

My feelings about the processes of obtaining a college degree are pretty clear when one studies this issue's cover. I exaggerated the seemingly rigid, automated steps of graduation; to make one point, we do have a voice in the quality of the instruction we receive. It is up to us, the current student body, to insure against this type of educational system ever getting the chance to start. Conformity and institutionalization are the direct results of apathy, or lack of involvement.

I should now go into the standard plug for joining the various academic councils that exist for each department, but I think any kind of involvement is the best kind and no certain type of activity should have more prestige associated with it than another. The sheer numbers of ways to participate makes non-participation virtually impossible, but trends are still pointing towards cranking out a production line of graduates rather than allowing each individual the right to obtain an individualistic education.

The end result of education should not be an eight-to-five job with lots of fringe benefits and a comfortable happy ever-after, but rather application to the ideas presented, creativity and further pursuit of knowledge. Without soapboxing this further, I conclude that we are not robots programmed to engineer, but engineers given the opportunity to live our own lives rather than follow some predestined path. Involvement is an individual seeking a voice, and the time for involvement is now, before we fall victim to the evils of conformity.

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If Sara shouldn't, then Wanda would. It is impossible that the statements: "Sara should," and, "Camille couldn't," can both be true at the same time. If Wanda would, then Sara should and Camille could. Therefore, Camille could. Is the conclusion valid?

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Using only mathematical signs and without changing the position of any of the figures, can you make this into an equation?

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If Smith does not beat his wife, and has no friend called Jones, who is a bachelor, then either there is not any equality in the world or there is not any independence—or else, all is right with the world. But if there is independence in the world, Smith beats his wife. If Smith has a bachelor friend, Jones, or forgets to bring his wife flowers, then he does not beat his wife. If he does not beat his wife, there is something wrong with the world. If it is false both that Smith has no bachelor friend called Jones and that he forgets to bring his wife flowers, then it is also false that either nothing is wrong with the world or there is equality in the world. But there is equality in the world. Does Smith bring flowers to his wife? Is there independence?

Answers on page 33.

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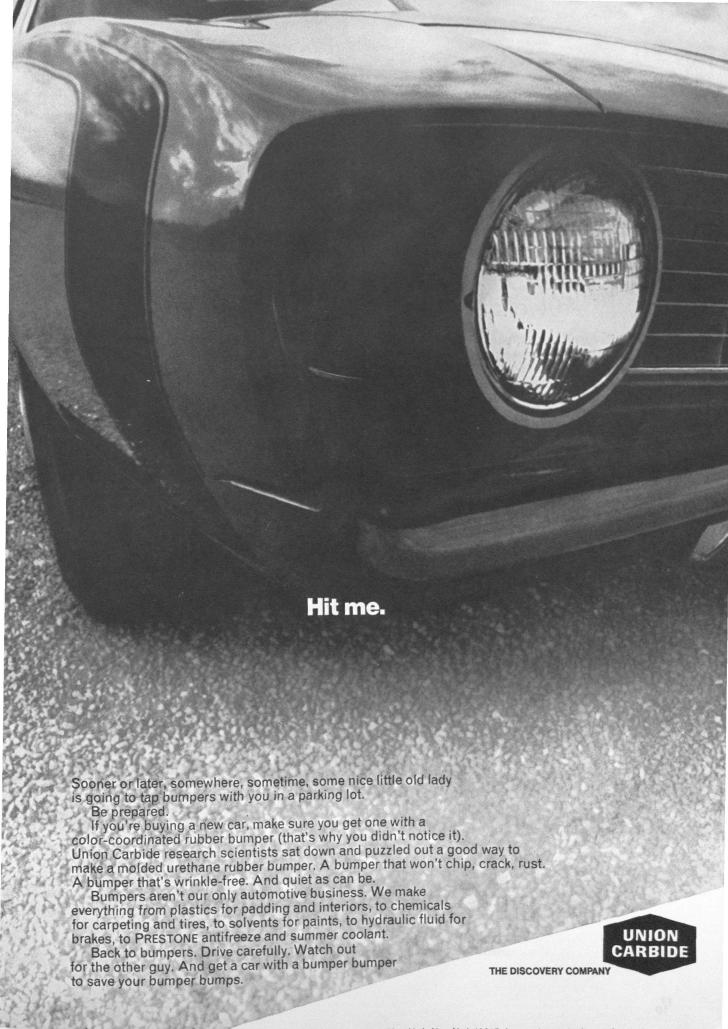
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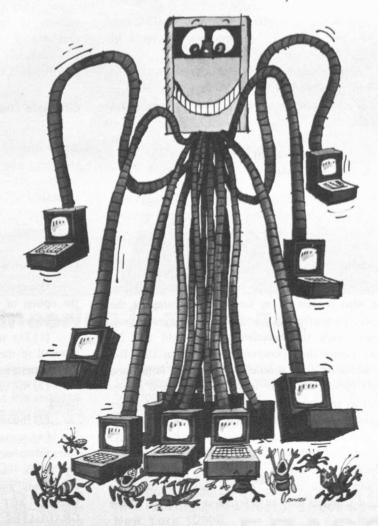
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Deferment: Undergraduates, graduate students, and occupational

