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EXTRA

Injunction Against Niemand Zu Hause Feared—Jealousy The Motive.

At a late hour last night news was received that a certain prominent theatrical agency, jealous because of the success that Niemand zu Hause has had in inducing a famous vaudeville act to come to Boston on Friday, March 19, is thinking of having an injunction against the performance issued. It seems that the agency has some claim upon the services of this particular act which the vaudevillians have disregarded because of the opportunity offered them to show before the Institute student body in Huntington Hall.

However, it is not anticipated that there will be any serious trouble as a result of the stand that the agency seems to have taken. A prominent member of the Institute Committee, who is famous because of his persuasive abilities, has been sent to New York to confer with the trouble makers. It is expected that he will be able to arrange some satisfactory compromise.

So do not hesitate to buy that ticket for Niemand zu Hause now. There is nothing to be gained by waiting. You know that you are going to help in the support of athletics by patronizing the show and dance and the sooner you buy the ticket the sooner will you have the satisfaction of telling a solicitous ticket seller where to head in.

By the way, we suppose that some one has approached you on the subject of purchasing one of the pasteboards. If not they are on sale at the Cage in the Union.

No one wants to miss the show now that the information given above has been disclosed. It was known that a galaxy of stars of exceptional ability had been obtained to entertain the student body, but it was not until last night's news reached here that it was known just how very good the talent will be

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E. E. SOCIETY

The Electrical Engineering Society will conduct two trips to The General Electric Co. at Lynn on Tuesday and Wednesday of this week. The parties, which are limited to twenty men each, are to start from Lowell Building at 2 o'clock on the above afternoons.

FRESHMEN, SOPHOMORES, JUNIORS AND SENIORS!

Junior Prom Sign-Ups Thrown Open to Members of All Four Classes—Invitations May Now Be Had—Dance Orders Ready Soon.

The sign-up books for the Junior Prom, April 9th, have now been opened to members of all the classes. A book has been left at the Cage, and men may sign up there at any time, upon making the deposit of one dollar. There will also be a member of the Prom committee at the Union each day from 1 to 2 o'clock, who will receive the signatures. The number of sign-ups is limited to 250, in order to assure abundance of room on the floor at the Prom: The committee urges that as many as possible sign up now, so that arrangements may be made for the number of programs, and for the number of suppers to be served in the main dining room of the Copley Plaza.

The invitation cards to be sent to

guests will be ready for distribution at any time from now on. They may be obtained by presenting the sign-up slips at the Union any noon, between 1 and 2 o'clock.

On Saturday, March 20th, or Monday, the 22nd, the preliminary dance orders will be ready for distribution. The committee desires that everyone make a special effort to sign up by that time.

A unique design has been selected for the dance programs, done in leather. They are sure to be popular, embodying, as they do, both good taste and a novel design. The committee feels fortunate in being able to secure such a creation. The Philadelphia engraver states that he will be able to have them in Boston by April 1st.

C. E. ADDRESS

Mr. F. H. Newell To Speak On Irrigation.

Tomorrow, the 16th, there will be an opportunity to hear a national authority on the science of Irrigation, in the form of an illustrated lecture to be delivered by Mr. F. H. Newell at eight o'clock in the Union.

Mr. Newell is a graduate of Technology, '85. After leaving the Institute he entered the employ of the government in the Coast and Geodetic Survey. Later he went into the Reclamation Service, eventually rising to the position of director. He has written several books on the subject of Irrigation, and is considered the leading authority in the United States in this line. On this trip from Washington, Mr. Newell will also speak to the Boston Society of Civil Engineers and the Tufts Engineering School.

The meeting is open to all.

FIELD OPENS TODAY

The new Technology Field in Cambridge is to be opened today for spring track work. All the track candidates will report there this afternoon, and all men substituting track for gym work will, in the future, run at the Field. Lockers may be obtained at a rental of one dollar a year at the Field locker rooms.

