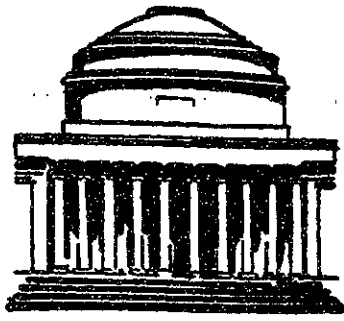


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## More Students On Dean's List

**Increase Of 11.4% Over  
Last Year; Largest  
In 9 Years**

Showing an increase of 11.4 per cent over the number of students listed for the corresponding term of the last school year, the Dean's List was released yesterday by the Institute.

This is the largest Dean's List ever issued since it was first published in 1931. The idea was adopted at that time in order to give recognition to those undergraduate students whose scholarship was distinctly high.

872 on List

Including 872 names, about 37.7 per cent of the school's regular enrollment, the List is headed by the Seniors with 253, followed by the Juniors with 221, the Sophomores with 213, and the freshmen with 180. Although the number on the List is numerically much larger than last year, comparison with enrollment figures shows a percentage increase of only .7 per cent.

Statistics on the Dean's List show that only 4 per cent of Institute students attained first rank, which requires a term rating of 4.5-5. This figure is exactly comparable with last year's. An increase of .95 per cent was noted in the second rank

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Dean's List

## Town Hall Meeting Today In 10-250

**Professors Greene, Smith To  
Join In Discussion  
On Neutrality**

Professors William C. Greene and Theodore Smith, of the English department, will hold a discussion at the meeting of the Tech Town Hall this afternoon at five in Room 10-250. The topic to be discussed will be the Thomas Amendment to the Neutrality Act, which is at present being considered by the U. S. Senate.

Professor Smith will uphold the bill, while Professor Greene will speak against it. Each will talk for fifteen minutes, after which an informal discussion is to be held.

Discussion Is Timely

The amendment will allow the President of the United States to lift the arms embargo to nations which have been attacked by nations breaking treaties with the United States. The subject is exceptionally timely, because of the present status of world affairs.

The discussion will be part of the regular program which will include a talk by Dr. A. H. Meyer, Regional director of the National Labor Relations Board, at a future meeting on April 25. On that day the meeting will be sponsored by the American Student Union. A member of the Institute Industrial Relations will also speak at the meeting.

## Radcliffe Catholic Club To Join Tech's In Dinner

Fifty-five members of the Technology Catholic Club heard Father Burke, of the Boston College History Department, speak at a breakfast held Sunday morning at the Fox and Hounds Club. Norman T. Klidel, '40, was chairman of the breakfast committee.

A joint dinner will be held by the Club with the Radcliffe Catholic Club on Wednesday evening, April 12, at six-thirty in the North Hall. Dancing in the 5:15 Club Room will follow the dinner.

## Politics Must Go

Politics have long been considered a necessary evil in class elections, but the Class of '40 is out to abolish that evil.

Last night, at a meeting of fifteen members representing equally the three residential groups—the dorms, the fraternities, and the commuters—opinion was unanimously in favor of abolishing group slates to remove the strife between the dormitories and fraternities.

This meeting was a result of the recent fraternity caucus, at which the general sentiment was very much against nominating a single slate to represent the fraternities. A similar feeling was evidenced by the poor attendance at the dormitory caucus, and by the lack of political interest generally in the dorms.

Feeling in the fraternity caucus was carried so far as to have two dorm men put on the proposed fraternity slate. At this time each of the men on the fraternity and dormitory slates has approved this attempt to remove politics from the elections. And in addition, the fifteen men at the combined meeting, all of whom are leaders of their respective groups and none of whom is on any proposed slate, are in accord with the idea.

The purpose of the election is to get the best man possible into office, and this has not always been accomplished by organization politics. The class of '40 all should know each other well enough to be

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Politics Must Go

## Child Psychology Will Be The Topic Of Marriage Talk

**Dr. Frederick Rosenheim To  
Talk About Methods In  
Child Training**

"Problems in Child Psychology", the seventh marriage lecture in the T.C.A. series, will be presented by Dr. Frederick Rosenheim, M.D., of the Judge Baker Guidance Center, Thursday at 4 and 5 P.M. in Room 10-250.

Dr. Rosenheim is one of the two psychiatrists on the staff of the Guidance Center. The Judge Baker Guidance Center has gained national reputation for its methods of handling the job of straightening out children and youths who have had a bad start in life.