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Freshmen of typical age are advised *not* to request student deferment until they have proved to their own satisfaction the liklihood of being able to complete their degree. They cannot be drafted before age 19 and are unlikely to be ordered for induction at 19, but are protected by the I-S(C) if induction is ordered. Freshmen who request and get student deferment acquire its penalties even if they leave school after one semester.

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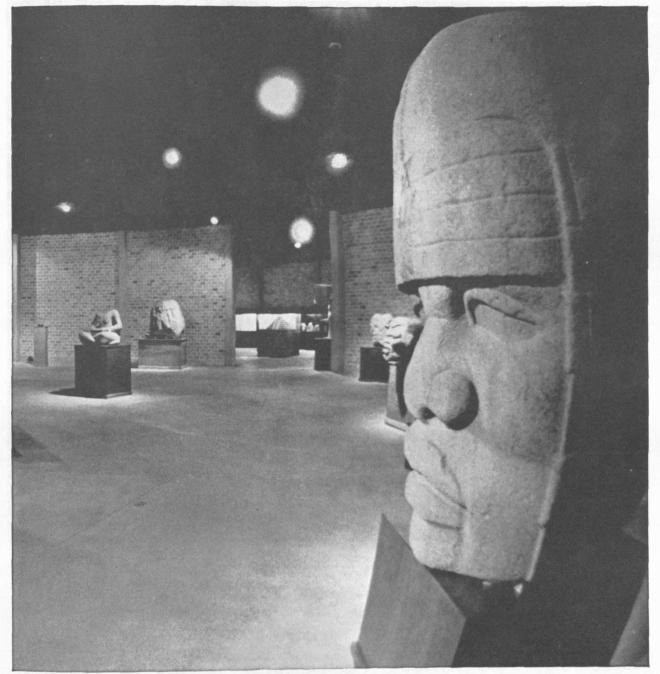
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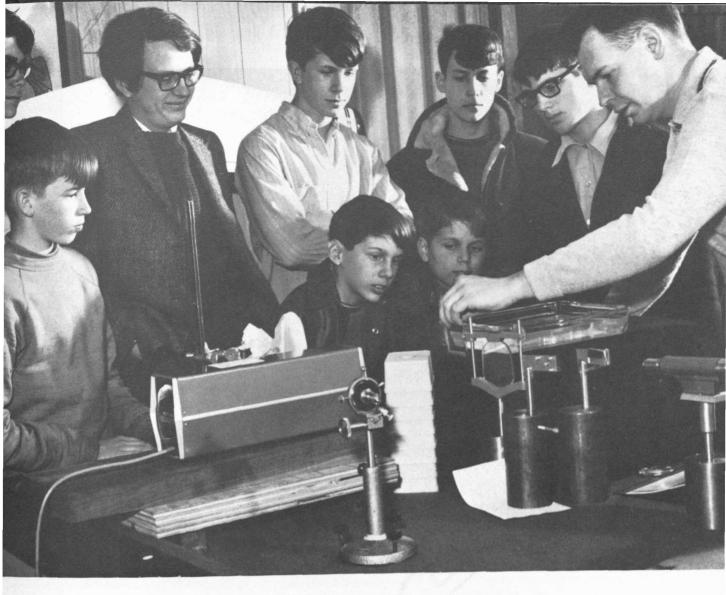


