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NOTED LECTURER SPEAKS HERE MONDAY EVENING

Mechanical Engineering Society
Has Secured Dr. Rosenzweig
As Lecturer.

The Mechanical Engineering Society claims to have secured a treat for its members at the meeting to be held this coming Monday. Dr. Rosenzweig, of the Erie City Iron Works, will speak on the operation of the Lenz engine under superheated steam. The lecture will be fully illustrated with appropriate slides, and considering the great demand for Dr. Rosenzweig's addresses, should prove an interesting one. This same lecture has been delivered at many points throughout the country, including Yale and the University of Minnesota, and has everywhere been received with enthusiasm.

All men of Course II are extended a hearty invitation to be present, whether they belong to the society or not. It is hoped by the officers of the society that many will take advantage of this offer and that a large crowd will be present to welcome Dr. Rosenzweig. In order to enable everyone to be present, the meeting will be held right after classes (at 4.10 P. M.) on January 13, in Room, 11, Engineering B.

TRACK EVENTS.

No Meet Today—Regular Practice. Difficulty in Getting Harvard to Meet Relay Team.

The usual Saturday handicap meet will not be held this week, owing to the meet of last night at the Gym. There will be, however, regular practice held this afternoon at the Gym, which will consist mostly of light work, probably jogging.

There is some difficulty in making arrangements with the relay teams of the most prominent colleges to enter against the Tech relay team in the meet to be held under the auspices of the B. A. A. on February 8th. The Technology team has always been a very strong one, capturing the honors in six out of seven of the last meets. This year's team looks to be fully as good as last year's, and ought to pull out a winner if anyone can be found to run against it. So far both Harvard and Yale seem to be unwilling to meet our team, but it is hoped that some arrangement can be made with one of these to run against Tech in the B. A. A. meet.

1916 GOVERNING BOARD.

At the recent meeting of the Governing Board of the Class of 1916 several important matters of business were transacted. As B. E. Adams, the class secretary, has left the Institute, that office was left vacant. The Board elected W. V. Reed, who was the next highest man on the class ballot, for that office, to take his place.

Buxton, who was the class manager of the football team, was re-elected manager. Other elections were as follows: D. B. Webster, manager of the track team, and C. H. Wooley as manager for the baseball team for the spring season.

JUNIORS MAKE A CLEAN SWEEP IN ANNUAL INDOOR TRACK MEET

Fast Times and Close Finishes Make Successful Meet—Benson Wins Feature Mile After Close Race with Palmer—Small Crowd.

	1916	1915	1914	1913
35-yard dash	—	2	8	—
45-yard hurdles	1	7	3	—
440-yard run	—	4	7	—
880-yard run	7	3	1	—
Mile run	5	—	3	3
High jump	2	1	8	—
Shot-put	1	—	8	2
Pole vault	5	5	—	—
Totals	21	22	38	5

The most exciting run of all was the mile, which was won by Benson, Palmer finishing second, and Nye third, and Lee fourth. The time was 4 minutes, 59 seconds. At the start Palmer took a good lead and set up a very fast pace, holding it for about five laps. Benson and Nye meanwhile showed some fine running, both gaining steadily on Palmer, but being unable to pass him until later. Nye and Benson had an exciting little set-to of their own while trying to catch Palmer. Nye led Benson at the start but the latter could not overtake him for a number of laps, although he tried several sprints. During one of these sprints, however, he not only passed Nye but took the lead away from Palmer, who was still going at a steady clip.

Benson held the lead for two laps, until Palmer let out again, but could only hold the lead for a lap. Nye had been closely following these two during this time, and when Benson again sprinted and passed Palmer, he showed a remarkable burst of speed and passed both of these. As the last three laps were run the excitement increased, those in the stand encouraging the runners, as well as the entrants of the other races who were looking on. These were continually shouting advice to the leaders and exhorting them to do their best. Benson, urged on by his classmates, again showed his characteristic reserve of strength after a hard run, passing Nye without much difficulty. The last lap was a surprise to everyone. Palmer had been following Benson and Nye and was looked on as third man. Much to the surprise of all he speeded up during the final lap, passed Nye and came in second with Nye and Lee following.

