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TECH vs DARTMOUTH AT GYM WEDNESDAY NIGHT

FINAL MUSIC TRIALS FOR TECH SHOW ON FEB. 24
Coach Sangster Will Be Present and Make Final Selections

VERY SATISFACTORY SHOWING

Opening Chorus Written By O. B. Denison. (See Above Previous Standard.

The final Music trials for Tech Show, 1911, will be held in the Union in the music room at 4.10 P. M. on the afternoon of February 24. Coach Sangster who is returning from Atlantic City where he has been producing a play, will be present to preside and with the help of Stage Manager, E. H. Schell, will deciding the ultimate choice of the musical numbers. It is of the utmost importance, however, that these selections be offered at this time.

A large part of the music submitted for these final trials is from the factory. Seven of the numbers including the opening choruses has already been selected and where this is the case, the work leaves nothing to be desired. Mr. O. B. Denison, '11 is already well known and his former work for Tech Show speaks for itself. This year he has carried all three opening choruses and the song entitled "The Butler's Story--" speaks for itself. This year he has carried the opening choruses have already been selected and where this is the case, the work leaves nothing to be desired.

Joseph C. Fuller, '11 who distinguished himself as "pretty girl" in "The Queen of the Canal/' last year has also done some very good work on the music. He has been very successful and it would be fitting if "He Shall Come Down in A Minute" and "If I Could Only Talk Like That." He is especially to be congratulated because these songs, "Be Down in A Minute" and "If I Could Only Talk Like That," are usually catchy and the metre is smooth with an irresistible swing to it.

The membership of the society has been increasing normally and the prospects are very bright for the future, now that this transmitting station is in a room which will be built for the society.

The society with the Navy Yard, that all sending will be stopped by the society at the request of the Yard. Auspicious hopes are being entertained that the society will be held at four o'clock in the Electrical Engineering Laboratory.

Work On Transmitting Station Begins Early This Week

Although a comparatively young organization, the M. I. T. Wireless Club, desirous to undertake work that bids fair to bring it very prominently before the institutions and the world in general, in a very short time. The Wireless Society is going to install a transmitting station to be located in a room which will be built for the society in the Electrical Engineering Laboratory. The apparatus in this room will be of a certain success of the society. A great deal of care must be taken, however, that there shall be no interference with any commercial or naval station, for in this, the transmitting station will be taken away. The society has an understanding with the Navy Yard that all sending will be stopped by the society at the request of the Yard.

The Summary;


Time 4-5 seconds.


Time 2 minutes, 38 seconds.


Time 5 minutes, 10 seconds.


Time 4-5-3 seconds.

The German universities this year have made good by the Class. As the situation is to be remembered that only those who have paid up all their dues in full, through the Junior year, and have continued with the Class of 1911, in their work and assessments and have otherwise adhered to the By-laws have heretofore been sent only to those men who have complied with both of the above requirements are entitled to have their names appear on the Class Day Committee's ballot. Therefore, the men who are not on the list, and who are the only senior to square himself if he has not already done so.

The other important question to be discussed in the Senior Pontifical Committee's finances. The question of whether the Class will back up the Committee, will be brought up for immediate action. Should the Class vote to stand behind the venture, any profits would naturally be turned into the Class treasury; on the other hand any deficit must be paid by the Class. The question of the Constitution now stands, any profits are at the disposal of the Committee any and defect must be met by them personally. The sentiments and expressions of the members of the Class Society has been particularly dear on this matter by-day for it is a very important problem.

Invitations for the Day festivity are being sent to such men as have paid up all their dues and assessments and who sign the list. The awesom certificates will be respectfully carried out this year so that it is up to every senior to square himself if he has not already done so.

The first step is to attend the meeting.

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CALENDAR

Monday

4.00-Mandoon Club Practice—Union.
2.00—Basket Ball—Gym.
1.00—1911 Class Mfg.—11 Eq. B.
1.00—Basket Ball—Union.
4.00—1911 Basket Ball—Gym.

Tuesday

1.00—Tech Board Mfg.—Union.
1.30—Union Con. Mfg.—Cage.
1.00—Basket Ball—Gym.
4.15—Vanity Track Team Practice—
4.15—1911 Track Team Practice—Gym
4.15—Institute Con. Mfg.—Union.
4.15—Masonic Club Concert—Wellesley
Tech vs. Wesleyan Basketball—Middlesex
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Only one game stands between the Basket Ball Team and the end of its season and this is to occur on the night of Washington's birthday. The opposing team will represent Dartmouth and the question "What change, if any, should be made in the building laws regarding the construction and space between buildings in congested districts" was discussed, and the speakers in general blamed the insurance companies for the present state of affairs. The present method of building wooden houses almost entirely throughout the suburban districts makes the prevention of spread of fires extremely difficult; according to the opinions there expressed the blame lies with the insurance companies and the ignorance and recklessness of the people. The harmful effect of the insurance companies, it was alleged, does not arise from wrong business practice, but from the fact that their mere existence and assumption of the fire risks causes house builders to take risks a man who had to stand the loss himself would never think of taking. The second cause, the recklessness and ignorance of the people, should be reformed through more stringent regulations strictly enforced; and education of the public to regard the rights of neighbors. Mr. Morse believes that in Mr. Allen he has a competent cutter, in-
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It is welcome news to the many engineers in Tech that the increases were given to the members of the engineering force, a large proportion to the division heads. The modification gives 41 engineers the first raise in salary since 1900. At that time, 1908, a comparison between Boston and New York showed that the average salary for engineers here was $290 a year, against $176 paid in New York; and prior to yesterday increases the salaries in the latter city were in excess of those in Boston. This recent increase authorized by the commission raises the average to $4390 a year which, however, the commissioner claims is less than the wage of the average skilled mechanic.

DISPUTE BETWEEN
RUSSIA AND CHINA

Russia Claims That The Terms Of 1895 Treaty Have Been Broken

Unexpectedly sudden developments have strained the relations between Russia and China almost to the breaking point and it is feared in diplomatic circles that the utmost endeavors of the world powers will be necessary to prevent an open rupture. Russia, the aggressor in the case, claims that China has repeatedly and grossly broken the terms of the treaty of 1895, by which Russia was given certain commercial privileges in Manchuria as well as Mongolia, and she has issued an ultimatum demanding the admission of the world powers to enforce her ultimatum is shown by the fact that a large body of troops is being rushed to Manchuria.

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