RIFLE CLUB SHOOT

Good Scores Made At First Shoot Of Year.

The Rifle Club held the first shoot of the Outdoor Spring Season last Saturday afternoon at Walnut Hill. About twenty members were out. The following scores were made at two hundred yards prone, eight inch bullseye: H. V. Sturtevant, '18, 48; F. P. Upton, '16, 45; J. J. Basch, '17, 45; W. A. R. Brown, '17, 45. C. F. Lewis, '16, made 42 and W. A. R. Brown, '17, made 41 shooting on the three hundred yard range prone, eight inch bullseye: W. J. Blinkford, '18, said to be former champion of the Eighth Army Corps of the Department of Bordeaux of the French Army, made 47 prone at two hundred yards but the score was unofficial and not allowed. Blinkford made 39 offhand at two hundred but this was also disqualified.

ANNOUNCEMENT

The engagement is announced of Miss Mary G. Murray, daughter of Mrs. Eliza Murray, to Carl R. Hayward of Quincy. Mr. Hayward is a graduate of The Institute and is now a member of its faculty in the Mining Department. Miss Murray is a teacher in one of the Quincy schools.

M. I. T. A. A.

There will be a meeting of the M. I. T. A. A. tomorrow afternoon; Tuesday, March 16, at 5 o'clock in 8 Eng. C.

INSTITUTE TO GET FINE TOOTHED COMB

Every Man In Tech To Be Given Opportunity To Sign Up For Technique.

Technique signers-up have been busy at circulating the little yellow books, and have already signed up over four hundred of the student body, besides numerous professors and members of the instructing staff. Complaints have come in however, that everybody who desired to get a book has not been seen. Some of the Seniors who spend their time in the dim recesses of engineering A, working on their thesis, have not been spotted by the active book-carriers, and that the more gloomy and secretive portions of Rogers and Walker, such as the mining laboratory and the odorous precincts of the chemical laboratory, have not yet been visited. In order that every man even if he be a 1915 thesis-worker who has not time to take any meals at all, and who is obliged to go to and from his home absorbed in abstruse meditation on professional subjects, will have an opportunity to sign up for the book, the Board has decided to put in a new plan.

Every portion of the Institute buildings and grounds will be gone over as with a fine-toothed comb. The Board will evolve a scheme by which every student will have a chance to assure himself of a book. Perhaps you will not see the yellow book today nor even this week. But be of good cheer!

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NEWS MEETING

The last meeting of the News Men on The Tech Volume XXIV will be held in the Lower Office at ten minutes after one today. Every man is required to attend.

CALENDAR

Monday, March 15, 1915.

1:10—Tech News Men Meet. Lower Office.

5:00—Glee Club Rehearsal. Room B, Union.

4:00—Tech Show Rehearsal. Room A, Union.

Tuesday, March 16, 1915.

1:30—M. E. Society Trip to B. F. Sturtevant Co. Leave Back Bay.

2:00—E. E. Soc. Trip to G. E. Co., Lynn. Leave Lowell Building.

4:15—Mandolin Club Rehearsal. Room B, Union.

5:00—M. I. T. A. A. Meeting. Room A, Union.

7:30—Freshman Wrestling Match with Allen School, West Newton.

8:00—Civil Eng. Soc. Meeting. Room A, Union.

JUNIOR PROM INVITATIONS OUT TODAY

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IN CHARGE OF THIS ISSUE.

Editor: E. W. Rounds, '17.
Associate: A. P. Sullivan, '17.
Assistants: D. E. Bell, '17; A. N. Pray, '18.

The agitation now on foot to reverse the decision of the Class Day Committee in favor of full dress instead of white flannels at the Senior Dance seems to us to be ill-considered. Aside from the better appearance and general impression created by formal dress, it must be apparent to anyone familiar with Tech men that, of those who would attend this dance, there are many more who possess dress suits than flannels. The latter, also, are much more difficult to borrow or rent. The experience of past dances bears out this conclusion; last year's formal affair being a notable success in comparison with previous years when the informal plan was tried.