First Such Lecture Here

This is the first time that a lecture on this topic will be given at Technology. No previous Institute course of instruction has taken consideration of the fact that Technology students

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Marriage Lecture

## Only 500 Tickets For Tech Carnival

Tickets for the monster All-Tech Carnival, sponsored by the 5:15 Club, will go on sale next week, according to Wylie Kirkpatrick, '40, president of the 5:15 Club.

No tickets will be sold at the door, according to Kirkpatrick. Only 500 tickets will be available. The limited number has been decided upon in order that crowded conditions will not spoil the fun for those who bought their tickets beforehand.

Band of Members Plays

A band, consisting of members of the 5:15 Club, will probably make its first appearance of the year on the night of the carnival, according to Herbert Moody, '41, Chairman of the Room Committee.

The Main Hall of Walker Memorial will furnish the setting for the carnival, and will be decked out in true carnival fashion. Booths with various games and exhibits will line the walls, and a space will be roped off for dancing so that the dancers will not be crowded by those viewing the exhibits.

Queen To Be Picked

A "Carnival Queen" will be chosen by a committee, and, in addition, she will be made an honorary member of the committee chosen to select the prize-winning "Rube Goldberg" exhibit.

## 5:15 Club To Have Dance In Club Room; Free Food

Five new Artie Shaw recordings will be the chief attractions at the 5:15 Club room dance to be held next Saturday evening.

Admission will be ten cents a couple to members and their guests, and twenty-five cents to non-members. Refreshments will be served with the compliments of the Dance Committee.

## Dorm Freshmen Will Hold Annual Dinner In Walker

Professor Albert A. Schaefer of the Business and Engineering Administration Department, and Mr. Obie Dennison will be the featured guests at the Annual Dormitory Freshman dinner to be held in the North Hall of Walker Memorial this coming Wednesday evening at 6:30.

Mr. Dennison will sing several selections of his own choosing which should include his well known "At the Sign of the Three Brass Balls," which he sang with great success at the Freshman dinner in the beginning of the year.

Ticket Sale Progressing

Ticket sale has been fairly successful, according to the dinner committee. It is urged that all dormitory freshmen buy their tickets before Wednesday in order to avoid unnecessary con-

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Frosh Dinner

## Hayes, Ex-Goldfish-Eating Champ, Gets Fan Mail From Puzzled CCC, Alumnus

Days may come and days may go, but the Intercollegiate Goldfish-Eating Contest goes on forever. Latest reports have the record in this contest as 89, a number that dims by far what was thought a "sensational feat", performed last week by the Institute champion, Albert E. Hayes, Jr., '42. Although the crown has been rudely snatched from Hayes, he still receives fan mail with reference to his feat.

CCC Praises Spirit

One of the most interesting letters received is from the Assistant Educational Advisor of a CCC camp. The letter says in part:

"In behalf of the members of the CCC Camp, I should like to congratulate you on your fine show of spirit in upholding the honor of your Institution.

"As much controversy has arisen over one particular aspect of your feat, we would deeply appreciate your

## Vacancy Has Occurred In Thorne-Loomis Tour

A vacancy in the Thorne-Loomis group has been created because of a change in the plans of one of the members. This will be filled from applications received prior to April 15.

Anyone interested in applying is requested to see Allen W. Horton, leader of the 1939 tour, in Room 3-208 sometime before this date.

## Class Of '42 To Hold Dance

**Tommy Reynolds To Play  
At Hotel Somerset  
On May 12**

The music of Tommy Reynolds and his band has been secured for the annual Freshman Formal dance to be held from 9:00 P.M. to 2:00 A.M., May 12, in the Princess Ballroom of the Hotel Somerset, 400 Commonwealth Avenue.

Ticket sales for the dance will begin Wednesday, April 5 and will continue on Thursday and Friday. They may be purchased from 12:00 to 2:00 in the Main Lobby of Building 10, or from the section leaders of every section. Bids will cost \$2.50 per couple.

Date Invitations to be Sent

A feature of the ticket sale will be separate invitations to be sent to the dates of ticket holders. One invitation will be allowed each ticket buyer.

For those freshmen who do not own their formal dress, a list will be displayed giving the names of all reliable tailors from whom tuxedos may be rented.

Sponsored by Freshman Council

The dance is a project of the freshman council, upon whom the responsibility rests. About 200 freshmen are expected to attend.

The orchestra committee is composed of William C. Schoen, chairman, Ben A. Elmdahl, and Carl L. McGinnis, all members of the class of '42.

## Dorm Elections Will Be Conducted All This Week

Announcement of coming dormitory nominations for elections to be held during this week was made recently at a meeting of the Dormitory Committee, student governing body of the dormitories.