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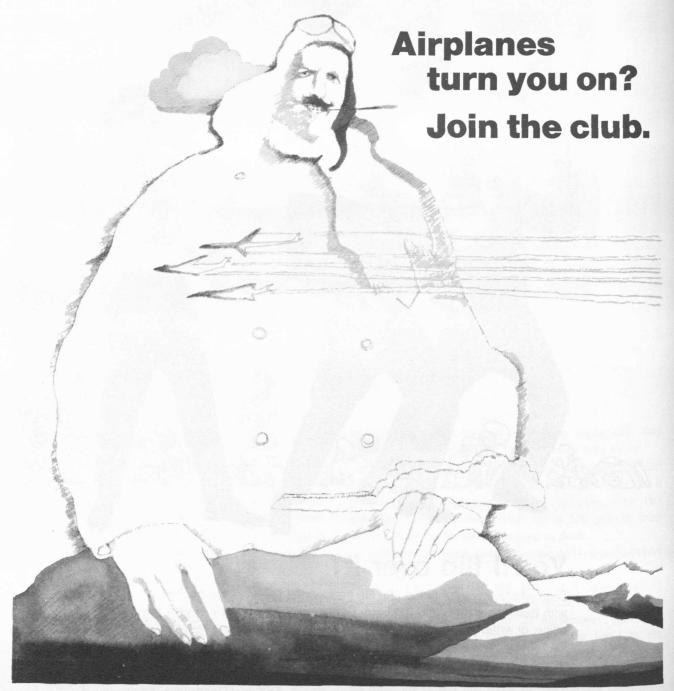
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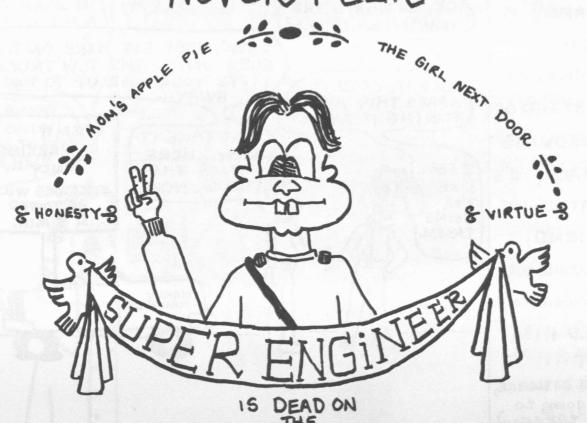
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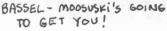