The "Open Door" policy which The Tech has endeavored to maintain in connection with its offices as well as its news columns received a considerable shock the other evening when a freshman, showing his friend around the lower office, presented him with one of the carefully filed office copies as a souvenir.

COMMUNICATION

To the Editor of The Tech:

My attention has often been called to the fact that many second-year students are continually expressing sentiment which is particularly antagonistic to the Physics Department and its method of being conducted. Having been associated with the Department for the last five months, I feel warranted in saying that I am more or less dissatisfied with the Course myself, so I shall try to analyze the complaint of the students which seems quite prevalent throughout the Institute.

In the first place there are serious objections to the lecture room which is very poorly ventilated and entirely too small for the number of students, who are compelled to sit three hours a week on stools which very closely resemble the reserved section of the average circus. In addition to this, the air in the room, as one of the professors remarked, contains about 29 percent of Carbon Dioxide at the end of a lecture, and I often wonder why the Chemical Department doesn't collect the compound for its own use.

The second cause of complaint seems mostly due to the Physical Laboratory Course which is assigned an hour of outside preparation for every hour spent in the "Lab." To this end I defy any student who is taking the work for the first time, to prove that he is not working two or three hours overtime. In my case the last experiment required a total of 12 hours before the report was accepted, and at the same time I was aided by a similar report made a year ago.

The third and last complaint consists of objections to the present method of conducting the recitations, lectures and laboratory exercises. The recitation differs from the lecture in that it is two or three weeks behind and thus the subjects which are brought up in the latter are almost forgotten by the time they are heard in the recitation. In addition to this the laboratory subjects are usually totally different from either of the others, and, to refer to my allusion of a previous paragraph, the three parts of the Department remind me of a circus, for the three rings are well represented.

DISSATISFIED.

To the Editor of The Tech:

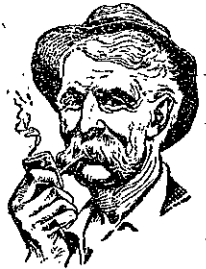
The effusion of our fellow student, Mr. Baxter, has met with so little approval from the majority of the student body, that it demands no refutation, but it provides an excellent opportunity for an expression of opinion upon the matter of an athletic tax.

To the minds of many, an athletic tax conveys an impression of forcible extortion of their money, with no return. The system which I believe is advocated at the Institute, is an assessment of about three dollars a year, levied upon each student, payable with the tuition bill. By this means, a sum of approximately five thousand dollars would be realized, which would be sufficient to support all branches of athletics.

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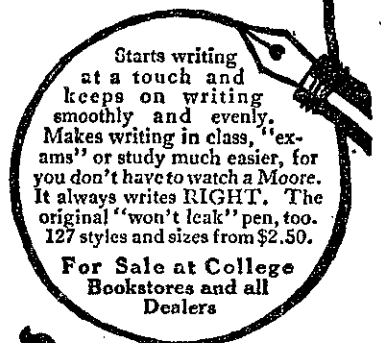
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**CHANGES RECOMMENDED
IN THE POINT SYSTEM**

Point System Committee Proposes Several Additions And Corrections.

After much debate, the point system committee appointed by the chairman of the Institute Committee reports the following changes in the system. The rating of points given below is to go into effect on approval by the Institute Committee, on men now in office, whether elected under the old rating or not.

Class A—10 Points: Pres. Senior Class, General Manager Tech Show, Editor-in-Chief Technique, General Manager The Tech, Pres. M. I. T. A. A. (if Captain Track Team), Manager Track Team (if Member of Advisory Council), General Manager Musical Clubs.

Class B—9 Points: Pres. Junior Class, Editor-in-Chief The Tech, Managing Editor The Tech, Manager Track Team, Business Manager Technique, Business Manager Tech Show, Advertising Manager Tech Show, Stage Manager Tech Show, Treasurer Tech Show, Editor-in-Chief Technology Monthly, Treasurer The Tech.

