CHESS CLUB MEETS
HARVARD SATURDAY
Team Chosen Is Stronger Than
Previous One—Interesting
Matches Expected

At the meeting of the Executive Committee of the Chess Club held in the Union last Wednesday afternoon the following men were present: Paris '14, Newman '13, Woodbridge '16 and Dunning '15. Johnston and Blank were absent. The committee chose Grant '14, Jones '14, Paris '14, Johnston '15, Blank '16, Woodbridge '16, Kenigsberg '17 and Dean '17 to play the meets in the games against Harvard Saturday night. These men are expected to report in the Union at 7:45. In the last contest Harvard succeeded in coming out the winner by a small margin. This time Tech presents a stronger team than before and expects to be a winner in the majority of the matches.

TALK ON FOUNDATIONS
M. C. R. Gow To Speak Tonight
To Architects.

The "Don'ts of Foundations" will be the subject of a talk that is to be given before the Architectural Engineering Society tonight by Mr. M. C. R. Gow. Mr. Gow is an expert on foundations, having had a wide field of experience. Besides his role as a clear speaker and will be able to present information in a manner that will mean much to the men who are just completing their course in Foundations. The meeting will be at 7:30 in Room 42, Pierce Building. All Institute men are invited, especially those who are preparing for the exam in Foundations.

TECHNOLOGY PROMINENT
Heads Of Harvard Engineering Departments Tech Men.

In connection with the proposed co-operative scheme three heads of departments at Harvard which are most closely involved in the plan are prominent Technology graduates. Prof. Geo. C. Whipple of the Sanitary Engineering Department, and Prof. Albert Siuver of the Civil Engineering Department, who is also President of the American Society of Civil Engineers, and graduated from Technology in '77.

JUNIOR PICTURE

A large percentage of the Junior Class turned out yesterday at one o'clock at Rogers Steps for the class picture. The severity of the weather last Tuesday caused the postponement.

Weeds has announced its relay schedule. At the C. A. C. games in the 24th he will meet Worcester Tech. At the B. A. A. games he will run against Williams.

"A ROYAL JOHNNIE" TECH SHOW TITLE
Poster Competition Will Start Mon-
day—Title Selected From Fifty Names.

A title for Tech Show, 1914, which was written by E. L. Kaula, has been decided upon, and as a result of this the poster competition will open Monday at 4 P. M. The title is "A Royal Johhnie," which was the best of about fifty names suggested and considered.

As usual a cash prize of $10.00 will be awarded for the poster which is judged the best by the management and a committee of three men outside of the Institute. The committee consists of an advertiser who judges the picture from the advertising value, a printer or lithographer who judges it from the ease with which it may be reproduced, and a prominent citizen who judges it on its general merits.

The title offers many ideas and should not be a difficult one to draw a poster to. The competition is open to all men attending the Institute. If any man has talent he has a chance whether or not he is an architect.

The conditions governing the competition will be explained fully in the Show office on Monday afternoon by Professor Lucas. Stage Manager Hughes will also be on hand to outline the plot and give his ideas as to how the poster should look after it is drawn.

SPGH GOVERNING BOARD

The Sophomore Governing Board is to meet at Student's Union on Park Street at 1:15 today to have picture for Technique 1915 taken.

Rhode Island State is building up a strong team for this season, and expects to run in the B. A. A., Providence and Hartford games.

The list of honor students and those receiving honorable mention at the last term fills over two columns.

E. L. KAULA

PRESIDENT SPEAKS AT CONVOCATION
Huntington Hall Filled Wednesday
Noon At Talk On Tech-
Harvard Agreement.

Yesterday noon Huntington Hall was filled to its utmost capacity, filled by a large number of Tech men as ever, perhaps, gathered at a convoca-
tion. Each one interested in what President Macalurin had to say regarded the co-operative plan just en-
unciated by the Institute. It was the first time that the undergraduates were given the op-
portunity to hear directly regarding the plan.