The 880-yard run was considered by all to have been the second best run. Huff took the lead in the beginning and held it the larger part of the entire time. Dean, '16, showed up extremely well, following Huff closely. Dean attempted to pass Huff a number of times but was unsuccessful until the latter part of the race. These two held the lead until the eighth lap, Dean continually striving to obtain the lead. Guething began to spurt during the eighth lap and passed all those ahead of him. During this sport he was followed closely by Hill and finished an easy first. During the remainder of the race C. T. Guething

led and finished an easy first, the time being 2:15 2-5.

Hill and Dean had a strenuous race for second place, first one leading and then the other, until in the final spurt Hill pulled out ahead. Dean's sprints against Huff in the earlier parts of the race had told heavily upon him. Huff finished in fourth place.

The results of the quarter-mile run showed distinctly the disadvantages of running on a small crowded track. The large number entered made it almost impossible to pass a man during this short race. Those that took the lead at the start were the winners. Bolton, '14, showed extraordinary speed during the entire race. He took the lead at the start and at no time during the race was he in danger of being overtaken. As the final lap was run he spurted the entire distance, showing himself an easy winner.

Parry, T. H. Guething and Clark, who finished in the above order, did not show much difference of ability, all three running close together during the entire race. Clark led the other two for about half the distance, when Parry, who was closely followed by Guething, darted ahead, leaving Clark to follow. Guething attempted to pass Parry, who was just leading him, several times, but owing to the foul marks at the corners, could not get by at the finish. Bolton, whose time was 59 seconds, had a full quarter of a lap on Parry and Guething, who were but a very short distance apart, with Clark coming up behind a close fourth.

There were four entries in the high jump, McKinnon, Hall, Garita and Thomas. McKinnon, who was looked on as second man, with Hall first, to the surprise of all captured first place by one and three-quarter inches, clearing five feet seven and three-fourth inches. Hall came second, getting over the bar at five feet six and one-half inches. McKinnon cleared five feet five and three-quarter inches, while Thomas went over four feet ten and one-quarter inches.

The 35-yard dash was run in three preliminary heats, two semi-final heats and a final heat. All were closely contested. Wilson, Wilkins and Bolton, all Juniors, and Smith, a Sophomore, reached the final heat. At this point Bolton dropped out, and the final result was in favor of Wilkins. (Continued to Page 2, Col. 2.)

IMPORTANT INSTITUTE COMMITTEE MEETING

Activities Reinstated—Changes Recommended in Point System.

At the Institute Committee meeting, yesterday, many subjects of vital importance to the student body were discussed. After the roll was called the following men were found to be absent: E. B. Germain, A. A.; P. D. Horgan, Arch. Society, and C. H. Albee, Chemical Society. The minutes were then read and corrected. The treasurer reported that all dues were paid to date. Murdoch, in his report for the Point System Committee, stated that E. C. Taylor has resigned as photographic editor of Technique, but that his name will appear in the book just the same; also that Hurlbutt has resigned the management of the hockey team. The Point System Committee further recommended the revision of certain points, as follows: Business Manager, Editor-in-Chief and Managing Editor of THE TECH, eight points; chairman of the Union Committee, ten points; Tech Show light man, five points; treasurer of the Tech Show, nine points, and class treasurers, four points.

Chairman Russell, of the All-Technology Dinner Committee, then reported that there were 154 people present at the dinner, that \$115 were taken in, but that there was a deficit of \$10. Good fellowship was shown and the dinner was a success. The report was accepted.

Fry, of the Bulletin Board Committee, reported that constant supervision was being kept up. H. D. Peck, of the Committee on the Constitution and By-laws of the proposed M. I. T. Undergraduate Association, distributed copies of the new by-laws and recommended that the members of the Institute Committee read, discuss and act upon them at the next meeting. Murdoch reported for the Union Investigation Committee, and recommended the appointment of a committee with considerable power, which is to consist of two parts, namely, the House Committee, which is to consist of one Senior, who will be the chairman of both committees; one Junior and one Sophomore. The second division of the committee will (Continued to Page 3, Col. 2.)

THE WEATHER.

Forecast for Boston and vicinity: Probably rain or snow today; moderate southerly winds.

CALENDAR.

