

STRATTON RETURNS FROM EUROPEAN BUSINESS TRIP

WAS U. S. DELEGATE AT CONFERENCE ON WEIGHTS, MEASURES

Was Away For Seven Weeks; Pleased At Progress of Building Program

PRaises FRESHMAN CLASS

Returning to his desk yesterday morning for the first time in seven weeks, President Samuel W. Stratton of Technology spent the day interviewing heads of departments and getting settled down for the year's work. Fresh from his trip abroad, the president was enthusiastic in regard to the progress being made in the construction of the dormitories and also in the quality of the freshman class this year.

President Stratton was sent to Europe by the United States Government as an official delegate to the International Conference of Weights and Measures, which was held in Paris in September. The two other official delegates from the United States were Dr. George K. Burgess, director of the Bureau of Standards, and Sheldon Whitehouse, counsellor of the American Embassy in Paris. Three weeks were spent in the French capital by the President. In addition, two weeks were spent in renewing acquaintances in England and Scotland.

When pressed for a statement, President Stratton said, "It gives me a feeling of satisfaction to be back at my desk and to see the progress being made in our extensive building program. I am glad to see what an interesting freshman class we have this year. I understand that the size of the entering class is larger this year than it was last. While this is a healthy sign, I am not in favor of sacrificing quality for quantity. However, with our enlarged facilities we are able to handle more students with the continuance of our usual high standards of instruction. This is especially true in certain courses in which the enrollment is not complete, and in graduate work."

No definite plans have as yet been made by the President, it was learned, as everything hinges on the outcome of the meeting of the Corporation of the Institute, which will be held on October 19. It is felt, however, that there is nothing of grave importance to be considered at the first meeting, especially since it is difficult to get a full attendance so soon after the summer vacation period.

President Stratton stated that he would prepare in the near future a statement in regard to the proceedings at the technical session of the Conference on Weights and Measures. As this conference was highly technical in its nature, it will take some time to arrange the material in a manner which will be of the most benefit to the scientific student, it was said.

Course VI Still Most Popular At Institute

Information from the office of the Registrar shows the course VI maintains its position as the most popular course at Technology, with course XV a close second.

The figures are:

VI	324
XV	306
II	287
X	261
I	232
Via	206
IV	179
XVI	163
V	108
IVa	89
XVII	64
XIV	54
III	51
VII	51
VIII	48
XIII	39
Xa	30
IXb	29
Vic	20
IXc	18
XI	17
XIIIa	15
F and G	15
XII	12
IXa	8
Xb	5

Wet Walkers Wander to Wet Walker Basement

Students who sought the friendly atmosphere of Walker at noon yesterday were greatly perturbed to find that the basement was awash. From the famous News Office of THE TECH to the confectionery emporium of Mr. Edward Pung on the west, and from the front office of the Technology Christian Association to the telephone booths on the east, there was "water, water, everywhere."

Investigation showed that drains on both sides of the basement had backed up as they do every now and then in a heavy rain. Major Alfred S. Smith, Superintendent of Buildings and Power, soon had his men at work with sawdust and shovels, however, and toward the end of the afternoon the place was no longer reminiscent of Venice.

Give Picture of Former Dean to Walker Memorial

Money Raised Through Alumni Gifts by Traditions Committee

By means of money raised through alumni subscriptions, a picture of Technology's former Dean—Alfred E. Burton, has recently been placed in the Main Dining Hall of Walker Memorial. This picture, which is the last one on the left-hand side of the room, represents the former Dean seated and looking directly at the observer. In the background, behind his chair, a spherical map of the world, symbolic of his activities as a traveler and explorer.

Coming to the Institute as an Instructor from the United States Coast and Geodetic Survey in 1882, Dr. Burton was made a professor in 1884. In 1896, he was chosen Dean of Technology, and held that position until his retirement in 1922. He holds the degrees of Bachelor of Science, Civil Engineer, and Doctor of Science.