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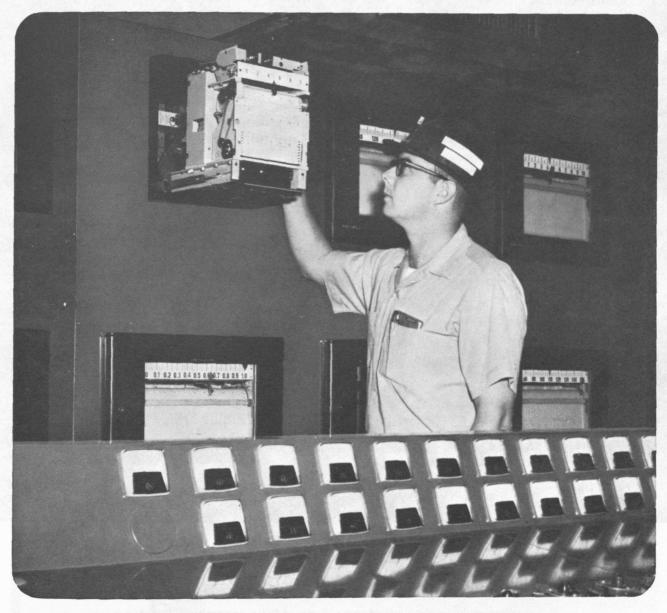
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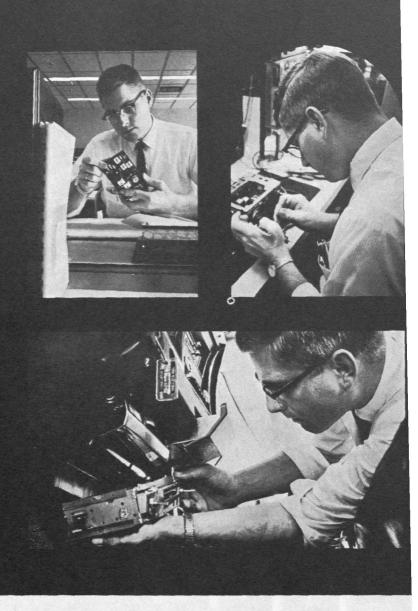
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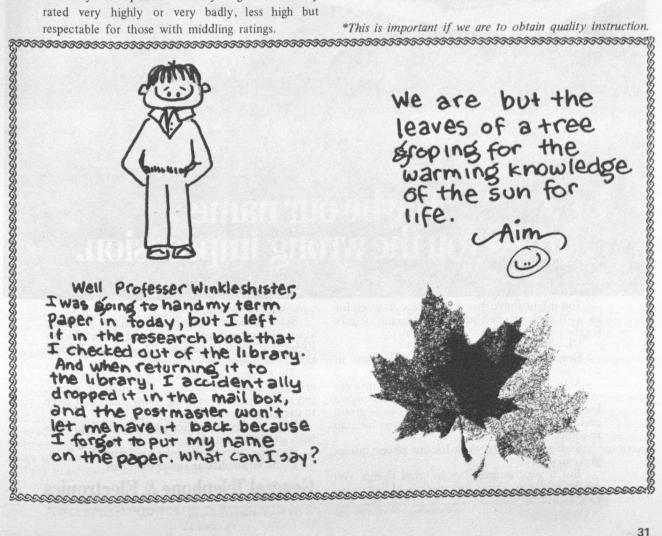
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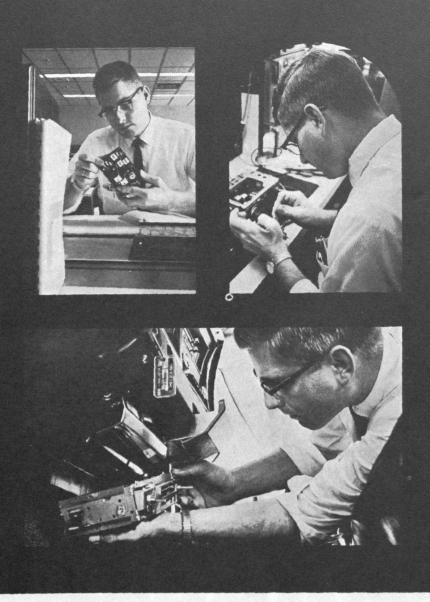
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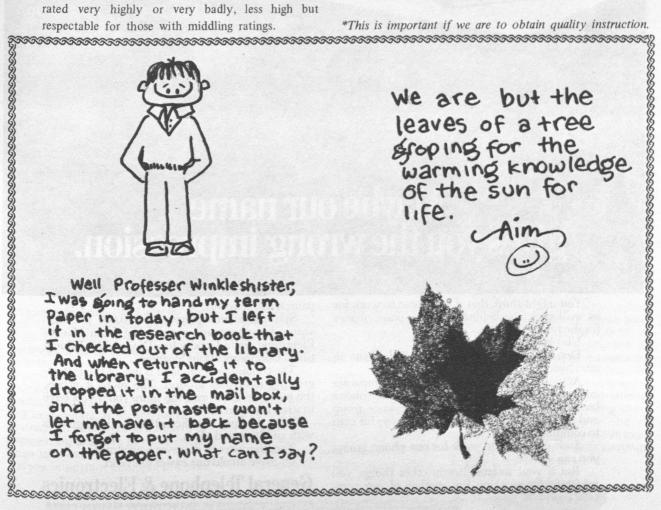
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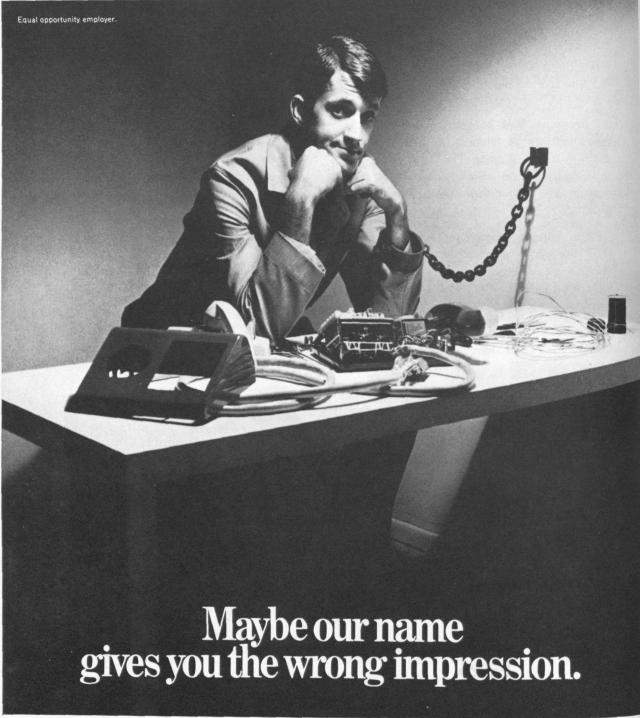
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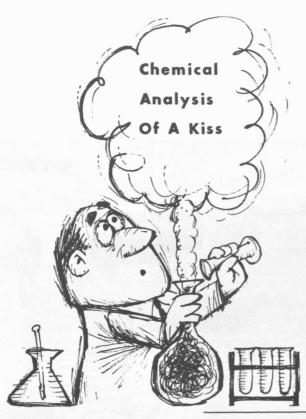
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Answers to Brain Strainers on page 8:

