INTERESTING TALK BY REV. MR. WILLIAMS

Conditions Of "The Underworld" Spoken Of By The Speaker.

The Union was practically filled after the hour, when the Rev. Mr. A. R. Williams, pastor of Maverick Church, East Boston, began his talk on "Glimpses of the Underworld." Mr. Williams said at the outset that little things out of the ordinary in the world attracted very much attention, and that such things as his topic suggested, aroused unusual interest. It would be his desire he continued, so limit the word "Underworld" more narrowly, and to confine his talk to that part of the underworld which constitutes one of the most difficult problems with which the social workers have to cope, namely, the unemployed.

In his many and varied experiences as news reporter in large cities both at home and abroad, Mr. Williams has seen in East Boston the former population of more respectable people, and of people of higher social position, gradually deserted the island, and in its place has come a population consisting of the lower classes and laborers. Rather than let the Maverick Church go to ruin, a congregation of these people has been built up, and the pastor said that among these working men are to be found more honest, more trustworthy, and more fair than many of the average men of the higher classes.

The workingman's uncouth exterior should not be allowed to hide the fact that he will be found in him a heart which is too fair, too just, and too contented. The number of instances of improved character, that the laborer is too good-hearted, and does not feel the sense of injustice, and of discontent exists. Mr. Williams then told of some of his experiences among these working people, and of their ideas of the Institute and in after life.

SOUTHERN CLUB

Meeting In Rogers This Noon.

The meeting of the Technology Southern Club will be held in 21 Rogers today at 1 o'clock. The members are requested to attend the meeting and give their ideas on the various matters discussed.

The Southern Club is a recent organization at Technology made up of men from the Southern States and is one which has as its object the development of the Southern Institute Life. Last year the club gave a series of very successful dances and will probably continue the idea this year.

CROSS-COUNTRY TEAM LEAVES FOR RACE

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CANDIDATES FOR THE TECH MEET THIS NOON

Advantages Of Positions To Be Outlined—New Policy Adopted.

Freshmen and Sophomores (not to mention the upper classmen) are reminded of the meeting of candidates for THE TECH to be held this noon in the lower office in the Union. The head of each department will be there to explain the nature and details of his branch of work, and each applicant will be made fully acquainted with the general routine of the paper.

The chief benefit conferred by the work on the paper, aside from those mentioned in preceding issues, is the number of men with whom it brings one in contact. There is no surer way of increasing one's acquaintance with men worth knowing, and thereby getting into line for various positions of responsibility and honors at the Institution and in after life.

As if THE TECH were not already doing enough for its workers, the policy was changed yesterday by the Managing Board. The chief was given official "shingles" stating the positions they have held on the paper.

We therefore congratulate our friends on their being given the opportunity of being made more prominent in the New England Conservatory of Music.

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As the time for Harvard-Yale game approaches the Harvard men are tending to approach even money as the limit of betting. The odds fluctuate for inflections of the lucky order.

Meeting of Candidates for THE TECH 1.30
The Harvard Crimson has recently compiled a list of the preparatory schools where the Freshman class came from. There are 379 new students, and of these 28 came from public schools and 276 from private. Fifteen were either self-prepared or had been under the care of a private tutor. There are 14 schools that sent more than ten men to enter Harvard as Freshmen. Boston Latin Schools leads the list as it did last year, with 33, while Exeter sent 11. The following is the list of schools in order of the number of men sent:

**Boston Latin**

- Exeter
- Noble and Greenough
- Cambridge High
- Milton Academy
- Middlesex
- Brookline High
- Newton High
- Andover
- Boston English High
- St. Marks
- Groton
- St. Paul's
- Yorktown

At Pennsylvania a new system in gym work will be tried out beginning December 1st. Basketball and track work will work a man from the work of the men of the Sophomore and Senior class as freshmen, are obliged to take. Students who are looking for track and field work are required to pass examinations before they can enter the upper classes. The number of men must pass in two and one field event or in two field events and track event.