Class C—8 Points: Managing Editor Technology Monthly, Chairman Union House Committee, Business Manager Technology Monthly, Advertising Manager The Tech, Circulating Manager The Tech, Technique Board, Assistant General Manager Musical Clubs, Stage Director Tech Show, Secretary-Treasurer Institute Committee, Pres. Officers Club.

Class D—7 Points: Chairman Finance Committee, Pres. Sophomore Class, Pres. T. C. A., News Board The Tech, Junior Prom Committee, Manager Tech Orchestra, Assistant Business Manager Tech Show, Assistant Stage Manager Tech Show (Second Term), Executive Committee of Institute Committee.

Class E—6 Points: Treasurer M. I. T. A. A., Manager Wrestling Team, Senior Portfolio Committee, Advertising Manager Technology Monthly, Circulation Manager Technology Monthly, Treasurer Technology Monthly, Pres. Freshman Class, Captain Track Team, Pres. M. I. T. A. A., Presidents of Professional Societies, Manager Hockey Team, Manager Basketball Team, Assistants News Board The Tech, Business Board The Tech, Leaders Musical Clubs, Principals Tech

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M. E. SOCIETY TRIP

**Members Will Inspect Plant Of
B. F. Sturtevant Co.**

The Mechanical Engineering Society will visit the plant of the B. F. Sturtevant Co. at Hyde Park on Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons, March 16th and 17th. The company manufactures engines, turbines, blowers, electrical machinery, heating, drying and ventilating apparatus, and economizers. Each party is limited to twenty-five. Those who wish to go are requested to sign up immediately with Hanchett for Tuesday or with Purinton for Wednesday. The train leaves Back Bay Station at 1.30 p. m. The round trip fare is twenty cents.

**FRESHMAN WRESTLING
MEET TUESDAY NIGHT**

**First Year Men Will Meet Allen
School of West Newton
Tomorrow.**

Tomorrow night at 7.30 o'clock the 1914 wrestling team will meet the grapplers of the Allen School of West Newton in the first of a series of four matches. When compared to last year there seems to have been a lack of enthusiasm in this sport, for only about one-fourth of the number of men reporting last year were out this season. However, the freshman class has produced some good material which should give any team in its class a good rub. Although no freshman made the Varsity team this year there are several men who are worthy of special mention.

In the 115 pound class Means has been improving rapidly and should win his bout tomorrow night. Clark, McFarland and Sanger have been showing up well in the 125 pound class and will make things interesting for any opponent. In the 135 pound class White, captain of last year's gym team at Andover, Magoun and Wooten, a former Annapolis man, have been showing great form and will take care of this class in good shape.

Pinkham, Hall, De Salvo and Sherman are having a hot tussle for the 145 pound class and this class should be good for a win tomorrow night. In Turner, Henry, Ross and Wirt the freshman 158 pound class is well represented and should give a good exhibition against Allen School. The freshman have been unfortunate in having their heavyweight, Wiley, incapacitated by water on the knee.

The meets which follow the one at West Newton tomorrow night will be one with Andover Saturday night and a prospective meet with the Harvard freshmen some time in the future. Besides these matches there will probably be a meet with the Sophomores as soon as it can be arranged.

The Sophomores will be somewhat handicapped by the fact that practically all of last year's victorious freshman team who have continued wrestling have made the Varsity this year leaving none to represent them in an interclass contest. For this reason the freshmen are looking forward to an easy victory. However, the Sophomores will put up a good scrap and the freshmen will have to work hard to win.

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and incidentally how famous Niemand zu Hause had become. It would really be a shame to miss such a remarkable performance, the cost to see it is so little.

Also think of the dance that is to follow and which will cost you but twenty-five cents additional to take in. This is going to be a strictly up-to-date affair. The best music obtainable in Boston has been secured to manufacture the harmony. There will be two orchestras—one to hold forth in the main Union upstairs and the other to entertain and cheer those who seek the Union dining room for this terpsichorean revelry.



