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TECHNOLOGY-HARVARD CROSS-COUNTRY RACE

Annual Event Will be Run Over Chestnut Hill Course Today

Technology and Harvard will run their seventh annual cross-country race this afternoon. These races have always been held over the Technology course, which starts from Highland Station in West Roxbury and finishes at Tech Field—a distance of four and one-half miles. This year, however, the run will be over the Harvard course at Chestnut Hill, in Brookline. Of the former six races, four have been won by the Institute. Last year's race resulted in a score of only 27 for Tech, against 62 for the Crimson. The first two places went to Tech men.

The new course is much more level and includes a good deal more road work than the old, and is a little longer, extending about five miles. The old Technology course, while but four and one-half miles long, covers for over two miles of its length a long succession of up and down grades, over fences and walls, and through patches of woodland, with a final test up Larz Anderson's hill, from which point it descends on a long down grade to the Field. This course has always proved very difficult for the Harvard men, and since they have been handicapped by less experience in running over it. This year the advantage is in the Cambridge team's favor, running, as they are, over their own course, which is almost entirely new to the Tech men.

As to the makeup of the teams, Coach Kanaly believes that the Institute will be represented by a team which compares favorably with previous ones. All of last year's team are back with the exception of Jacobs, who graduated last June. The squad this year is well balanced and chances for another victory are even.

Harvard has an exceptionally good team this year, and running over their own course, indicates that the contest will be much closer than last year. Herbert Jacques, who made the record two years ago, but was unable to compete last year, will be in the running, as will also P. R. Withington, the first Harvard man to finish last year. These two will give Captain Watkins of Technology a hard struggle for premier position.

The Technology team includes Captain H. G. Watkins 1912, R. M. Ferry 1912, E. E. Ferry 1912, R. D. Van Alstine 1911, L. O. Mills 1911, R. D. Bonney 1913, W. S. Davis 1911, L. C. Cooley 1911, V. V. Ballard 1912, H. S. Benson 1912, R. S. Myer 1914, and K. Cartwright 1912.

Harvard will be represented by W. Burrage 1913, H. L. Groves 1912, P. C. Heald 1911, H. Jacques, Jr., 1911, W. H. Lacey 1912, H. P. Lawless 1913, P. Newton 1911, S. Nichols 1913, E. L. Viets 1911, and P. R. Watson 1912.

The race with Harvard has, until this year, been run on Field Day, but since Harvard runs with Yale on November 4, the date had to be changed. On Field Day Harvard races with the Tufts team over the Technology course. A squad from the Medford college ran over the course yesterday afternoon.

President Drinker of Lehigh says: "It is my earnest wish that the athletic side of our university life shall be encouraged and actively supported."

THE REPUBLICAN PARTY IN POLITICS

Former District Attorney Hill Gives History of Party to Tech Men

Between puffs at his famous corn-cob pipe, Mr. Arthur D. Hill talked to an audience of Tech men in the Union last night, about the history of the Republican party. The occasion was the first Friday evening meeting of the year, and the audience listened to the speaker with much interest. The substance of the talk is as follows:

Mr. Hill, after giving a brief sketch of the history of the Republican party in Massachusetts, said in part:

This year, in the absence of any real reasons for overthrowing the Republican control of the Commonwealth, our opponents are driven to invent imaginary grounds on which they ask the voters to put them in power. Finding no real marks, they offer boojums in their stead. Chief among these sham issues is the repeated outcry against "boss" rule. Again and again, in editorials in the Democratic press and in the speeches of Democratic candidates, the voters are called upon to rebuke "boss" Lodge, to put an end to boss rule and to establish in its place the pure and undefiled Democracy, which has as its guiding spirits the present Mayor of Boston and his able lieutenant, Mr. Lomasney. A certain amount of nonsense is to be expected in a political campaign, but this particular brand is beyond the reasonable limit. The reason we have so much of it is because in other States conditions have existed which gave it there a real meaning. New York has had its black horse cavalry and its old guard, New Hampshire its railroad, and Pennsylvania and New Jersey their corrupt machines. Our friends, the enemy, think that because these evils have existed elsewhere they can gain votes by pretending or persuading themselves that they exist here. In point of fact there is not and never has been anything which could be described as boss rule in the Republican party in Massachusetts. Leadership there is and has been. Thanks to its existence, we are able to hold orderly conventions and to debate without coming to blows what shall be our platforms and who shall be our candidates, but dictation there is not and there never has been. That this is true is shown by the fact that there is in this State no insurgent movement as there is in other States where the leaders of the party have been less wise than have ours; where freedom of thought and independence of action have been denied to their followers by the men in control of the party machinery. Thank God, here in Massachusetts there has been no such narrow and illiberal policy. We Republicans have admired and supported our leaders, but they have never asked us to follow them blindly; they have never denied our right to independent opinion, or sought to limit our freedom to support such principles and to name such candidates as our own judgment should dictate. Speaker Walker has held and advocated direct nominations, Robert Luce has spoken and worked for the Public Opinion Bill, Norman White has opposed the Governor's policy as to railroads, yet one and all of these are today high in the councils of the party.

