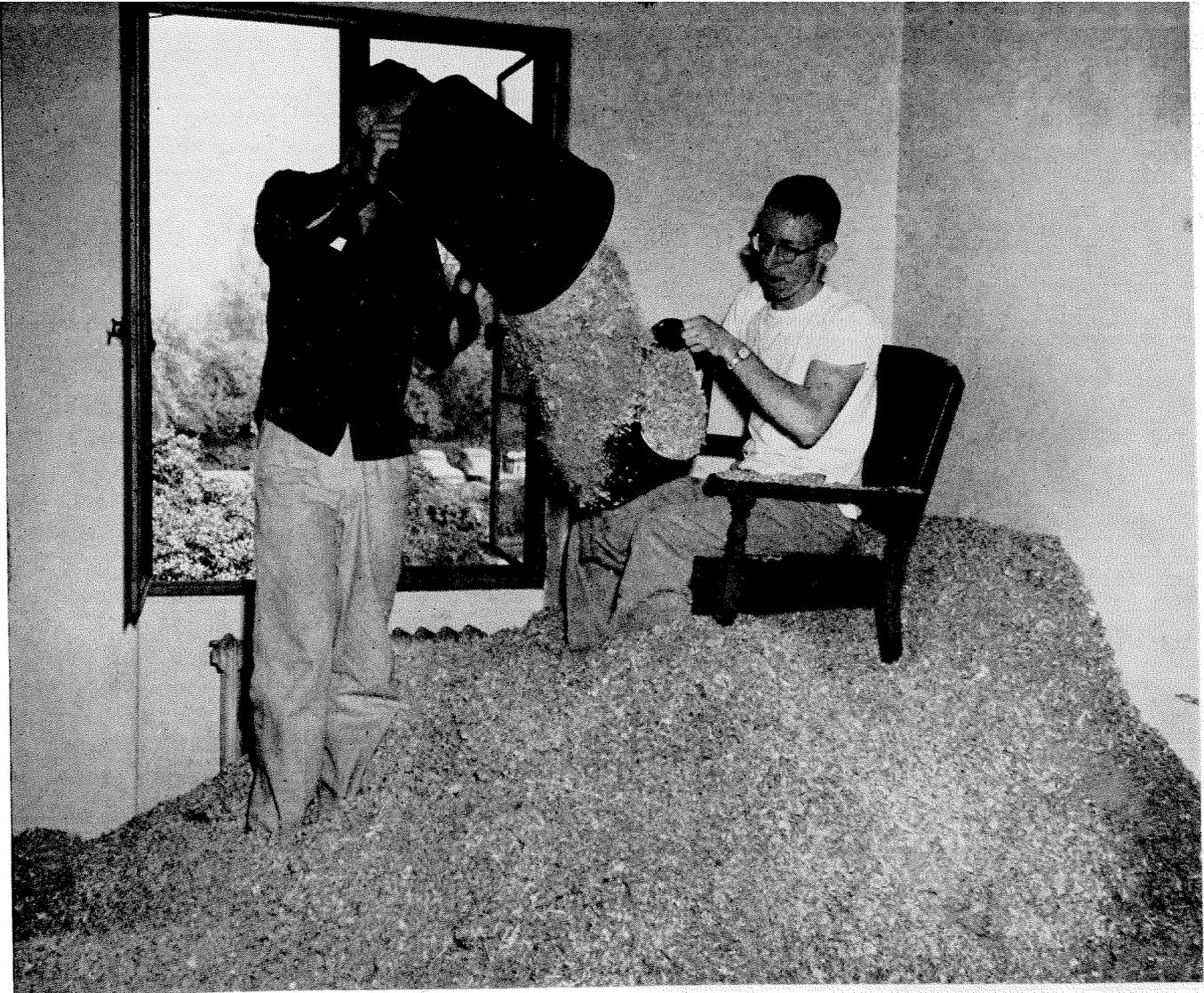




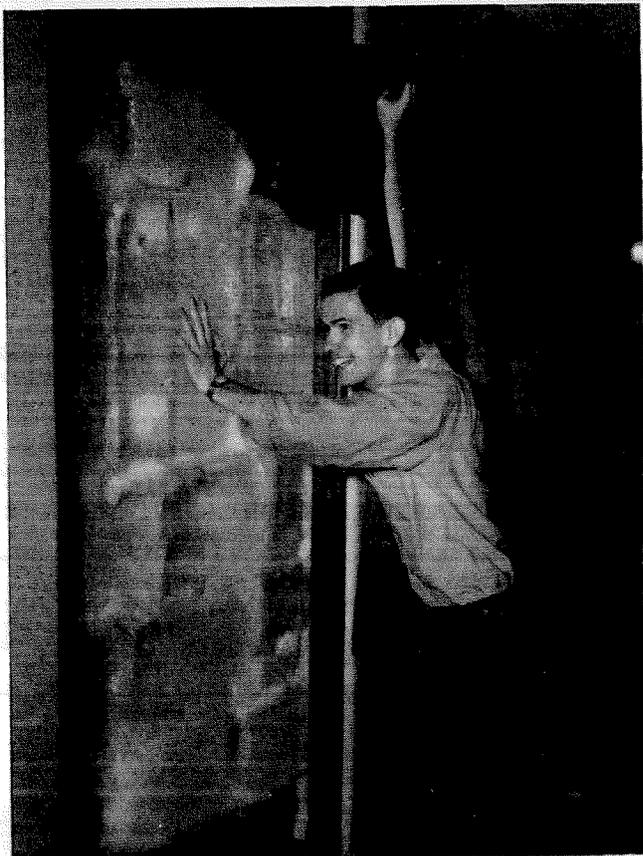
THE SILLY SEASON

The silly season was under way this year by the end of second term, when the sign above appeared on the campus at exam-time. In full flower by March, the season was thoroughly blasted in early April, when Senior Ditch Day arrived, ahead of its time.

While the seniors enjoyed their traditional day at the beach, lower classmen wreaked the traditional havoc on seniors' rooms. The presence of Life Magazine photographers on the campus this year did nothing to calm the fun-loving students. Mute (fortunately) evidence of their awful energy and ingenuity may be found on the following pages.