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**First Performance Of Entire
Show Last Saturday — Cast
And Chorus Selected.**

The first rehearsal of the entire company of the Tech Show 1915 was held Saturday. The comedy was played from the beginning and consisted in the rendering of the lines by the principals, the entrances and exits of choruses and the singing of their songs. The performance was very satisfactory and gave every evidence of a final production that will at least equal if not surpass any former Tech show.

The cast and chorus as held up to date is as follows. The management, however holds itself at liberty to change this arrangement whenever it finds this expedient in promoting the interest of the Show:

Cast.

General Pierre Le Boob,
Honorée,
Capt. Beaucaire,
Bob Scott,
Useless,
The Hon. Reginald Bransby,

I. B. McDaniels
J. F. Staub
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J. P. Gardner
L. A. Swan
C. Robinson

Ballet: D. E. Bell, P. N. Brooks, V. C. Checa, J. P. Gardner, M. C. Liebenschberger, D. H. McLellan, H. R. Polleys, J. C. Wooten, L. A. Stewart.
Soldiers: Carr, E. S. Coldwell, C. W. Howlett, W. R. McEwen, W. L. Ogden, H. E. Schabacher, A. S. Thyberg, E. M. Woodward.

Girls: P. N. Crystal, D. G. Bradley, D. Ealy, J. E. Doherty, C. V. Hawes, R. J. McFadden, R. S. Means, A. de Subria.

Walters: L. T. Bengston, W. S. Treathy, V. S. Hafner, W. C. McDonald, H. B. Morrill, J. R. Ramsbottom, C. L. Smith, W. E. Wentworth.

Tourists: L. Besly, R. F. Brooks, T. E. Hannah, A. C. Lieber, L. H. Littlefield, J. G. McDougall, E. M. Newton, H. D. Swift, C. P. Wallis, G. R. White, H. H. Whitcomb.

McDaniels, White, Rennie, Swan and Gardner were all members of the cast last year. Their ability is well known. Among the debutantes of this year are many shining lights, the real value of which we will leave open to final judgment at the time of the show performances.

**TICKETS FOR SPRING
CONCERT OUT MONDAY**

**New System Of Admission
Charges—Preliminary Dance
Orders Out Soon.**

The Spring Concert, which is to be held this year at Copley Hall, Friday night, April 16th, is to contain many novel and unique features. There will be the famous Hawaiian Quintet, the

**POINT SYSTEM
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Show, Assistant Advertising Manager Tech Show.

Class F—5 Points: Members Institute Committee, Members Union Committee, Commodore Boat Club, Treasurers Four Classes, Asst. Editor-in-Chief Technology Monthly, Assistant Managing Editor Technology Monthly, Members and Candidates for Track, Cross Country, Gym, Wrestling, Swimming, Hockey and Basketball Teams, Assistant Manager Track Team, Chorus Tech Show, Members Musical Clubs (First Term), Candidates for Assistant General Manager Musical Clubs, Members and Candidates for Editorial Staff The Tech.

Class G—4 Points: Members Business Staff Technology Monthly, Treasurer T. C. A., Managers Class Teams, Members Musical Clubs (Second Term), Members Orchestra (Second Term), Secretary M. I. T. A. A., Vice-Pres. M. I. T. A. A., Assistant Managers Hockey and Basketball Teams, Members and Candidates for Business Staff The Tech, Assistant Treasurer The Tech.

Class H—3 Points: Members M. I. T. A. A., Members Class Teams, Members Athletic Advisory Council, Editorial Staff Technology Monthly, Secretaries Four Classes.

Class I—2 Points: Managers Swimming and Gym Teams, Manager Tennis Team, Members Tennis Team, Pres. All Clubs and Non-Professional Societies, Sec.-Treas. All Professional Societies and Clubs.

