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P Brothers Lindley and Austin have gone into the perfume business in a big way; they're manufacturing and selling a high grade (so they say) to the young ladies on the campus. They call their product Miss Illini. The rest of the fellows object. They say it makes Room 10 smell like Lucien Lelong's salon. Don Laub, in a jesting moment, emptied a vial of the sweet-smelling essence on Carl Zamzow's head. Result: complete ostracism of Postulant Zamzow by the Brethren and a good deal of razzing from his date.

A radio dance was held at the Chapter House December 15. One of those informal get-togethers where everybody has a good time, even the chaperones (in this case Brother "Sugar" Sweet and his wife). Even the little Christmas tree twinkled merrily, in the spirit of the evening.

Even if it isn't spring, there has been quite a lot of housecleanng going on. Even Room 4, "The Phi Kappa Hog Wallow," has had its share of rejuvenation, led by that dauntless spirit, Brother D'Ambrosio. Some curious things were found: In one corner of the room was uncovered a rushee who was mislaid during rushing week. He said he had been living under the rug, eating cigarette butts.

With Hell Week—excuse it please: Fraternity Week—in the offing, the Postulants have begun their annual job of carving paddles, to be brokenin at the ancient ceremonial of Paddle Presentation, at the end of Hell Week. The new Interfraternity Council ruling has lengthened the period of preparation to one week, during which the pledges will be on silence, will attend a lecture every night and have various and sundry other rulings to observe. A pleasant Fraternity Week to vou, dear Pledge Brothers!

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When the Illinois band made the trip to Ohio State University for the football game in October, they were accompanied by George Austin, Byron Dressler, Ed Lytle, and the undersigned correspondent. The Brothers of Phi Pi, not at all disturbed by the unceremonious entry of the delegation from Phi Kappa, made us at home and really treated us like the proverbial princes. It was a real and welcome manifestation of fraternal spirit; and for it many sincere thanks to President Dan Chapek and the Phi Pi Brethren.

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