Does anyone suppose that these men and scores of others like them would be working and speaking for the success of the Republican ticket if they felt themselves hampered and controlled by Senator Lodge or Senator Crane, or if they were acting as

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DR. GUNNISON SPEAKS FOR FREER EDUCATION

Many Noted Educators Give Addresses at Forty-Eighth University Convention

With noted educators from all over the United States present, the Forty-eighth University Convention is being held at Albany.

Discussing the subject of "Cooperation Between the State and the College," in his address yesterday morning, Dr. Almon Gunnison, president of St. Lawrence University, declared that the ideal condition of our educational system should be the "free school in the free State, free for rich and poor—free from the kindergarten to and through the college and university. But to think that the State would assume this burden is only an iridescent dream," he continued. "It might grant the logic but it would not grant the appropriation. The thing to strive for is not the ideal academic proposition of free colleges, supported by the State, but for such an amount of freedom as the State will grant and general recognition of the desirability and practicability of a closer relationship between the colleges and the State through the State's administrative body, the board of regents, the regents asking the State to provide free tuition in the colleges for 600 and 1000 students, or such a number as may seem wise, the regents acting in conjunction with the college in mutual helpfulness for the mutual good."

L. H. Bailey, dean of the State College of Agriculture at Cornell University, addressed the convocation on "The Place of Agriculture in Higher Education."

The afternoon addresses were delivered by President Lowell of Harvard, and Dr. James M. Taylor, president of Vassar College.

FAMOUS FRENCH LIBRARY DESTROYED BY FIRE.

Old Collection of Valuable Books and Rare Antiquities Totally Lost.

The world famous library of the University of Toulouse, in Toulouse, France, was swept by fire yesterday and completely destroyed. This is a most regrettable occurrence, for the collection of books at that university was one of the finest and most comprehensive in the world. The University of Toulouse was founded in the thirteenth century and is ranked as one of the foremost in the world. Not only was the library burned, but the buildings of the school of medicine and pharmacy were destroyed completely. The loss on buildings alone will be far over the million mark, but it is impossible to attempt to estimate the great loss of rare books, expensive collections and valuable antiquities. There are many medical books alone which can never be replaced.

NEW SOCIAL RULES AT SYRACUSE.

The faculty of Syracuse University has made new regulations concerning calls between co-eds attending the institution and their male friends. Certain evenings of the week are prescribed upon which the girls may entertain and their callers must depart by 10 o'clock. The girls are allowed to attend only dances given by university societies, and the penalty is dismissal for attending other dancing parties.

DEMOCRATIC RALLY AT UNION TONIGHT

Mr. Roger Sherman Hall Will Speak on the Issues of the Campaign

In accordance with the plans already announced, there will be a Democratic rally at the Union tonight, following the Republican meeting of yesterday. The Democratic State Committee will send as its representative Mr. Roger Sherman Hall, president of the College Democratic Clubs. Mr. Sherman is quite well known, he being a vice-president of his party's State Committee, and an influential member of the people's lobby. He is also a candidate for the State Senate from the Fifth Middlesex District. The talk this evening should be in every way as interesting as the one which has just preceded it, and every man who heard Mr. Hill should turn out again tonight, in order that his views of the campaign might not be too one-sided. Tech men are fortunate in having the causes of the two opposing forces in this political struggle presented to them by such able men, and they should take advantage of the opportunity now offered to get a correct idea of the campaign.

1913 RELAY TEAM PICKED.

Good Times Made at Trials Yesterday.

The finals for the 1913 relay were run yesterday afternoon at Tech Field. Twenty men entered and fourteen were chosen for places on the squad. Owing to two ties, the teams are not yet definitely formed.

The running showed very good form on most of the 1913 men. The average time was somewhat better than it has been at practices.

The following men won places on the squad: Trull, Thompson, Strachan, Muarch, Haynes, Bylund, R. D. Sampson, G. B. Sampson, Mattson, Atwater, Brewster, Walsh, Cairns, Husom.

CALENDAR.

Saturday.

- 1.30—E. E. Society Excursion to Medford Gas Engine Plant of Boston Elevated Railway Company.
- 3.00—Harvard vs. Tech Cross-Country Race over Harvard Course.
- 3.00—1913 vs. Lowell Textile School.
- 7.00—Orchestra Rehearsal—Union.
- 7.30—Democratic Rally at Union.

Monday.

- 4.00—1913 Relay Practice—Field.
- 4.00—1913 Football Practice—Oval.
- 4.00—1913 Tug of War Practice—Gym.
- 4.00—Crew Practice.
- 4.00—1914 Relay Practice—Field.
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Tuesday.