Dr. Burton was widely known as a traveler and scientist. He was in charge of the scientific expedition to Unamusk, Greenland, in 1896, and also took a leading role in the eclipse expedition to Washington, Georgia, in 1900. He also took part in a trip to Sumatra in 1901 to observe a solar eclipse, and to make extended pendulum observations.

Dean Burton is now in charge of the building of the new dormitories at Technology. It is mainly due to his activities that enough funds have been raised to build the two units which are now rapidly nearing completion.

INSTITUTE COMMITTEE APPOINTS MARSHALS

Recommendations for Field Day marshals and ushers made by the Executive Committee were passed upon by the Institute Committee at its meeting in North Hall yesterday afternoon. Ralph T. Jope '28, president of the Senior Class, was elected First Marshal and Henry B. Dean '28, vice-president of the Institute Committee, First Usher.

Election of James A. E. Schwartz, G., Oliver L. Barker '30, Nathaniel P. Rand '30 and William G. Jackson '31 to the Student Council of the Architectural Society was passed upon subject to the approval of the Point System Committee. The Architectural Society is the undergraduate student organization of the students who use the Rogers Building.

In addition, the nomination of John E. Shippard '29 as Publicity Manager of Voo Doo was approved. Shippard was appointed to the position as the result of a competition for the office of Publicity Manager which was held following the resignation of

It was stated that the enforcement of the freshman Rules was becoming too lax, and after a plea for support, enforcement cards were distributed among the group. Henry B. Dean '28 was absent from the meeting.

TECHNOLOGY HAS NEW ACTIVITY IN DRAMATICS GROUP

Feminine Parts Will be Taken By Co-Eds—Plays Every Two Months

"HAIRY APE" FIRST PLAY

Backed by the Department of English, a new activity is about to make its debut on the campus. A Dramatics organization, well designed and already functioning, will find one of the Institute's long felt needs.

At a meeting of the new organization Tuesday afternoon it was decided to present Eugene O'Neill's "Hairy Ape" as the opening play early in December. Plays will be given at least every two months. The present plan is to produce three plays of three acts each and follow them with three one-act plays. "Hairy Ape" has been produced only once before, in 1922 at New York by the Provincetown Players. This play will be given in the Commons Room at Rogers Building. Groups of architectural students are now preparing sketches for the scenery and will later assist in the staging and managing.

Mr. Dean M. Fuller of the Department of English and History is the moving spirit of the organization and will coach the cast. Mr. Le Baron C. Colt G of the Department of Physics is business manager. It was announced that the productions must be both financial and artistic successes. The management has had no trouble in finding student support and the organization will be brought before the student council for recognition as an activity as soon as possible. The Dramatics presentations will not in any way conflict with the Tech Show. The Tech Show is, in fact, lending valuable assistance in production. Feminine parts, it was announced, will be taken by co-eds.

PLANS TO REMODEL BOATHOUSE PASSED

Plans and specifications for the improvements on the Boathouse have been approved and at the present time are being sent out by the architects, Coolidge and Carlson, for bids. The improvements which are to be made will leave the present structure standing but will improve the inside of it and make an addition to each side.

The new space will provide for separate freshman and Varsity locker rooms and will allow more room for machines. Aside from this a club room and an office will be included on the second floor. Slight alterations will also be in the landing. No date has as yet been set for starting work, and it is quite possible that nothing may be done until spring.

'PLENTY FANCY' ANNOUNCED AS TITLE OF TECH SHOW 1928; A. P. MORELL '29 IS AUTHOR

Is Successful Author Of Tech Show for 1928



A. Parker Morell '29

INSTITUTE GIVEN TWO AEROPLANES

Aeronautical Department Gets "Submarine Planes" And J. N. H. Ship

At the present time the department of Aeronautical Engineering has at its disposal two planes which are to be used for instruction in flying. One of these, the "Submarine Plane" was given to the Institute by the Navy Department, and is the plane which was placed on exhibition at the recent Aero Show.

