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The engagement of Miss Carol Andrews, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Andrews of 300 Harvard street, Deerfield, to Captain Ernest Wood Smith, a student of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, has been announced. Captain Smith, who is a member of the freshman class, is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph W. Smith of 33 Third Street, Cambridge. He is a student at the Harvard Dental School.

The engagement was announced by the student at the Harvard Dental School, 111 Boylston Street, of J. T. I. T. Smith who is the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. B. C. Smith of 85 Fifth Street, Chelsea. Captain Smith entered Harvard with the Class of 1923, He is in the United States Dental School, and has been assigned to the department of mathematics.

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Of interest to students and the^n the following advice and news are

The first meeting of the Tech Show will be held Saturday,

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The KOhI~VERS SMOKE~r

What has been said as a matter of fact has been said, and no freshman signs of pep or enthusiasm should materialize after the bulletin and posters have been removed. The Tech assumes no responsibility, however, for the facts as stated nor for its opinions expressed.

The Editor-Chief is always responsible for the opinions expressed in the opinions page, and the Managing Editor for the matter which appears in the news columns.

The KOMMERS SMOKE~r

THE VOODOO

The Voodoo has come into the limelight this year, just as the Freshman Suppers were earlier this year, which serves to show that a comic page is what the undergraduates want. To make a complete success there will have to be generous support by the students, and a large number of candidates should cut out for the staff.

CLEAN UP THE BULLETIN BOARDS

The men on the various activities who are responsible for placing posters and bulletins after they have served their time on the boards. As things now stand, there are increasing numbers of dead posters littering practically all of the bulletin, and obscuring the new ones. It will be certain both to the advantage of all, and to the boards clear of all dead matter, not only to make the new stand out, but to improve the general appearance of the place.

NO LIFE IN THE FRESHMAN CLASS

There is a marked lack of pep and enthusiasm in the freshman class that officials seem to point toward need of leadership and initiative. What has happened? Nothing! No freshmen signs of pep or enthusiasm; no get-togethers or signs of life whatsoever.

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The loss of Captains Downing and Wattle has been a severe blow to the team. However, they are expected to return to their former form.

Mr. Hurd is still the captain of the 1920 track team. He has been working hard and is expected to return soon.

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"Thus the cooperative store members' mind is at rest in his own store. He knows that the man behind the counter can gain nothing by misrepresentation.

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