- 4.00—Crew Practice.
- 4.00—1913 Football Practice—Oval.
- 4.00—1913 Relay Practice—Field.
- 4.00—1913 Tug-of-War Practice—Gym.
- 4.00—1914 Football Practice—Field.
- 4.00—1914 Relay Race—Field.
- 4.00—1914 Tug-of-War Practice—Gym.

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To those men, particularly new men, at the Institute who are able to do their part in helping us, The Tech makes the following appeal:

The present members of both the business and news boards are all doing their part very well, but it is necessary for others to help them and to carry on the work when they are through. In fact The Tech is very fortunate in having the men whom it now has in its service. But it requires a larger number of men to carry on the work to do it well. For that reason competition opened on the business and news staffs. In order to aid the men who are possibly considering this work, the following suggestions are given.

The work on the news staff consists of covering assignments given out by the editors of the different departments as is indicated. These assignments consists of articles on society meetings, general Institute news, news of the world at large and athletics. It is necessary in order that the Institute may accomplish its work best for all to know what has been done by the different branches. These branches include not only the courses in study and administration, but also those of a social nature of the clubs and societies, and also of the athletic and other students' affairs. It is an accomplishment decidedly well worth while cultivating, and one that will always be of value to be able to set forth ideas in writing. We live in the lives of others. The more we are able to appreciate and make others appreciate our thoughts the better we will succeed. For this reason practice in writing should be encouraged, and an easy, fluent style developed. This reporting does not come as a required work that takes your energy. It is congenial and is so arranged as to avoid interference with the regular Institute work. But to make this possible it is necessary for the managing editor and the department editors to have at their disposal a number of men who are willing to undertake these small assignments and to give them the attention they deserve.

On the business end there are two separate branches—the advertising and circulation departments. Both of these give decidedly good training of the real business of bookkeeping and accounting; but they also give more. The advertising candidates are given assignments to possible advertisers and it is their work to see these men and place in the best form possible a clear exposition of why it is to their

advantage to appeal to Tech men. This training throws you into direct contact with the business men of Boston. The ability to sell goods of any nature is something that for the man who will go into business is invaluable. This embryo business training on The Tech enables you to have the first-hand experience that will enable you to appreciate and understand what it means to put up a proposition to a man.

The circulation department is the one which requires the least amount of time, but on the other hand it requires a keen appreciation of human nature and an abundance of ideas. Here the problem is how to get the paper before the students so that they can get easily as well as desire to get it. Distribution is, of course, the first consideration. The making of posters is one of the duties of this department and also the management of classified ads. If it were not for these money-making ends of the paper it could never exist. This is true of any other work, either here or outside, so the experience gained here will also be of great value hereafter.

If you are coming out at all come out NOW. The heads of the different departments are in the upper Tech office every morning before 9 o'clock, and every noon from twenty minutes of two until two. At these times they will be very glad to give you all the pointers that you may wish and will also be glad to get you started. COME NOW.

The Tech is sorry to have to announce the resignation of H. P. Fessenden 1913, from the position of circulation manager. The board has, however, been fortunate in the election of J. B. Nealey 1912, to fill the position.

The Tech would also like to announce that December 1 is the date set for the first appointments of new men to positions on The Tech staffs. The men who have shown the greatest efficiency and been the most faithful in their work up to that date will be elected. Men who have worked for The Tech previous to this season may be advanced before December.

CORNELL-WILLIAMS GAME CANCELLED.

Following a meeting of the Cornell Athletic Council yesterday morning, Dean A. W. Smith announced that on account of the death of S. B. Paine, the Freshman football player, who died last night, after having received injuries in a football scrimmage on October 18, and out of respect, as he was a member of the football squad, the game with Williams will not be played today.

An autopsy, held yesterday afternoon, showed that his death was not due to injuries resulting from football, but was due to appendicitis.

PERSONAL HYGIENE.

The second lecture on Personal Hygiene will be given by Dr. White on Wednesday, November 2nd, from 2 to 3 o'clock, in Room 6, Lowell.

A. E. BURTON, Dean.

Attention is called to the fact that this lecture will be from 2 to 3 o'clock, instead of 3 to 4 o'clock, as it was last week, and drill will be postponed.