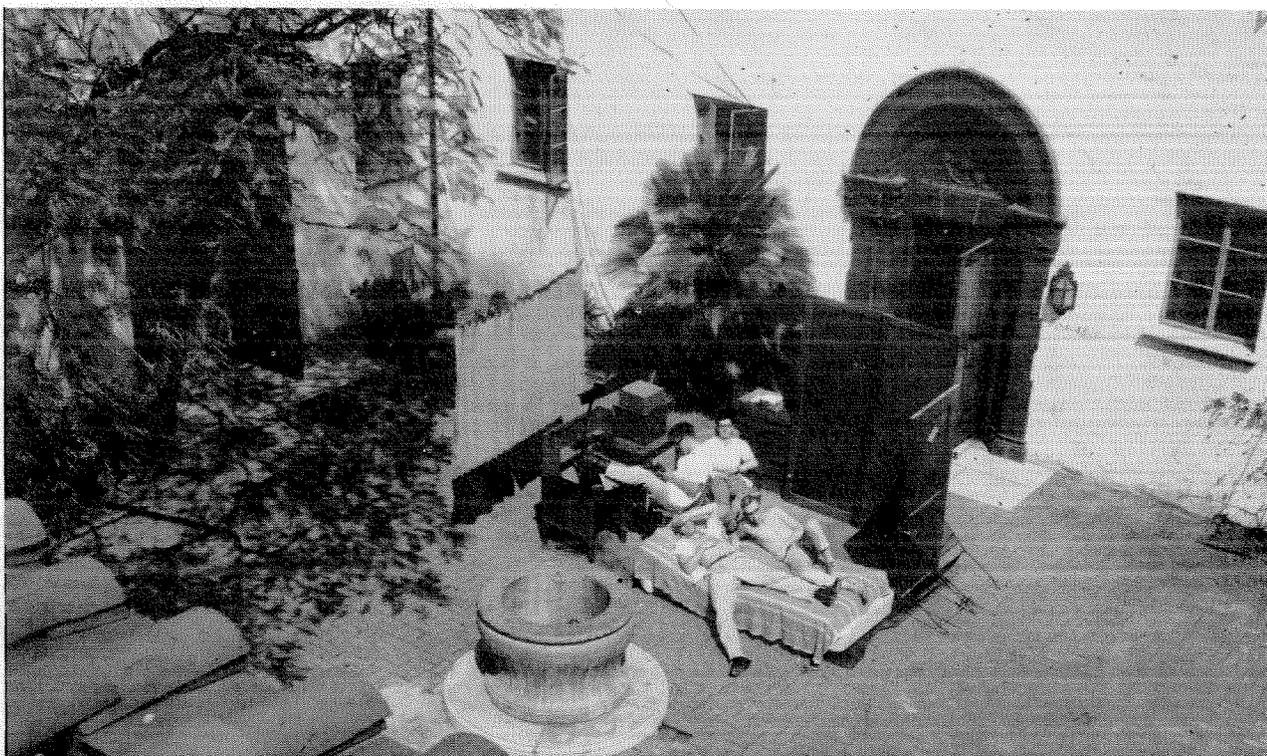
*These industrious undergraduates
are stuffing
a senior's room
with sawdust.*



*Some hapless senior
had to breach
this solid wall of ice
after he returned
from a carefree
day at the beach.*



Many returning seniors found their rooms re-located. Some were nicely set up in the student house courtyards (below)—while some were in more precarious locations (left).



Culturally-inclined residents of Dabney House established a communal senior library in Attila Simanyi's room.



Cement blocks wall up one senior doorway (below), while a skeleton, awaiting a returning senior, passes the time at cards with a lower classman (right, below).