Class J—1 Point: Assistant Managers Swimming and Gym Teams, Vice-Pres. Four Classes, Executive Committees or Directors of Classes, Vice-Pres. T. C. A., Secretaries All Clubs and Societies, Treasurers All Clubs and Societies, Standing Committees All Clubs and Societies, Officers of Co-op. Society, Other Officers of All Clubs and Societies Not Mentioned Elsewhere, Members of Committees Not Mentioned Elsewhere, Vice-Pres. Officers Club.

A man being a member of the Institute Committee by reason of some other office which he holds, shall have only the points attached to the office, provide they exceed or equal five; otherwise he shall have the five points only attached to the Institute Committee Membership.

The captaincy of any team not rated adds one point to the membership rating for that team.

Instrumental Trio, Indian War Dance, etc.

The concert will be followed by dancing which will continue from ten until two. Music will be furnished by Poole's orchestra. The preliminary dance orders will be out soon. A change has been made in the system of admission charges which, it is hoped, will give better satisfaction. The charge will be \$3.50 per couple and \$2.00 for a single ticket. The tickets may be obtained from members of the Clubs, at the Cage, or at the Musical Clubs Office.

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In return for this three dollars, each man would receive tickets to all class and varsity track, wrestling and gymnasium meets, making the actual cost of admission to each event lower than at present.

The argument against this is that many men are not interested in athletics, and do not care to see these meets. Every man at the Institute takes a certain amount of diversion, this diversion consisting most frequently of attending theatres. Under the athletic tax system, a man would have the privilege of going to a theatre on a Saturday afternoon, but at the same time he would have a free ticket to a track meet. The question of expense would naturally tend to bring him to the meet. It is admitted by opponents of the tax, that the principal cause of their lack of interest in athletics is that since coming to the Institute they have seen but few athletic contests.

The sense of competition in athletics is bound to stir interest in the most dormant brain, and the interest in athletics would be rapidly developed. In short, the opponent of the tax would go at first because it was a diversion at no added expense, and later because it stirs the red blood in his veins and awakens the healthy interest in competitive sports which has lain dormant in the man.

Without doubt, there are a few men to whom the payment of the extra three dollars would be a hardship extra dollars would be a hardship. With the number of scholarships at present available, it is reasonable to assume that the majority of those in actual need of it are receiving some aid from the Institute. To justly apportion the tax, I would suggest that all holding scholarships receive a rebate on their tax in the same proportion as the rebate on their tuition, that is, if a man holds a half scholarship, he shall receive a rebate of half the athletic tax.

Any rule adopted for the whole by the majority, inflicts some injustice upon the minority, but the ultimate effect in this case would be to arouse in the minds of all the healthy interest in outdoor sports which it is natural for every man to possess. FAN

To the Editor of The Tech:

Some time ago a gentleman who signed himself "Sophomore," entered a protest in your columns against the act of some freshmen who played chess and what he elegantly termed "rummy" in the Union on Sunday. Whether or not his athletic conscience was aroused simply because the offenders were freshmen, he neglected to state; but even allowing him the benefit of the doubt, there is more to be said upon the subject before it becomes exhausted.

Doubtless this moralist's religious leanings make it exceedingly painful to him to witness anyone enjoying a pastime on what has more or less inaptly been called the "day of rest." He finds it incomprehensible that any better method of resting exists than the inert preoccupation with



With "Chuck" Loomis and Frank O'Hara in the dashes, Tech should come through with a large share of the points in the 100 and 220 of the New Englands this year. O'Hara took second in both sprints last year, while Loomis's running through the indoor season has marked him as one of the fastest men in the country.

Richards of Cornell is now jumping in the best form of his career, winning the indoor intercollegiate with a jump of 6 ft. 4 in. at the indoor intercollegiate, and clearing 6 ft. 3 in. in his defeat of Joe Loomis at the Meadowbrook games Saturday night.

