MUSICAL CLUBS PLAN FINE SPRING CONCERT

Tickets May Be Reserved Soon--Preliminary Orders Out Monday.

The spring concert and dance which is given every year by the combined musical clubs will take place this year on April 17, the first day of which is given every year by the Musical Club.

The mechanicals to have big banquet.

Annual dinner to be held next Tuesday--Nominations due tomorrow afternoon.

The members in charge of this banquet have selected the best speakers in mechanical engineering circles, and will choose an interesting man, whether or not a member of the society, to be present. The announcement of the reception arrangements will be made during the even-

Smythe-Martin and his team will have row, or "manana per la manana."

The firm of Holbrook, Cabot & Rollins will be the guest of the evening.

The last big affair of the Civil Engineering Society before its annual banquet next Tuesday evening, March 18, at the Boston Civic Club. The club is on Beacon street, just in the corner from the Boston Edison Company, will be one of the speakers.

The winning team will meet Brown. Brown Thursday night in the Lyman Gymnasium. Although the team has won this year more games than at any previous year, and prospects bright for a victory in its first intercollegiate meet, Brown has some good key men who have proved to be equal to competition. J. R. Rossiter of Brown is expected to be a wonder. He will represent his team in the middle weight class. J. Wilson and R. Walker have shown up well in the 130-pound and 125-pound classes, respectively.

Unique entertainment planned for next Friday evening.

The winner of this week's T. C. A. Talk to be announced Thursday afternoon.

The topic is "Australia and Its Possibilities for Australia." The speaker is R. M. Fishburne, a member of the Education course here, who will give a description of Australia, its possibilities for colonization, and what the mining possibilities are.

The Field will open to 10,000 young men. Mr. Lehman will discuss the great engineering possibilities of Australia, its possibilities for civil engineers, and the great scope of its possibilities for mechanical engineers.

An interesting feature of the lecture will be the lantern slides. These are owned by the Australians, who have shown them in England, Scotland, Wales and Ireland for the purpose of showing the availability offered by Australia to young men who wish to succeed.

"WEALTH FROM WASTE."

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RIFLE CLUB PLANS OUTDOOR SEASON

Vacancies Filled at Meeting of Club—Haslam Is New Secretary.

At a meeting of the Rifle Club yesterday noon the members present accepted the resignation of H. G. Haslam, the secretary of the club. G. G. Haslam was elected to fill his place. A. W. Williams was chosen as a member of the executive board, to take the place of Mr. Babich, who has left the institute.

The president spoke of the various competitions conducted by the X. R. A., in which the members of the club can compete. Arrangements were made to obtain targets for the use of the men. All this week the grounds have been open for the men to get in as much practice as possible on outdoor ranges.

The indoor practice is being held regularly every Monday and Wednesday afternoons at the First Corps Cadets' range in its Armory on Columbus avenue. Among the men active in the Rifle Club are: H. J. Babich, P. C. Warner, P. H. Terry, W. A. Bryant, R. H. Rogers, 1912; R. H. Rogers, 1914; G. G. Haslam, 1914; J. C. Williams, M. M. Sage, R. G. Brown and E. G. Gagnon, 1915.

COMMUNICATION.

To the Editor of THE TECH:

"What do you think about having another "Hook Night," fellows?"

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Thus we have the etymology of the word.

Now it is many times as painful for us to write this as it is for you to read. However, it is a most cordial invitation for all to volunteer their services. Allie experiences tell us that the club is capable of wielding the "Hook" and saving the audience from the etymology of the word.

Finally, let's make this a big event. We are doing our utmost to organize the event properly. All communications should be addressed to the proper departments.

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THE FIELD.

Spring has come at last, and next Monday the Field will be open for the men. All this week the grounds have been open for the reservation of locks.

The Field was a gift from the Alumni, and though it has been open for the first part of last term, several of us have not taken advantage of this magnificent offer.

The track has necessarily been put rather out of commission by the attacks of Winter, but several men have worked on it and it is beginning to regain its former appearance. The Field is supposed to possess one of the finest tracks in New England.

Now a word as to the way fellows are expected to put in their time after they go out to the Field. It is rather unnecessary to speak of our great experience of our coach, Frank Kanaly, as that is already known to everyone. He is well backed up by his assistants. Provision is made for indoor practice in any branch of athletics and it is hoped that all men may have preference for and equal attention is paid to all.

Track athletics are our major sports at the Institute. We have always come out well in competition with other colleges, and the success of our relay teams is well known. The reputation of several men in school at present who have never been out to the field leads us to believe that with their assistance Technology ought to have no difficulty in retaining, if not bettering this reputation. So fellows, come out and get the exercise you need to keep your bodies in good condition.

The Rifle Club outlined fine plans. Tuesday, and should have a good team with the new opportunities for outdoor practice.

The Christian Association has a popular speaker this week, the first man who has agreed to come back a second time. A. T. C. A. hopes that he will carry away a good impression of the Institute, and its interest in "Wealth and Waste."
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FIELD WILL BE OPENED MONDAY

Prospects Are the Best For Excellent Teams in Spring Events.

With the opening of the Field on Monday, the eighteenth, the doors of the track men will swing the Gym and its boards for the creators and the sunshine. The Field will soon become a busy place, for there are more men interested in running and other field events than has appeared for some time. The great interest shown will enable the Institute to turn out good teams in all the branches of running. The cross-country sounds started their work with the hares and hounds run last Saturday. With the greatly launched that is reporting with the Varsity track squad, the season should be able to take care of itself in the N. E. C. A. A. meet. For the interclass field run the Sophomores seem to have the greatest possible odds with them, for there are four Varsity men that may run. Sheed, Nye, Lee and Wilkins will make a rugged group for the experience of the Freshmen to encounter early in April. Though the 1912 team is not yet picked the choice will probably be made from these runners: Wall, Magee, Lowell, Goeury and Hill.

The sprints are more than plentiful and there is much to be said regarding the material from all sources. In the Varsity team, Goeury, Thompson and Munch, with the addition of Dunton and Bolton, will make a formidable 440-squad. Wilson and Wilkins of the Sophomores, and O'Brien of the Freshmen, make an excellent team in the hundred. The huddles are very well taken care of by Huff.

The field events are not so fortunate in having plenty of entrants. It is true that the high jumpers are of high rank. Dalrymple, supported by a strong bunch that is reporting with the Varsity team, Guething, Thompson and Wall, Magee, Agee, Lovell, Guerney and Keith, a prominent epidemiologist of the Institute. The weights are again on the light side; the hammer is keeping up its reputation, and there is much to be said regarding the cause of epidemic in East Bridgewater last summer. which he investigated personally. This will be especially interesting as the cause has not yet been explained, and the members will have a good chance to advance their theories at this State. Dr. Keith holds the position of medical inspector for the State Board of Health and has made a specialty of investigating typhoid epidemics. He will take up in detail the epidemic in East Bridgewater last summer, which he investigated personally. This will be especially interesting as the cause has not yet been explained, and the members will have a good chance to advance their theories on the subject. Dr. Keith is a man of wide practical experience in this field, and will give us unusually thorough discussion. All the Biologicals want to be there promptly at 4:10 P.M.

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