As more recent equipment a second plane of the J. N. H. type has been added to the Institute's equipment. This was obtained from the Army recently after an order that all planes of the type should be removed from service.

Although both of the planes are in flying condition they will be used for ground instruction only, as it is with this understanding that they were obtained.

SYNOPSIS OF PLAY READ TO AUDIENCE BY ITS COMPOSER

Excerpts From Former Shows Given by Stars at Smoker In Walker Last Night

TRYOUTS WILL BE SOON

Tech Show 1928, the 30th annual show of Technology, officially got under way last night at its Smoker in North Hall, Walker Memorial. Acting as chairman of the informal gathering, Paul A. Johnson '28, General Manager, briefly outlined the history of Tech Show at the Institute for the past 29 years and then told of what the coming year had to offer.

Dwelling on the fact that this year there had been offered a prize to the author of the book accepted by the management, Johnson then introduced to those present the student who had submitted the best book, A. Parker Morell '29. The title of the book and hence that of Tech Show 1928 is "Plenty Fancy."

Morell, whose home is in Greenwich, Conn., is enrolled in Course IV-A. He entered the Institute in the fall of 1924, as a freshman. During his first and second years he was on the Technique staff, and was also on the staff of the Freshman Gray Book. At the same time he was on the staff of THE TECH as a Feature Writer. His third year he was elected to the Editorial Board of THE TECH and also served as a Dramatic Critic for the paper. He is a member of Stylus, the honorary fraternity of THE TECH and of the Sigma Alpha Epsilon Fraternity.

Morell Outlines His Book
Upon his introduction Morell gave a brief synopsis of his show, the action of which takes place during a house party given by one Mrs. Booth at her country house on Long Island. The story is about Dick Ford, a student at Technology. Due to a slight misunderstanding with the officials of the United States Government, con-

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STUDENTS COLLECT CO-OP DIVIDENDS

The total dividends for the Harvard Cooperative Society including the Technology Branch are \$78,000 as compared with \$70,000 of last year. These dividends are 10 per cent on purchases paid for in cash and 8 per cent of those charged. There was a bank representative at the store to cash the dividend checks for those who wished to collect on last year's purchases. Those who have not yet received their checks are requested to get them today.

PROFESSOR VALLARTA SAILS FOR BRUSSELS

Professor Manuel S. Vallarta of the Department of Physics left today for New York on his way to Brussels. He sails tomorrow on the Paris of the French Line, hoping to arrive in time for the opening of the current session of the Solvay Institute from the 24th to the 27th of October.

The Solvay Institute was founded by the famous French scientist of that name and meets every year to discuss the latest advancements in chemical and physical theory. In past years its members have reported on the electron theory, temperatures near absolute zero, theory of solutions, etc. The principal discussion this year will be on the subject of wave mechanics.

CALENDAR

- Friday, October 14
- 5:00—Christian Science Society. First meeting. Room 4-132.
- 7:45—American Society for Steel Treating. Room 5-230.
- 8:00—Chemical Society Meeting. Main Hall, Walker Memorial.
- Saturday, October 15
- 2:30—Handicap Meet, Tech Field.
- 5:00—Dramatics Meeting, Debating room, Building 2.

Field Day Marshals

First Marshal: Ralph T. Jope '28

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FIELD DAY

DUE to the small number of traditional events in undergraduate life at Technology, the few that there are should be supported as actively as possible. One of the oldest and best known of these is Field Day, which originated over twenty-five years ago to take the place of the cane rush in which one man lost his life. Field Day eliminated the loss of life but from year to year it would seem that it substituted considerable property damage in its place, especially in the preliminary celebrations.

It seems up to the two lower classes this year to protect one of the best traditional undergraduate events by proving that a successful and enjoyable Field Day can be carried off without damage to the property of others. To this end it is necessary that the various teams be well supported in order that those events shall be more attractive than usual. As yet many of the sports have not sufficient candidates to put a full team in the field. Every team in order to secure the best practice must have at least two full teams to compete with one another in the practice periods. Teams good enough to put on an attractive Field Day program cannot be made in the last few days before their interclass struggle.