**College Notes**

- **Mechanic Arts High School**: Students new with the School for the next year, with a total of 44, while Exeter and Andover.
- **Boston English High**: The number of men sent is 22.
- **Exeter**: The number of men sent is 11.
- **Noble and Greenough**: The number of men sent is 13.
- **Cambridge High**: The number of men sent is 15.
- **Milton Academy**: The number of men sent is 14.
- **Middlesex**: The number of men sent is 17.
- **Brookline High**: The number of men sent is 16.
- **Newton High**: The number of men sent is 16.
- **Andover**: The number of men sent is 13.
- **Boston English High**: The number of men sent is 14.
- **St. Marks**: The number of men sent is 15.
- **Groton**: The number of men sent is 12.
- **St. Paul's**: The number of men sent is 10.
- **Yorktown**: The number of men sent is 10.

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CIVIL ENGINEERS TO MAKE TRIP TO LYNN
Trip To Be Conducted By Prof. C. B. Breed—Leave Rowe’s Wharf At 205.

This afternoon the C. E. Society will make a trip to Lynn to look over the work in progress toward the abolition of the grade crossings there. The trip will be personally conducted by Prof. C. B. Breed, Professor of Civil Engineering. He is Consulting Engineer for the city of Lynn on this work which is one of the most stupendous of its kind. The prominent type of construction used is the covering of structural steel with concrete. Several weeks ago Prof. Breed delivered an illustrated lecture in the Union on this work.

Between twenty and thirty men are planning to take the trip. They will leave Rowe’s Wharf on the East Boston ferry at 205, and from there will take the train to West Lynn.

LOWELL LECTURE
A large crowd assembled in Huntington Hall last evening to listen to the fourth lecture of the Lowell Institute series by Dr. Alfred Noyes. Dr. Noyes comes from Rotterdam, England, and is the author of “Poems” and “The Enchanted Island.” He is presenting a series of lectures on “The Sea in English Poetry.” Last evening’s study was in Byron and in Coleridge. Dr. Noyes is speaking one lecture in advance of his schedule on account of the shortness of Shelley, which he combined with his last lecture. The next talk will take place Monday evening at 8:00.

CARNEGIE PENSIONS
It was announced early in the week that four hundred and four professors or widows of professors had received pensions during the last fiscal year from the Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching. The pensions totalled $618,000. Thirty-three names were added to the pension list during the year. The endowment fund now amounts to $15,000,000 and the income annually from this is $694,000.

FACULTY NOTICE
Monday, November 17th, will be the beginning of the last eight weeks.
Exercises scheduled on the tabular view to be held the last eight weeks will begin during the week of November 17th.
Those scheduled for the last seven weeks will begin during the week of November 24th.
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T. C. A. TALK

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search of a job, ready to do anything in order to find out just what chance the unemployed man had. He told how, at Lynn, the ministers could not or would not help him, how the post office refused to offer any assistance, perhaps, he thought a brick through a window. He was finally referred to the Salvation Army, and then he told of the wretched conditions under which men are given a "half's lodging and food."

The common practice is not objectionable in itself, but its method of getting a living is the dangerous feature. So, also, with the parasite of society, as he called the unemployed, the public should feel no fault not with the man himself, but with his means of getting a living.

Mr. Williams said that it was rather a wonder that the unemployed man is found frequenting saloons to such a large extent, for, if one should imagine himself in his position, the first thing one would do would be to "make a break" for a saloon, and get some alcoholic stimulant. But it is a wonder, the speaker continued, how the unemployed keeps himself up, honest, sober, and as patient as he does under the circumstances. He has little pity for himself, or for his fellow-sufferer. Perseverance is one quality which seems to be predominant in the unemployed, and the man would give up. He would give up.

The discussion occupied the greater part of the hour. It was felt by many that the new name ought to be almost exactly indicative of the nature of the organization, and those favoring the change rested on an assumption of their views. The spirit of the meeting seemed to be that to the purpose of the Club was to interest Institute men, not alone in Socialism, but in all of the large economic and social questions which would prove engaging to the thought of a broad-minded man.

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