4.00—Yale-Tech Hockey Game—New Haven, Conn.
6.03—Train for Orchestra Concert at Lowell—North Station.
8.00—1915 Basketball, St. John's Prep—St. John's.
8.00—1916 Basketball—Quincy Y. M. C. A.

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4.10—Dr. Rosenzweig Addresses Course II—11 Eng. B.
8.00—1914 Basketball—Cushing Academy.

1.35—Meeting of all men on the Athletic Department of THE TECH—Lower Office.

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1.15—Institute Committee Picture—Notman's Studio.

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There seems to be a feeling among some of the student activities concerning the Finance Commission in particular and Institute affairs in general, which is far from a good one. The Finance Commission has had occasion to publish the names of several activities which have not reported regularly, many of them twice and three times during the present term, and in one case no report was received until the last meeting. Another treasurer had collected a very small percentage of the dues, although his activity is one in which it is especially easy to see all of the men; and was at the same time carrying on his books a bill for the insert in *Technique*, 1913. Perhaps the treasurers of these activities do not realize that they are not only preparing themselves for a strong reprimand from the Institute Committee, but are laying the way for the activity's very poor standing.

Gross neglect is the only term in which such a condition can be characterized, and there is no excuse for the man who allows himself to be so careless. If he is not able to hold the position he should resign at once, but the chances for such a state of affairs are so few that they do not need consideration, for there is no minor activity at the Institute whose books cannot be kept up to date with but two hours' attention during the week, after the first rush of collecting dues.

However, we do not wish to condemn without stating that it is cooperation of all Technology men and activities that is being sought by the Institute Committee, and that such conditions absolutely defeat the purpose.

YALE GAME POSTPONED.

The hockey game with Yale, which was to have been played tonight at New Haven, has been postponed. The team was nearly ready to start when a telegram was received saying that the game could not be played because of lack of ice. No date has been set for another game as yet, but the manager hopes to be able to arrange for another game before the end of the season.

Six students of the chemistry department of Indiana University have accepted positions in the sugar laboratories of Porto Rican companies.

JUNIOR BASKETBALL WINS FROM QUINCY

Fast Game—Tirrell and Williams Starred for the Tech Juniors.

The fast Tech Juniors defeated the Quincy High team yesterday afternoon by 37 to 14, at Quincy. The game was exceedingly interesting during both halves, the High School fellows putting up a very fast and plucky fight throughout. Tirrell and Williams starred for the Tech team, each securing four goals and two fouls to their credit. Andrews showed up well for Quincy, caging three goals and two fouls.

Following is the summary:
Tech, 1914. Quincy High.
Tirrell, r. f. r. f. Brown, Andrews
Williams, l. f. l. f. Prout, Sanford
Forbes, Ruoff, c. c. White
Price, r. g. r. g. Larkin, Crane
Bryant, l. g. l. g. Jenkins
Score: Tech 37, Quincy 14.

The goals for Quincy were made, as follows: Andrews 3, Brown, Sanford, White, Crane. Fouls, Andrews 2, Sanford. Those for Tech, 1914, were: Tirrell 4, Williams 4, Price 4, Bryant 3, Ruoff. Fouls, Tirrell 2, Williams 2. Time: 20-minute halves.

INDOOR TRACK MEET.

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who was a few inches in advance of Wilson. Smith, '15, was a close third. The next event was the 40-yard hurdle race, for which there were only four entrants. Curtis defeated Huff rather easily in the first heat, while Foster won the second heat, Leeper, '16, falling at the third hurdle. Leeper and Huff ran in a heat for second men, the latter winning by about a yard. In the final heat Curtis won from Huff by a foot, Foster being close behind. This gave 1915 seven points, a great addition to their score. At this point the Juniors led by several points.

There were many entrants for the shot-put, and the showing better than has been done at the majority of the meets this season. Favorite, '14, and T. H. Guething, '14, were both in fine form, and outdistanced their competitors. Favorite took first, with a put of 33 feet 8 inches, while Guething was second. Freeman made third best put, thus adding two points to the rather scanty score of the Seniors. A Freshman, Maier, was third.