Freshmen and Sophomores, you not only owe it to your class that you do your best in the Field Day competitions but you also owe it to the school as a whole in order that one of our best traditions shall not die.

Technology is frequently criticized for its lack of tradition. Field Day stands out on our undergraduate program as one of the few really big events. We are therefore obligated to support it to the best of our ability. Yet at the same time we must make sure that we do nothing which will produce a public opinion that will be hostile toward the Institute and render it necessary to drop the tradition entirely.

OUR REPUTATION

WE BELIEVE that there are few things more important than a good reputation. The reputation of a man is a thing that follows him throughout his whole life. The reputation of a school is the thing that has the most important influence on its registration. Technology and the men of Technology have earned an envied reputation among the engineering institutions of America, and it is up to the present undergraduates to see that this good name continues.

In the middle west and in the south the Institute's fame as an engineering school has developed the general opinion that, while a Technology graduate is always in demand for work nevertheless such concentrated study as is often practiced here leads only to the student becoming a "grind." It is only in these remote districts that such a belief exists however, for the people of Boston and New England have, through close association with the men of the Institute been able to see us as we really are.

There is a certain reputation that activities will give to a school and it is in this way that we as students can help. If more men were to enter into the various activity competitions, it is only logical to suppose that the calibre or standard of activities could be raised. With more men competing, the final choice would naturally go to the best man. It is not too late to enter the various activity competitions and aside from all personal good a man gets from an activity he should go out for one of them, if for no other reason than the good such an action would do toward proving that Technology is a place for men who can do more than the work of their professional courses.

Probably the best means to develop ideas is through discussion with others, particularly with those who are not entirely in agreement with them. These discussions can be carried beyond the possibilities of the usual bull session through the publication of the various views of the question. In order to stimulate undergraduate opinion THE TECH has its Open Forum column which is open to all persons connected with Technology for the discussion of subjects which are interesting to Institute men. It is our desire that this privilege be utilized more than it has been so far this year.

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CRIME

When a play is advertised as a melodrama, particularly as a melodrama of the New York underworld, one usually expects a much wilder and more impossible performance than "Crime" now playing at the Wilbur turns out to be. It approaches nearer to what is commonly termed drama.

One of New York's leading gangs of robbers, whose young leader is opposed to any shooting to kill, gives the background for a rapidly moving story of love, robbery, murder, and the downfall of innocent youth. The chief claim of the play to the title of melodrama lies in the fact that the originally innocent couple are restored to innocence, and the leader of the gang, who is by far the best one in it, is caught and punished through the efforts for revenge of a jealous woman member of the group. The story, which will be enjoyed better if it is not told here in too much detail, is quite different from those of the usual present day criminal plays.

Chester Morris as the leader of the gang is the outstanding actor of the performance but he is ably assisted by quite a group of exceptional performers. The scene of the jewelry shop robbery on Broadway with the crowd of passers-by is particularly well staged. From the standpoint of novelty, good acting, and interest, it is one of the best dramas of the underworld that has been seen in Boston in the last few years.

H. T. G.

CIRCUS PRINCESS

"The Circus Princess," at the Shubert Theatre, can be classed as a musical play. It is fine entertainment and a wonderful relief from the light, aimless musical comedies.

In a few respects the production seems awkward. It is by no means uniform in quality; now we have a bit of drama and now some meaningless comedy. If it were not for the truly gorgeous and colorful Russian uniforms worn by the Hussars and the regal court scenes, no doubt, the audience would not be aware of the setting of the play. Here where there is unlimited opportunity to introduce stirring Russian tunes, it is unfortunate that the author has supplied, tuneful and beautiful music, but music that is aimless as far as adding to the spirit of the play. With a few exceptions the same can be said of the dances.