- 1. Alfred-30, Bill-18, Charles-28.
- 2. The statement is valid.
- 3. Twenty-three men.
- 4. 2x9 + 6 7 = 17 or $\sqrt{296} 7 = 17$
- 5. Smith forgets to bring his wife flowers; there is no independence.

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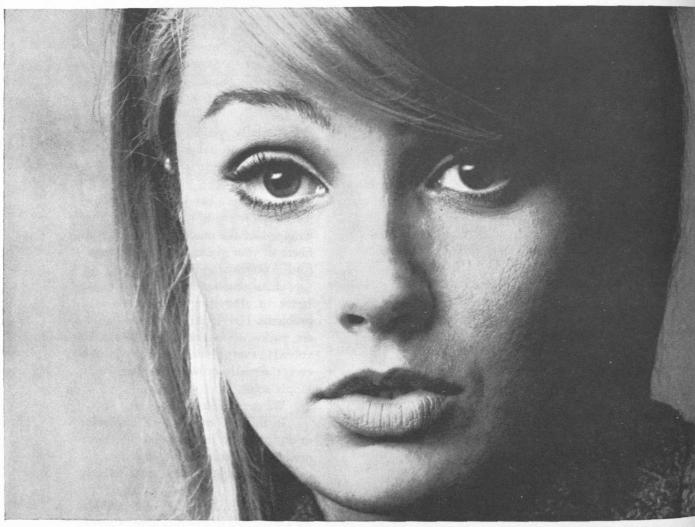
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by Nick Bassel

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in classrooms and textbooks, as to what exciting opportunities lie ahead.

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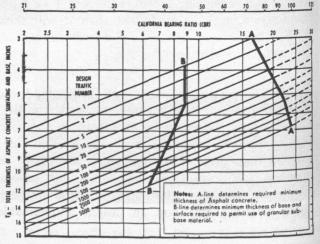
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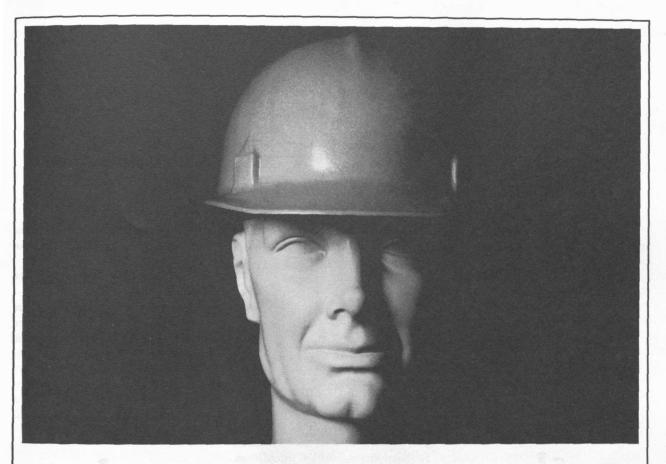


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Faculty advisor: "Let's not have any more jokes about sex, drinking, and profanity."

