FRESHMEN TO MEET ENGLISH HIGH

Last Important Practice at the Field Tomorrow Afternoon.

The Freshman baseball team will have important practices at the Field tomorrow, and as this is the last practice that the team will have before playing English High on Saturday afternoon, it is very important every candidate should be there.

The team has had a very good batting and seventy candidates are wanted out to get as much as possible. As many as possible should be there.

There seems to be enough teams to keep any man from being thirsty.

About time for the Tech pins to arrive.

MUSICAL CLUBS GIVE FINE ENTERTAINMENT

Combined Clubs Played Before Roxbury Massons Last Evening.

Last night the Musical Clubs gave one of the best concerts which they have yet presented before a gathering of Masons numbering over two hundred and fifty. The occasion was "Ladies' Night," at Lafayette Lodge of Roxbury, of which Professor F. J. Robinson is at present Grand Master.

The members went out early, and before giving them a chance to do the same.

The performance was exceptionally fine and contained some of the finest works, which are to be presented at the spring concert next Wednesday night.

The efforts of the Glee Club were especially appreciated and the fellows were forced to respond to several encores.

At the close of the entertainment, at 11 o'clock, the floor was cleared, and dancing was enjoyed until shortly after midnight, while in one of the back rooms other entertainments were provided for those who did not care to participate in the dancing.

The general opinion was that the floor deserved its reputation as the finest in the country, and few faulted themselves of the opportunity to participate.

The general opinion was that the affair was the clearest one that the Musical Clubs have ever attempted.

The program was as follows:

- The New Rev Match.
- Mandolin Club.
- Under the Southern Moonlight.
- Glee Club.
- A Black Cowpiper.
- Harjo Club.
- The Romance of a Rose.
- Mandolin Club.
- What the Chipping Song.
- Glee Club.
- The Boatman's Song.
- Mandolin Club.
- laneseh Clogs.
- Harjo Club.
- Stein Song.

Besides this musical program Mr. Briggs read several selections, which were greatly appreciated.

NEW WATER COLORS.

Robinson, '08, Exhibits Recent European Work in Pience.

Today an exhibition of water color paintings by Mr. J. Robinson, '08, will open in the display room of the Architectural Department, on the fourth floor of Pierce Building. The work consists of measured drawings and a large number of sketches prepared by Mr. Robinson while on a visit to Europe lasting a year and a half. He has been since his graduation connected with the office of Guy G. Coudert, the designer of the Museum of Fine Arts in the Fenway.

There seems to be enough water color painters in the country to keep any man from being thirsty.

About time for the Tech pins to arrive.

EFFECT OF SEWERS ON A CITY'S DEATH RATE

Point Emphasized By Mr. Eddy In Talk Before Civils Yesterday.

Fifty men were present yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock, in 11 Engineering, to hear Mr. Harrison P. Eddy speak of the sewerage system in Louisville, Kentucky. In 1866 the State Legislature of Kentucky passed a law pointing a commission of five men to superintend the construction of a new sewerage system in Louisville. The conditions in that city were very bad with respect to sewerage disposal, both because of the lack of proper treatment, and because of the severity of the penalties on those who did not care to participate in the cleaning.

The men appointed by the state were especially pleased, and a general opinion of the nature of the work. The results of the investigation were presented to Mr. Eddy in a novel manner. He gave statistics of the death rate in Louisville before and after the laying of the sewers, and the decrease was so small, marvelous. Even more wonderful than this was the reduction in the death rates in Louisville and those in other larger cities, for that of the former is surprisingly low.

AERO CLUB MEETING.

A Few Members Hear Talk On Propeller Testing.

The Aero Club had a meeting yesterday afternoon, at which the following members were elected: For President, M. J. Robinson, '08; for Vice President, E. L. Custer, '15; for Treasurer, Thomas, '13; for Secretary, Mr. Kershaw, '15. For Treasurer, Thomas, '13; for Secretary, Mr. Kershaw, '15. The meeting was not as well attended as those in charge of the affair had expected.