The first act, which unfurls the story before us in a leisurely manner, adds color and zest as the play goes on. It is needless to describe the writhing and bickerings, the cold and heat of the affair of Fedora and Mr. X. Surely, Poodles Hannaford and Family took the honors of the show. Especially Poodles himself, whether as an accomplished equestrian, clown, or bus boy, he is truly smashing entertainment. Both Mr. Robertson and Miss Tabor gave fine performances vocally, as well as dramatically. The end of the second act saw their greatest task successfully done, when they held their audience stiff-in-chair and spell-bound.

The life of the concluding act is George Bickel, possessing the finest German accent one could imagine. He plays the part of a real head waiter and brings the play to a successful ending. It would be unfair not to mention the circus "ponies" in their rhythmic perfection; the silhouette dance and its surprising conclusion.

Intercollegiates

A collection is being taken to supply one of the professors of Boston University with chocolate at the beginning of his lectures. This is the result of a remark he had let fall to the effect that he is afflicted with what is commonly called a chocolate complex. This variety of disease has the unpleasant effect of causing the sufferer to sneeze when any of this kind of candy is brought in the close vicinity.

Some of our conventional type of students will be relieved to know that recently 2000 co-eds cast their votes in favor of the home loving man's superiority over the cave man class.

Ohio Northern University is the latest school to place a ban on dancing. This action by school authorities is becoming more and more popular (among the school authorities).

"The modern girl is no worse than her mother or grandmother but no better," stated Principal Hutton in his address recently to the freshman girls of the University College, Toronto.

For quite some time there has been a strict ban on tobacco smoking at Norwich university. Recently this restriction has been removed.

Church Services

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 824 Mass. Avenue, Cambridge
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 10:30 A. M. Morning Worship and Sermon.
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CHURCH OF THE MESSIAH
 Gainsboro and St. Stephen St., Boston
 8:00 A. M. Corporate Communion—followed by breakfast. 10:45 A. M. Morning Prayer and Sermon. "Our Inner Shrine." 6:00 P. M. Students Supper Club.

In order to limit the number of activities in which co-eds may participate, the University of Cincinnati has recently adopted a new system. All possible offices and team memberships are listed and a definite number of points are assigned to each in proportion to the time required. No

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SOPH RELAY SQUAD HAS EIGHT VETERANS

FROSH GRIDSTERS TO OPEN SEASON AT NEW BEDFORD

SOPH MEN PLAY AT NORTHEASTERN

TENNIS TOURNAMENT IS WELL UNDER WAY

SOCIALS

SOPH RELAY SQUAD HAS EIGHT VETERANS

During the past week the number of candidates for the Sophomore Relay Team has increased considerably, until at present there are 23 men competing for the 12 places on the team. Veterans of last year's team who have been working out this week are: Edlund, Cohen, Ross, Ladd, Henderson, Jandris, Gonzales and Addison. With these men as a nucleus the Sophs should be able to produce a team that will give the yearlings a real race.

Although no time trials have been held as yet, the most likely looking freshmen are Lodge, Leadbetter, Broder, Danforth, O'Sullivan, Haskell, Prindle, Alderman, and Hardy. These men have been showing their speed in daily workouts and will probably be found on the frosh team on Field Day.

Frosh Gridsters To Open Season At New Bedford

First Game Tomorrow in Stiff Schedule, Including B. U. and Tufts

Starting their schedule for the season tomorrow afternoon, the yearling football men will journey down to New Bedford to tackle the lineup from New Bedford Vocational High. The schedule also includes the B. U. and Tufts freshmen before Field Day, and looks to be one of the toughest programs yet laid out for a freshman team.

Practicing the new huddle has given the team a good variety of plays in a short time. The men have been running off some snappy plays that look like good distance gainers. In addition to these running plays several clever passes are being perfected. In the team's first tackling practice last week several of the men showed up well.