Ted Meredith also came through strong at the Meadowbrook meet, taking first place over Halpin in the 660 in 1 min. 23 2-5 sec., and later in the evening closing up ten out of the fifteen yard lead handed Halpin by Caldwell in the intercity relay. Meredith covered this quarter in 49 2-5 sec., but the record will not be allowed as it was from a running start.

Dartmouth will not have the walk-away in the pole vault which she had the past few years, 10 ft. 7 in. being the highest mark at the interclass meet Saturday night.

Stevens, the freshman miler who injured his leg at Lowell, is again working out, and may be depended upon to make a strong bid for the four mile relay.

The wrestling team struck its first run of hard luck when the men were laid up with a skin disease in the middle of the season, but with the material available, we may be assured of a team next year which will return the compliment to our neighbors across the river.

In the 8000 yard relay at the indoor intercollegiate, Brown in his relay closed up part of the lead held by Hoffmire, the Cornell distance star. With Marceau graduated, Brown is the logical favorite for first place in the mile at the New Englands.

elevating thoughts which seems to comprise his own Sabbath. Theoretically there is no doubt but he is right, and I should be the last to oppose with mere reason the dictates of a religious mind. But in proposing to submit everybody else to his own rule, "Sophomore" forgets that the early days of our religious freedom are over—those good old days when one might worship as he pleased, provided it was the same way everyone else did. I am quite in sympathy with "Sophomore." I myself would hold to almost any set of rules I could formulate, if I could be sure of forcing them on the world in general. Meanwhile, "Sophomore" will agree with me that to obey a code of rules ourselves shows more strength of character than to hurl

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FINANCE COMMITTEE

Plans For Blanket Tax Policy
Are Discussed.

The second meeting of the term was held by the Finance Committee last Thursday evening. The financial condition of every activity was very good, and none of the treasurers' reports showed poor management. The Tech, Technique, and the four classes are in fine condition, and in fact all the activities show a fair cash balance on hand with very little possibility of a deficit at the end of the year. The Athletic Association is the worst in need of money, and in order to meet the heavy expenses, certain restrictions have to be made in expenditures.

The blanket tax policy was discussed, but met with no definite consideration, except that a committee was appointed to look into the cases of other colleges which give it support.



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HARE AND HOUNDS RUN HELD LAST SATURDAY

First Run Of The Season—Club Officers Elected For Coming Year.

About fifteen men took the first run of the Hare and Hounds club last Saturday afternoon over the Newton Y. M. C. A. course. This run started the preliminary work of the spring cross-country season and gave the men who have been working indoors all winter, a chance to get out in the open and limber up. The weather was just right, there being enough chill in the air to create in the men a zest for the work and still not enough to cramp muscles unused to the cold. The course was in fine condition, owing to the fair weather which has prevailed lately.

Coach Frank Kanaly started his spring training at the same time by taking the run with the men, covering the four miles of hill and dale with the rest of the squad.

After a swim at the Newton Y. M. C. A., the squad got together and elected officers of the club for the coming year. H. P. Gray, '16, of Medford, was elected chase captain and Malcolm Brock, '17, of Newton, assistant chase captain.

Gray, Brock, Parker, Litchfield, Dodge, Norton, Pollard, Wilkins, Brown, Bond, McVickar and Allan made up the squad who took the run.

CHESS TEAM WINS

Victory Over Harvard Puts Technology Fourth.

Last Friday evening the chess team defeated Harvard by the score of 4 1-2 to 1 1-2, thus placing Technology fourth in the Metropolitan League, and ahead of the other colleges included.

As only four men of the Harvard team were able to appear, two games went to Tech by default. Of the others, Woodbridge and Pray defeated Kenna and Johnson, respectively. Kenigsberg's game with Ellenberger and that of Dean with Lefevre were long contests, and had finally to be adjudicated. This resulted in a draw for Dean, while Kenigsberg, having at the time a slight disadvantage, was decided to have lost his game.

As the league games are not yet all played, Technology has a chance to obtain third place among the seven teams composing the league.

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