Joke editor: "O.K., I'm tired of putting out this magazine anyhow."

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Ch. E. walking up to coed: "How many drinks does it take to make you dizzy?"

Coed: "Two, and the name is Daisy."

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Judge: "Did you say this man stole your money out of your stocking?"

Girl: "Yes, your honor."

Judge: "Well why didn't you put up a fight?"

Girl: "I didn't know he was after my money!"

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O.K., Moses, take out your tablet and number from one to ten; we're going to have a quiz.

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NEWS FLASH: The Engineering Library was forced to close yesterday. It seems that someone stole the book.

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And then there was the freshman who thought that a neckerchief was a sorority president.

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SINE OF LOVE

I saw her as a most beautiful conglomeration of ellipses, parabolas, and sine waves in perfect symmetry as she slithered into the living room. I sat confidently on the sofa sketching free body designs. I felt the firm pressure of her as she sat down beside me. I would judge its modulus of resilence to be about 0.034 in-lb. I felt her warm breath (approxi. 560°R) on my cheek as she said. "Have I kept you waiting too long, Hookie?" "Only 32 minutes and 15 seconds," I replied, as I subconsciously estimated the tensile strength of her sweater to be about 5000 psi.

She ran her soft hand through my brushcut (generating some 2x10³ statcoulombs) and asked, "What did you bring for me?" . . . "Oh," I said dramatically, "that's not for you, that's my slide rule." I withdrew it and adeptly flicked the ash from her cigarette with the slide. "Are all engineers as strong, calm, and romantic as you are, Hookie?" I was mentally computing the acceleration, of my heartbeat to 14.7 thumps per second2. "Of course they are," I said as I thought, Engineers romantic? Even I had learned in ME that a woman is nothing more than a slow moving man with a lower center of

gravity...She might hypnotize some men with her...attractions but not me, an ENGINEER.

I observed her coldly (540°R). She leaned over and kissed me lightly—I glanced down at my lapel only to see a molten mass that had once been my Tau Beta pin. She watched in admiration as I casually put the lighted end of my cigarette in my mouth and blew the smoke from my ears . . . I rose with a masculine air of indifference and stalked from the room on my hands.

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Angry father: "What do you mean by bringing my daughter home at this hour of the morning?"

Engineer: "Have to be in class by eight."

SE

Civil: "I failed my physics exam."
M.E.: "But I thought you had all the answers written on your cuff."

Civil: "I did but I put on my calculus shirt by mistake."

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Coroner: "And what were your husband's last words?"

Widow: "He said: 'I don't see how they can make any profit on this stuff at a dollar and a quarter a quart'."



Catch a flick tonight. They can be very interesting.

The color film running through the projector is composed of numerous layers. We put them down in the State of New York on a base we build there from materials we create in the State of Tennessee.

Those layers constitute chemical reactors as thin as 1/10,000 inch. Perhaps seven critical diffusion and reaction steps are run in them. Somebody has to find and maintain an optimum balance for those steps.

Nice work for chemical engineers.

In addition, our involvement in many matters remote

from color film opens other choices:

In photography and beyond, we work with surface diffusion of chemisorbed species; rheology of non-Newtonian fluids; solid-phase polymerization; high-temperature vapor-phase pyrolysis; liquid-phase air oxidations; desalting by reverse osmosis; new fiber yarn configurations. More general: design of plant and equipment from laboratory data through mathematical modeling and dynamic simulation; drying operations for fibers, plastics, and chemicals; study of transport phenomena—mass, fluid, heat; waste disposal and pollution control; on-line manufacturing problems; liaison with customers.

In case you're interested, keep us in mind.

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