Working against a good deal of difficulty in getting sufficient time to practice, having had several men out sick, the coach thinks the squad is putting on a very creditable performance. He plans to take his entire squad down on the bus which will leave Tech Field at 11:30 tomorrow morning.

Up to this time there has been no definite selection of a team. There are no eleven men in the squad who stand out above the rest. Consequently Coach Silva plans to have every man get into the game tomorrow to see how he grades up. Even with the full squad it appears as though there may be a considerable shortage of substitutes for the number is pretty small.

In order that the men may have a captain for tomorrow's game, one has been appointed. He is Alberg, one of the linemen, and a good player. He has had considerable experience playing at Malden High. His previous position was at tackle, but Coach Silva has moved him out to end, where he seems to be making good and will probably remain.

Following the New Bedford game, the frosh will have two home games on Tech Field before tackling the Sophs on Field Day. The game with the Boston University freshmen will come next Friday or Saturday, while the aggregation from Tufts will be met the following week end.

FIRST HANDICAP MEET TOMORROW

Nine Events Will Be Held In Opening Contest Of Track Season

Tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 on Tech field "Os" Hedlund will start the first handicap meet of the year when he fires the gun at the start of the 150-yard dash. Entries have been coming in fast in the last few days and the keen competition of other years is expected.

Nine events will be contested, so that everybody will find an event which suits him. Two 150-yard dashes will be run off, one for the freshmen and one for the Varsity. The yearling dash will give the coach an idea of the men who will compose the 1931 Field Day relay team.

Under Bill Meanix's direction two hurdle races will be run—the 45-yard high hurdles and the 70-yard low hurdles. The graduation of Hank Steinbrenner has left a big gap in the ranks of the barrier toppers, and while there is little hope of filling the shoes of the Institute record holder, Meanix hopes to develop a few point winners.

As the Varsity distance men will all be running at Winchester, the longest race will be a 400-yard run. There is plenty of material at this distance and if Cy Meagher and Jack Hallahan are in shape they will make it interesting for all opponents.

Four field events are on the schedule: running high jump, shot put, javelin and discus. Brockelman, Allen and Costello, a transfer from Bates, are expected to do well in the high jump this year, with Miles Gray, McCarthy, Martini and Stachelhaus starring in the weight events.

There is quite a striking contrast between Registration Day at Ohio University a little over a hundred years ago and that of this fall. In 1808 the faculty consisted of one man and but three students entered the institution which consisted of only one building which had cost \$500 to build. This year, an auditorium is being constructed which will be valued at \$300,000, and 2,000 students registered.

SOPH MEN PLAY AT NORTHEASTERN

Hard Fight is Predicted—Northeastern Team Is Unbeaten

Technology's fast and fighting soccer team meets Northeastern tomorrow afternoon on Northeastern's field. The Cardinal and Gray team has been working hard all week and has perfected a number of passing combinations, but will encounter plenty of opposition in the huskies who have defeated Clark 2 to 0 and Worcester Polytechnic 3 to 0. Northeastern will have the advantage of playing on her own field.

Coach Welch has done a great deal during the past week in whipping the team into shape. Thursday night a fast and interesting workout was held. Several men have already been chosen for the Varsity, but quite a few positions will not be decided until tonight or tomorrow. Capt. Sparre heads the list of those who are practically sure to start. Others are Sharabati, forward; Cline, halfback; Mong, forward; Ventura, inside right; Baroudi, outside right, and Riehl, fullback.

Sharabati showed up well in the game with the ineligibles last Saturday, making one of the regulars' goals. He is fast and very good at carrying the ball, and will undoubtedly cause Northeastern plenty of trouble tomorrow. Ventura scored the other goal last Saturday and he is also a dangerous man. Teamwork has been improving greatly this week, as the men have become accustomed to working together and are timing their shots well. The defense has strengthened considerably and ought to be able to take care of any of the enemy's men who happen to get the ball around the Technology goal.

Who says that the female sex is the weaker one? Who dares defy the physical ability of young womanhood? He who would venture to promulgate such an absurdity first glance at the following.