The last event to be finished was the pole vault, in which a Freshman, Laurason, easily out-vaulted all his competitors, most of whom, judging by their efforts, had never seen a vaulting pole before. It certainly is very much of a disgrace to Tech to have only one man, and he a Freshman, who will come out and try for the pole vault. In the meets in the Spring, Tech, instead of taking three or four points in this event, as is usually the case, will be compelled to sit back and watch the other colleges take these points. Tech has always made a good showing in the pole vault, and Coach Kanaly is very anxious to have some of the men show their spirit by coming out for this event, in order to once more make a good showing in the meets this Spring. As it is, the only entrants last night were fellows who had scarcely, if ever, pole-vaulted before. Curtis, '15, managed to clear seven feet, and Thomas, '15, did enough to take third place, while, as no one else was able to clear the first height, no one was awarded fourth place. Laurason, '16, was the only man who had done any practice previous to the meet, and cleared nine feet six inches.

While the pole vault was being decided Wilson and Wilkins chose up sides for a relay race. Manager White flipped a coin, and Wilkins, being a lucky man, received first choice, and seized the opportunity by choosing T. H. Guething. He followed this (Continued on Page 3.)

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up by selecting Smith, '15, Curtis, '15, Thomas, '15, Foster, '15, Lee, '14, Nye, '14, and Freethy, '16. Captain Wilson came back strong with a team composed of Barry, '15, C. T. Guething, '16, Huff, '14, Bolton, '14, Dean, '16, Roper, '16, and Freeman, '13. Roger Freeman, although a shot-putter, managed to take the lead at the start and keep it until he fell in the second lap. The team led by Captain Wilkins, which we might call the "Mug-wipers," then obtained the lead, but only for a short time, as "Bud" Thomas also fell and obtained a shower of sparks from the brick wall. For some time after it looked like Captain Wilson's team, the "Coal-heavers," to win, but young Guething disturbed calculations by being the third man to fall, and the "Mug-wipers" once more took the lead. Wilson, however, made a strategic move by running across the floor at the end of the grand-stand, winning by a few yards, only to have the victory protested by Wilkins' men.

The summary:

35-yard dash—First heat, won by E. Smith, '15; second, L. A. Wilson, '14. Time, 4 seconds.

Second heat—Won by J. W. Bolton, '14; second, A. B. Curtis, '15. Time, 4 seconds.

Third heat—Won by E. Crankshaw, '14; second, J. Barry, '15. Time, 4 seconds.

Fourth heat—Won by H. S. Wilkins, '14; second, W. S. Thomas, '15. Time, 4 seconds.

Semi-finals—First heat won by H. S. Wilkins, '14; second, J. W. Bolton, '14. Time, 4 seconds.

Second heat—Won by L. A. Wilson, '14; second, H. Smith, '13. Time, 4 seconds.

Finals—Won by H. S. Wilkins, '14; second, L. A. Wilson, '14; third, W. Smith, '15.

45-yard hurdles—Won by A. B. Curtis, '15; second, T. H. Huff, '14; third, N. L. Foster, '15; fourth, C. H. Leeper, '16. Time, 5 2-5 seconds.

440-yard dash—Won by J. Bolton, '14; second, T. J. Barry, '15; third, T. H. Guething, '14. fourth L. Clarke, '15. Time, 59 seconds.

880-yard run—Won by C. T. Guething, '15; second, M. E. Hill, '15; third, K. Dean, '16; fourth, T. Huff, '14. Time, 2 minutes, 13 2-5 seconds.

Mile—Won by H. S. Benson, '16; second, R. A. Palmer, '13; third, A. F. Nye, '14; fourth, C. S. Lee, '14. Time, 4 minutes, 59 4-5 seconds.

High jump—Won by J. H. McKinnon, '14; second, L. S. Hall, '14; third, G. Garita, '16; fourth, W. S. Thomas, '13. Height, 5 feet 7 3-4 inches.

Shot-put—Won by R. J. Favorite, '14; second, T. H. Guething, '14; third, R. Freeman, '13; fourth, W. P. Maier, '16. Distance, 33 feet 8 inches.

Pole vault—Won by L. Laurason, '16; second, A. B. Curtis, '15; third, W. Thomas, '15. Height, 9 feet 6 inches.

Officials—Dr. Rowe, referee; starter, J. H. White, '14; judges, P. W. Dairymple, '12, E. T. Marceau, '12, E. W. Mann, '14, M. Lewis, '13, A. J. Pastene, '13, V. V. Ballard, '13, B. Lewis, Jr., '14.