The members appointed a committee to inspect the club's equipment, and to report on their condition at the next meeting, which will probably be held in about three weeks.

TRIP BY BIOLOGICALS.

Saturday afternoon the Biological Society will make a trip to the Veterinary Institute at the Union. This Institute is the laboratory building of the Veterinary School. The Biologicals will be chartered by the Di-rector in charge.

CALENDAR

In Charge of S. H. Taylor, 1614.

Thursday, April 11.

1:30—C. A. T. Union—Orchestra Rehearsal.

4:00—Orchestra Rehearsal—Lower Office.

6:00—Book Night—Union.

8:30—News Board Meeting—Lower Office.

Friday, April 12.

4:15—Navy Board Meeting—Upper Office.

9:00—Inter-class Meet—Tech Field.

NINETEEN-THREE HAS REUNION HERE

Members Hear Talk On "The Oxy-Acetylene Blowpipe" After Dinner.

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The class of 1903, after having enjoyed a dinner in the upper room of the Union, then met on a trip to an interesting talk on "The Acetylene Blowpipe." The talk was given by Mr. Kershaw of the use of the oxy-acetylene blowpipe, and then the Union of the oxy-acetylene flame with oxygen under heavy pressure through the oxy-acetylene flame into the water. The cutting is accomplished by the exhalation of the iron, the heavy pressure water stream, and the oxy-acetylene flame near the metal.

Another type of pipe which gives oxygen to the oxy-acetylene flame does not use the oxy-acetylene blowpipe, and that which was used was the oxy-acetylene generator in steam coils to prevent the work being interfered with by the heavy cutting of rust which had been formed, and of course prevented further extraction.

Mr. Kershaw had charge of the work of cutting away the wreckage on the Maine with this apparatus during the process of refitting, and had a number of anecdotes to tell. He showed a photograph of a large union man who was opening a passage with the blowpipe pointed at the deck of the warship's 8-inch wrought-iron plate was rapidly cut in two. It is entailed with a pipe no larger than the one used last night a plate ten and a half inches thick can be cut. Mr. Kershaw had many interesting photographs of the Maine which were shown after the talk.

The Musical Clubs seemed to enjoy the "best floor in the country."

Winchester won the inter-collegiate water polo championship by defeating the University of Illinois, the final score being 11 to 1.

They also won the swimming meet by a score of 63 to 34.
THE TECH

The communication which we print in this morning's issue is a very com- plete proof of the truth of our editorial yesterday. The attempt at clamor by the House Committee from blame has only intensified our belief in the idea that there have been run- ning things in a selfish manner.

Our correspondent claims that the House Committee was not notified of the arrival of the gift by the Student President. The insistence of this attack may be judged when it is known that President Kebbon has had a catalogued list of the books made at the expense of much time and inconvenience, and intends to present the same to the Union Committee today.

From another point arises. Our correspondent says that perhaps a more serious charge was made on the shelves by those not making up the lists, and on the shelves nearest the main door at that. The House Committee had sufficient experience to anticipate the natural results of such an action and would have done nothing so rash. Now, with this remarkable fund of experience that the correspondent claims for the committee, we ask why should there have been such a repping of the same shelves near the door?

We undoubtedly remarks that if the House Committee had been equal to the duties of their office they would have known of the gift in ample time to devise a scheme for the clearing of the books in question. The remainder of the letter is a complete confession with the words stated in our editorial, and we thank the correspondent for his candor in desiring to fall in with our ideas on the subject.

CRITICISM.

THE TECH has come in for a great deal of criticism lately on account of the policy of its editorial column. We have been accused of blackening the school in the eyes of the outside world and generally damaging the reputation of the Institute.