A young co-ed of the University of Minnesota has enrolled in the College of Forestry, a heretofore 100% male institution, with the full purpose of participating in all the hardships that necessarily are included. This will mean that the venturesome young miss will have to shoulder a 75 pound pack, pull on a pair of seven leaguers and trudge fifteen miles a day through heavy brush and undergrowth during summer vacations.

TENNIS TOURNAMENT IS WELL UNDER WAY

With the first round of the Tennis tournament almost completed, the matches are expected to be more closely contested for the remainder of the tournament. Thus far the outstanding player has been F. E. Dame. In his match with L. T. Tufts last Monday, he showed his class by defeating him in two straight sets 6-0, 6-0. Dame has always shown up well in his tournament matches and this year there is no doubt that he will be Captain Kuki's chief threat.

Manager Wilson once again warns those entered in the tournament that failure of the man on the lower bracket to look up his opponent, or to finish the first round by Saturday, will result in his being automatically defaulted. A large loving cup will be awarded to the winner of the tournament.

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'PLENTY FANCY' IS TECH SHOW FOR '28

A. P. Morell '29, Author, Reads Excerpts at Smoker In Walker

(Continued from Page 1) cerning the validity of the Eighteenth Amendment it becomes vitally necessary that he does not appear at said party. But since young love has found and always will find a way, Dick decides to appear in the habillements of a woman. Once at the party new difficulties arise, for were Dick to talk, his voice would give him away—hence he decides to masquerade as a "dumb" woman. This simple statement arouses much comment, for it is the sentiment of the boys at the party that all women are "dumb."

Things go along very smoothly until the arrival of one Mr. Frye a detective in the employ of the Government. This peerless detective is equally at home with criminals and women, and in consequence proceeds to invite himself to be a guest until the arch-villain Ford shall "turn up." The sturdy minion of the law has many quaint theories about the possible movements of Dick and, being the sort of man that he is, proceeds to experiment with rather disastrous results to all but the man whom he is seeking. All the knots are finally unravelled and the show ends on a happy note with the downfall of this officious officer.

Following the reading of the synopsis by Morell, Willard F. McCormack '26 and Rand B. Jones '28 played two numbers from Tech Show '25, "The Duchess of Broadway," and last year's comedy quartette, consisting of Howard Root '28, John Booth '29, Curtiss S. McCune '29 and Norman O'Shea '30, rendered one number.

Charles Young, the musical director of the Show, outlined the work of that department and promised the men in that department their share of the fun and pleasure of the Show. Following him, Langdon Matthews, the dance coach of the Show, explained the work of the chorus and ballet.

Carl Scranton, who is coaching the cast, then read the parts of the Show that directly bore on the work of the cast. After the reading, the work of the various managerial departments was outlined and the call was then made for candidates for the cast, chorus, ballet and management. Tech Show would like to announce that all those who were unable to attend the Smoker are still in a position to enter the competition by applying at the Show office in Walker Memorial any day after 5 o'clock.

Announcement of the dates for tryouts for the Show are to be made shortly and again all those who were not able to signify their intention of taking part in the Show will be welcome at the tryouts.

PICTURES TAKEN OF BYRD'S INSTRUMENTS

Members of the aeronautics course will soon have an opportunity to see a reproduction of the instruments which Commander Richard Byrd used during his flight across the Atlantic Ocean. Pictures of these instruments were taken at the Institute the other day, and Professor William G. Brown of the Department of Aeronautical Engineering intends to use these as a subject for one of his lectures. These photographs should be of unusual interest to all who are in the course, for they show the latest type of instruments in aerial navigation. They include the sextant, induction compass, dash board and other instruments that Byrd had with him during the flight.

T. E. N. ISSUES FIRST NUMBER ON TUESDAY

Article by Head of Bureau of Standards Is Feature

Featuring an article by the head of the United States Bureau of Standards, the October issue of the Tech Engineering News will mark with its appearance Tuesday the beginning of the season's activity for Institute's engineering magazine.