In opening his talk to the students, Dr. Macalurin said that the agreement that Technology had just made: with Harvard would undoubtedly have a great influence upon both institu-
tions. There is, at present, much said and written as to whether or not he is an architect. —-

The President stated that the work otherwise done by Harvard would, without such an agreement, be done within the Institute, and under its direc-
tion and control. The Institute continues as now, subject to restriction indeed. The main difference will be that there will be a little less money available for large work, and that, from the standpoint of the Faculty, its number would be in-
creased by fifteen. The faculty now numbers 115.

Harvard University, said Mr. Macalurin, is a great, powerful and rich institution, but its great riches, he stressed, are due to the "co-operative plan just en-
unciated by the Institute with Harvard."

It was furthermore voted to pay to the author of this year's Show the sum of twenty-five dollars. The prize was offered with a view to the the poster competition Will start Monday

NOVICE MEET IN TECH GYM
Match Tomorrow Night Will Be The
Last This Term.

The B. Y. M. C. U. novice meet, in the Tech Gym at 8 o'clock tomorrow night, will be the last wrestling activity before midyear's. Admission to the match will be free and all are invited. Assistant Manager Morse has promised some interesting bouts. The Y. M. C. U.'s men are not known yet, nor are the Tech men, as the final entrance will be held today. The men will, however, be picked from the fol-
lowing list: 115-pound class—De-
ver, B. and Campion; 125-pound class—Stevens and Denno; 135-
pound class—Stevens, Crosby, Ber-
ter and Astorian; 145-pound class—Mertz and Peterson; 155-pound class—Robey and Blalock. The Tech men will be no better in the heavyweight class. Leslie was to work but his ankle is so bad that it will be imper-
sible for him to go on.

As the meet with North Adams to morrow was cancelled by them, the varsity team will be idle until the match with Harvard February 14. Manager Martin and Cunha are making great preparations for the Harvard contest, as it will be the best match Tech will have in the Gym. Accommodations for a crowd bigger than at any which attended the Brown meet will be provided.

INSTITUTE COMMITTEE
REVISES POINT RATING
Report On Reorganization Of Co-
operative Society

At the meeting of the Institute Committee yesterday afternoon Scal-
y presided and Morrill acted as sec-
tetary. The first business to come up was the reorganization of the Tech Show Board naming Lucas '16 as Publicity Manager. This was rati-

The secretary of the Union Commit-
tee gave a report in which he stated that a new style of card sys-
tem of notices of events and room assignments was now being carried out. A calendar of events will also be run in cooperation with THE TECH.

The Point System Committee gave a report on the new rating of points. The extra points which were held by members of the Executive Commit-
tee of the Institute Committee were removed. Members still remain who are members of the Institute Commit-
tee and not not be rated as "over points" by reason of their membership on the Institute Committee. The office of Chairman of the Union Committee was reduced in points from ten to five, the Diving Room Committee received seven to six, membership on Union Committee from seven to five.

Between 5 and 8 o'clock, and guaranteed by the Committee of the M. I. T. A. A. It was decided that the A. A. should be required to submit a de-
talized budget for all the funds it re-
quires.

Mr. C. W. Brett was chosen alumni member of the Finance Committee to succeed Mr. John Wood.

Two plans were submitted by the M. I. T. Co-operative Society Committee for reorganizing the Society. One contemplates subscription by the Abouni of capital to start a society similar to that at Harvard, which will sell magazines, theatre tickets, etc., besides books, on a more similar line.

The next meeting of the Commit-
tee will be held the next Thursday af-
ft er the midyear vacation.