The absurdity of the charge makes it almost unworthy of criticism, but we are not so inclined to say that the policy of THE TECH is to further the Interests of Technology, and if a deed needs scathing criticism it will get it whether certain parties in our midst, whether any such persons were caught, as we have at the Institute any one with any such idea of decency as to take books given under these or any other conditions. It would go hard with all the reputation of the Institute, and we have heard remarks which bore ill to any honest man found in this vicinity. One man had a book in the dining room at lunch Tuesday, and I believe that more than one book has been taken from the building, of which there is no record.

Olivier D. Powell

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DR. W. A. TUFTS WILL SPEAK BEFORE T. C. A.

Pastor of Presbyterian Church
Here Today in Union At
1:30 O'clock.

Today the speaker at the noon meeting will be the Rev. W. A. Tufts, who is the pastor of the First Presbyterian Church.

His subject is to be "The Man Behind the Gun," which he has chosen himself, and is prepared to make as practical and helpful one for every one who hears him today.

His ability as a speaker and leader in other ways became known to people in Boston before his appearance here in his present church, and it was because of this reputation that he was offered the pastorate. His success in building up an influential church that before had not amounted to much, fully justified all expectations and showed that a man of such calibre as his can bring success to any undertaking that did not look very promising.

A man that can accomplish so much in his church in a short time will have many interesting things to tell the members, and the Association hopes that a big crowd will be in the Union at half past one to listen to him speak about "The Man Behind the Gun."

COMMUNICATION.

(We invite communications from all men. We take no responsibility for their sentiments or their accuracy, and do not agree that they may come in, whether they are signed or not.)

To the Editor of THE TECH:

I want to protest against your remarks concerning the House Committee's action yesterday. We have at the Institute any one with such a small idea of decency as to take books given under these conditions and go hard with any such persons caught, as I have heard remarks which bore ill to any honest man found in this vicinity. One man had a book in the dining room at lunch Tuesday, and I believe that more than one book has been taken from the building, of which there is no record.

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THE REESE BOX FROM HARVARD by the 2 to 6.

Harvard football men are being put through scrimmages in the Spring practice this year.

Five Boston boys won in the amateur boxing championships held in Mechanics Hall.

Fordham won from Georgetown in a score of 8 to 6.
FOR GOLF.

Twenty men have reported for the golf team squad and have been actively practising at the Wollaston golf links during the last week. The arrangement is that each man may obtain the use of the links for the afternoon on payment of fifty cents. By special permission the players may use the grounds on Saturday mornings until 12 o'clock only. The links are not open to the men at all on Sundays.

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Catholics Plan for Annual Elections

In the business meeting of which the Catholic Club held Tuesday evening, the president was asked to appoint a committee to make all arrangements for the banquet of May 8th. The committee on the Club Tea of Junior Week reported that all arrangements had been completed, that two rooms at the Hotel Brunswick had been reserved, and that thirty-five men had already signed up. There will be an orchestra of four pieces for one hour, and two or three battles will play tea from 4:30 to 6:30.

The president is appointed to appoint a committee to receive all nominations, to have ballots printed, and to count the latter, so that the results may be announced before the banquet. The nominations must be signed by ten members of the club, and left at the Cage for the committee. The ballots signed by those members who have paid their dues must be in by 4 o'clock on the day of the banquet.

Architects Plan Tea

Will Receive On One Afternoon During Prom Week.

At the business meeting of the Architectural Society, which was held yesterday afternoon in Pierce Building, it was decided that the society give a tea at some convenient time during Junior Week. No definite date has yet been set, for the reason that the officers hope to arrange for several special features which will probably determine the day.

A majority of the members were present, and much business was shown, which the men feel points to as successful a function as has here-tofore been given.

INSTITUTE COMMITTEE

A regular meeting of the Institute Committee was held yesterday afternoon in Room S, Eng. C. It was voted that no courtesies, such as the giving of Techniques for Show tickets, or Show tickets for Prom tickets, be exchanged between the different activities.

A definite ruling was made that the points of Musical Club men, not officers, who are in the Show, be computed to ten. The official "T" can be worn only by men who have a right to wear them under the A. A. rules.

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