The University of Michigan has twenty-seven alumni in Congress.

Syracuse possesses what is considered the finest rowing tank in the world. A shell is moored in a large pool, and by means of gasoline-driven propellers the effect of a river current is produced. There are various devices for the measurement of speed and strength of stroke.

The fate of the graduate coaching system hangs in the balance at the University of Oregon. A committee composed of one faculty member, the captain-elect of the football team, and the manager of the team, has been appointed to investigate conditions and recommend a new coach.

LOWELL LECTURE HELD IN HUNTINGTON HALL

Professor Emile Legouis Gives Second of His Course of Lectures.

The second of the course of lectures given by Professor Emile Legouis in Huntington Hall was held last night. This lecture was a continuation of the life and works of William Wordsworth, which the professor began last Tuesday evening.

The subject of last night's lecture was the influence on Wordsworth of William Godwin, a contemporary theorist on revolutionary matters, and more particularly as regards the French Revolution.

Professor Legouis began his lecture by stating the difference between Wordsworth's views on the French Revolution and the views given by most of his contemporaries.

Wordsworth stands alone among poets in that he wrote what he actually saw and heard in daily life. For this reason his poems are of more historical value than those of others, such as Coleridge, whose writings are more imaginative.

Wordsworth was greatly enthused over the cause of the people as involved in the French Revolution, and enjoyed the festivities and jubilation which the freedom of France brought. According to his view the Revolution was just; therefore he took the part of the Revolutionists with a vim. During his stay in France he became acquainted with some officers of the army, and in this way was in close touch with revolutionary affairs. The character of one of these officers, as drawn by Wordsworth, while differing somewhat from that of other writers, is exceedingly vivid and exact. Wordsworth, being at this time very young, was so enthused over the Revolution that even after being called back to England he still endeavored to champion the cause of the Revolutionists in the war which broke out between England and France, thus being forced to side against his own country.

In Wordsworth's later years he became acquainted with William Godwin, and his views of life were greatly influenced by the revolutionary theories of the latter. But he always kept the ideas that were so forcefully impressed upon him by the war; in particular, an abhorrence of the power of life and death possessed by the nobles over the peasants.

Professor Legouis concluded his lecture with a tasteful eulogy of the man he had been depicting.

INSTITUTE COMMITTEE.

(Continued from Page 1, Col. 4.) consist of one member, and will be known as the Dining Room Committee. It was then moved, seconded and passed, that the House Committee be instructed to ask the Bursar for a fixed monthly sum to cover the expense of repairs, etc., in the Union. This sum is to be determined from the previous monthly expense for repairs, etc., and that any expense above this amount be approved by the Bursar. It was also moved, seconded and passed, that the Union Committee be appointed by the Executive Committee, subject to the ratification of the Institute Committee. Spear of the Bulletin Board Investigation Committee, which was to look up proper methods for the prevention of the theft of posters, reported progress. He said that the boards are being watched, but that no action has been taken as yet.

H. D. Peck, of THE TECH Advisory Council, recommended Fleming, '15, for Circulation Manager of THE TECH. The recommendation was accepted. A special meeting of the Institute Committee will be held at Notman's Studio on January 14, at 1.15, for consideration of the Union Committee appointments and ratifications, also of THE TECH Advisory Council nominations for Business

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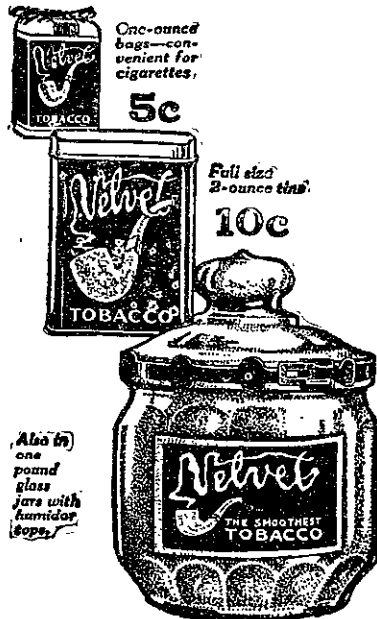
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