Mr. George K. Burgess, who heads the work of the United States Bureau of Standards at Washington, has written "The Technical Graduate and the Bureau of Standards" for T. E. N. Arthur D. Little '85 has also written an article on "Impending Changes in Our Use of Fuels."

It was announced by George J. Meyers, Jr., '29, Publicity Manager for the magazine, that subscriptions would go on sale today and that no more yearly subscriptions would be sold after the first issue.

ALUMNI SECRETARY LEAVES FOR CANADA

O. B. Denison '11 To Visit Tech Club in Montreal

Orville B. Denison '11, secretary of the Alumni Association, will leave Sunday for a short trip to Canada. The object of his journey will be to visit the Technology Club of Lower Canada, the headquarters of which are in Montreal. Interest in the activities of the Alumni of Technology is dying out in this chapter, said Mr. Denison, and it is his intention to stir up some pep in the organization. A dinner is being given in his honor by the club on Wednesday evening, October 19, at the Queen's Hotel in Montreal.

Mr. Denison intends to stay about three days in Montreal and the vicinity, calling on alumni of M. I. T., and speaking to various preparatory schools on the value of a technical training and similar subjects. On his return, he may stop at Pittsfield, though this is not definitely decided.

Chemical Society To Hold Meeting In Walker Tonight

Dyes and Diets Are Subjects Of Two Speeches At Open Meeting

Organic dyes and calcium diet are the topics to be discussed tonight before the monthly meeting of the Northeastern section of the American Chemical Society. This meeting will be held in the Main Hall, Walker, at 8 o'clock, under the auspices of the Technology Chemical Club, and will be open to the public.

Speaking on "The Colored Windows of the Chemical Industry" Dr. Robert E. Rose, organic chemical expert in charge of the technical laboratories of the DuPont Company, will give an illustrated talk on recent developments in the chemistry of dyes. A number of slides will be used, showing the dyes and their chemical structure simultaneously, so that the actual color changes caused by differences in composition of the dyes may be observed.

Dr. Donald Macomber of the Harvard Medical School has been secured to address the meeting on "The Influence of Diet (with particular reference to calcium) on Growth and Reproduction." It is expected that Dr. Macomber will disclose some of the results of his research work in the Department of Surgical Research at Harvard.

The usual dinner preceding the meeting will be held in the North Hall, Walker, at 6:30 o'clock. Immediately following the dinner Professor Segerblom of Phillips Exeter Academy will give a short talk on the A. C. S. Institute of Chemistry which was recently held at State College, Pennsylvania.

A pamphlet has been given to each student entering Wisconsin University this fall containing a list of what Dean S. H. Goodnight considers as the six vices that students must be careful to refrain from. They are classified as follows: loafing, smoking, profanity, gambling, drinking and lewdness.

NOTICES

FRESHMAN WRESTLING

Freshmen of all weights are needed for the wrestling team and may substitute it for P. T. by signing up before Oct. 26 in Room 335, Walker.

RIFLE TEAM

All those who wish to try out for either the Varsity or freshman rifle teams should report to the rifle range Monday.

All members of former Tug-of-War teams who are willing to act as coaches of this year's team are asked to report to Carl Bernhardt either at the A. A. office or in back of the track house every afternoon after 5 o'clock.

Freshmen wishing to compete for frosh gym manager should report to Walker Gym any afternoon between 4 and 5.

T. E. N.

There will be an important meeting of all candidates and staff men in the office today at 5 p. m.

FRESHMAN SECTION LEADERS

There will be a meeting of all freshman section leaders in Room 4-138 at 5 o'clock Wednesday.

A. S. S. T.

The American Society for Steel Treating will meet beginning Oct. 7, every Friday night at 7:45, and continuing until May, in Room 5-330.

FRESHMAN CAMP PHOTOS

Students interested in freshman camp photos may see proofs in the T. C. A. back office.

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