CALENDAR
Friday, January 16, 1914.
1.15—Sophomore Governing Board
Meeting—Yale Hall.
7.30 P. M.—Arch. Eng. Soc.—42
Pierce.
Saturday, January 17, 1914.
8.00—M. I. T. Chess Club vs. Har-
vard.
8.00—B. Y. M. C. U. Novice Meet
—Gym.
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In Charge of This Issue:
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The Convocation

The attendance and spirit at Thursday's convocation showed that President said that the conditions under which the students in question would have been had no agreement been made. The one significant change is that students in those courses concerned in the plan will be able to re-tute or from Harvard, or from both. No such change is thought by some that these subjects would be transferred to Harvard. The President said that such an arrangement would be impossible, and that, furthermore, the agreement states definitely that all courses are to be given in the Institute buildings on the new site.

Speaking of the advantages to the students derived from the co-operative plan, the President said that the principal one lay in the fact that the courses concerned could be candidates for the degrees of both institutions if they so desired, and that as such candidates they would be entitled to all rights and privileges of students at the Institute as well as to those rights now enjoyed by students in the professional schools of the University. These last privileges include the use of the museums and of the libraries at Harvard, the use of the Stillman Infirmary and payment of the required fees, and the use of the athletic field. Participation in varsity athletics is not permitted. These students may attend lectures at the University not included in their regular curricula. Symphony concerts at Saunier's Theatre at Harvard may also be attended. The question regarding the attendance of Tech men at Harvard football games was not considered in the agreement, that being a question rather for the Harvard Athletic Association than for the Corporation. The President said that many similar details that will arise will be worked out at the Institute or one from Harvard. If, however, he intends to take up one of the courses affected by the agreement, he would be asked to designate whether he is seeking a degree from the Institute, or one from Harvard. If the latter is the case, he will be entitled to the privileges previously mentioned, upon satisfying the conditions.

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C. L. Norton.

The exam schedule published in THE TECH as well as the bulletin issued from the office is subject to correction by bulletin for which the students are held responsible.

FINAL DRILL TODAY

Drill will be held today for the last time before mid-year's. Drill was not held last Wednesday as it was impossible to heat the armory.

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THE CONVOCATION

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laid down by the authorities of the University.

The effect upon present classes at the Institute would be, as depends upon when Technology moves to its new quarters across the Charles. The full effect of the agreement will not be felt until the Institute is permanently located in Cambridge, but an effort will be made to keep the gulf by some temporary expedient to a minimum. President Macaulay stated emphatically that there is no ground for believing that the present agreement is only the first step towards consolidation with Harvard. He said that the independence of the Institute is not affected by the agreement, and that he could see no possibility of that independence being seriously imperilled in the future.

The convention was closed with big M. I. T. cheer with "three Macaulains on the end" that was even more hearty than the hearty cheer given when the hall was first filled.

COMMUNICATION.

January 12, 1914.

To the Editor of THE TECH

Dear Sir—Since THE TECH is an outlet for the undergraduate opinions, it seems to me that it is not out of place for me to criticize the policy of the Corporation without in any way bringing discredit on the student publication.

Upon reading the article printed in Monday’s issue of THE TECH with reference to the Alumni Association, the thought came to me as to whether it has perhaps to many of the other undergraduates of the Junior Class at least as many men in the Middle and the Senior Classes as in the Junior Class which are willing to be dictated to by an outsider, merely so that he be a benefactor of the Institute? The President’s remark at the meeting as reported in the columns of THE TECH to the effect that Mr. Smith was heartily in favor with the recent move in uniting Harvard and Tech suggests that perhaps Mr. Smith had to be consulted before the move was made. We wonder if this is so? If it is, we are sincerely sorry; but if, on the other hand, it is merely an incorrect impression, wouldn’t it be well to have some definite statement to that effect? So many times we see colleges and universities controlled by moneyed interests; and just so many times do we see the standard of that institution waver.

Technologically yours,

An Undergraduate.

Silver and bronze medals will be given at Penn hereafter to men who make above a certain standard in different Track and Field events. The idea is that men should work conscientiously throughout the year with little or no chance at competition. This is detrimental to a healthy interest in athletics and the medals are to prevent the loss of second string men.