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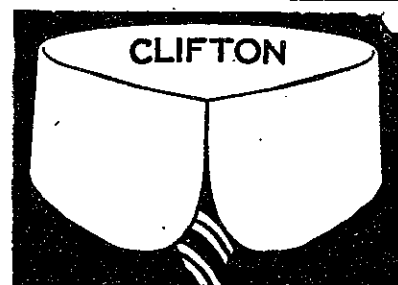


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the tools of a secret and all powerful cabal? And as it is with principles, so has it been with the selection of candidates for office. Again and again men have been chosen who were in no sense affiliated with the so-called machine, who owed their nomination to their own abilities and to the influence which they exercised over the rank and file of the party. This very year Dudley Cotton has been selected as a candidate for Congress in the 11th district of our city, although Commissioner O'Meara, his opponent for the nomination, was known as the intimate friend and associate of the Governor and of the so-called bosses of the party, and our candidate for Attorney-General is a young man totally unconnected with the party managers, whose only claim to preferment was his ability, proved by successful conduct of the office of District Attorney in his own district, and his hold on the voters he gained by his vigorous and engaging personality. These are but two instances among many—on every hand new men are constantly coming to the fore, not selected by any coterie of party managers, but owing their advancement to their own characters and their own energy. As such men have appeared and shown themselves fitted for the work on hand, the older chieftains of the party have given them cordial and generous welcome, and have made room for them among the leaders as soon as they showed capacity to lead. The same liberty that has been enjoyed by the leaders has been enjoyed also by us of the rank and file. No one has ever tried to put collars on our necks or asked us to give any subservience unworthy of a free citizen. For the past eight years I have been an active worker in the Republican ranks, have been a delegate to numerous conventions, have held office and have been the party's candidate for office. In all that time I have never been asked to surrender a principle or in any way been hampered in my freedom of action. When I have differed in opinion from my party chiefs, I have said so frankly; where I have thought it my duty to act independently I have done so openly and in both speech and action I have been unhindered and unrebuked. As it has been with me, so it has been with the countless other young men who are enlisted under the Republican banner. We have served gladly because we have served freely, and

we follow our leaders loyally, because they ask nothing from us that honorable men cannot willingly give. This is why today the party presents a united front to the enemy, and why we ask for it a continuance which has been shown it by the voters of the Commonwealth.

COURSE IV. NEWS.

A meeting of the Architectural Society was held on October 17, at which nominations for membership were made. The first smoker was held in the department on the evening of October 22. Mr. Ernest Flagg, of New York city, architect of the Singer Building and of the Naval Academy at Annapolis, was the speaker. He explained some very interesting opinions on the subject, "Relation of Proportion to Architectural Style." Early in November will be held the first business meeting, which will include the new scheme of having a paper read by a member of the society. Mr. F. A. Burton of the 5th year will give an account of the trip abroad which he enjoyed this summer.

A great deal of space on the blackboards of the department has been given recently to a display celebrating honors which Mr. Kebbon's classmates have lately thrust upon him. The general sentiment is that "It's great to be a hero."

1913 VS. LOWELL TEXTILE.

Comparative Merits of Freshmen and Sophomore Teams May Be Shown Today.

The 1913 football squad goes to Lowell this afternoon, leaving the North Station on the 1.50 train for the final game before the struggle with the Freshmen on Field Day. Coach Matters is confident of victory with a margin of two touchdowns. A large squad will be taken and many of the second string men will receive their final try-out. The results of this game will give some dope on the contest on November 4. The Freshmen won from Lowell by a score of 23 to 6.

The following is the provisional lineup for this afternoon's game: Eichorn (Muther), f. b.; Goff, r. h. b.; Wilfe (Whitman), l. h. b.; De Coen, g. b.; Fallon (Horner, Lowell), l. c.; Capen (Hodgeman), l. t.; Gibson (Lieber), l. g.; Gustin c.; Gage (Freeman), r. g.; Perkins (Murdock), r. t.; Weeks, r. e.

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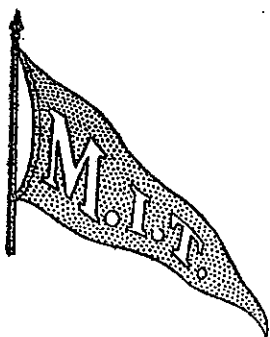
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1913 Dinner postponed until Wednesday, Nov. 2. All tickets good for that date.

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1912.

Nominations for class officers open until Wednesday, Nov. 2, at 4 P. M. Leave at Cage or with Committee.

D. F. BENBOW, Chairman.
D. E. BENT.
H. S. BENSON.
R. T. RATHBURN.

NOTICE.

The exercises of the Institute will be suspended on Friday, November 4th, after 12 o'clock M., for Fall Field Day.

A. L. MORRILL, Secretary.

1913.

Sophomores who have not received ballots should call at the Cage for them. 20-24

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H. A. MAYER,
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Theatre Tickets.

Seats for Tech Night at the theatre will be on sale in Rogers corridor from today until Friday, October 28, from 1.20 to 2 o'clock. Those not obtaining seats before Friday, October 28, from the theatre committee, will be compelled to go to the box office for them. No seats reserved without payment.

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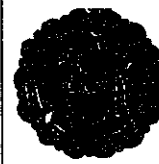
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