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Dorm Elections

## Married Men To Be Housed In Bexley Hall

**Institute Buys Apartment  
On Mass. Ave. As  
Investment**

OPPOSITE BUILDING 5

Bexley Hall, a brick apartment building, has just been purchased by the Institute, Horace S. Ford, treasurer of the Corporation, announced last night.

Primarily, the building was bought with housing for the married staff men and married students in mind, authorities said, adding that living accommodations were much needed for this group, since they are barred from the other dormitory facilities.

Single Students Barred

The apartments will not be open to single students or groups of students. Those rooms not occupied by Institute men will be offered for public rental.

Will Not Be Tax Free

Since it will be used for investment purposes, the Institute will not withdraw the property from the Cambridge list of taxable property. Thus the Corporation will pay taxes on property presently assessed at \$116,800.00

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Bexley Hall

## The Tech Swamps Voo Doo, 20-19

**Samuels Stars For Newspaper  
In Basketball Game  
Last Sunday**

In answer to another of Voo Doo's challenges to Institute newspapermen, The Tech swamped Phos's quintet, 20-19, Sunday morning in the Hangar Gym.

Paced by Howie Samuels, '41, the winners started slowly and were headed 6-1 at the quarter and 11-9 at the half, but came back in the third period to take an 18-14 lead.

The Players

With about one minute to go the score stood tied at 19 all, when Howie Morrison, '41, sunk the deciding goal on a foul try. Playing for The Tech were Bill Kather, Mork Walker, John Burr, Ping Baer, Harold Dato, Jay Jerome, Ray Koch, Howie Samuels, and Howie Morrison; for Voo Doo, Herman Affel, Dick Crossman, Charles DeMailly, Bill Hooper, Art Vogeley, and Rowland Peak.

## 5:15 Club Will Expand Activities This Season

Plans for the 5:15 Club carnival and the 1939 athletic season were discussed at a meeting of the executive committee of the 5:15 Club yesterday afternoon in the East Lounge of Walker Memorial.

The committee adopted the budget for the coming year. About \$200 additional revenue is expected from the increase of membership fees from \$2 to \$3. These funds will be used for additional activities and prizes. A proposed goldfish swallowing contest at the carnival was spurned by the committee when it was announced that the present record was 86. Wylie C. Kirkpatrick, new president of the club, presided.

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that all of its nine lives were too valuable to risk.

In due respect to a sense of modesty, we hesitate to mention the fact that The Tech was able to muster not just one team to battle, but two full five man squads. Apparently right not only makes might, but also fight.

We hope that this last half-hearted gesture of VooDoo's stirs them to a realization of what a low level they have sunk to, and fills them with enough shame to force at least an attempt at improvement.

## SCIENCE IN BRIEF

by ARTHUR M. YORK, '38

### WHEN THE LIGHT GOES OUT

Possibly inspired by the novel use of luminous paint on the costumes of certain stage and vaudeville dancers, laboratory technicians have developed a method of giving animals an artificial luminosity in order to observe their movements in the dark. The method has already been applied to the brine shrimp, Artemia, for the purpose of observing how he swims when in darkness, and has been recommended as an aid in observing the antics of other animals in the absence of light. The animal is not painted all over but is dotted with spots of the paint with diameters of the order of a half millimeter or so.

### Steering Wheels From Beans

Many new uses for the soybean and its products have caused the increase in its cultivation from nine to 58 million bushels in the United States during the last eight years. Still there is no surplus. In addition to its uses as a very nutritious cattle fodder, the soybean is useful as the source of many new plastic materials such as steering wheels, knobs, and panels in automobiles and of an oil which can be used in foods, varnishes, paints, and linoleum. After the oil has been extracted, the remaining meal finds uses as food for man and beast, and as fertilizer.

## THE READER SPEAKS

To the Editor,

Your editorial on "Freudian Fish" which appeared in The Tech, Friday, March 31, 1939, (page 2) was surprising, depressing, and annoying. It was a sudden shock to hear unexpectedly of the death of Sigmund Freud, whose clarification of certain psychological principles has had such impact on scientific thought. At last notice he was living and working in an English refuge, still actively engaged in creative thought . . . and now you "would that he were alive today". It is indeed sad.

The annoying attitude of the editorial was the haughty manner in which you denounced goldfish gulpers while simultaneously giving this harmless clan the most conspicuous and valuable space in your journal. By this overt act of treason to one of journalism's highest principles, namely an honest emphasis on important news, you have branded yourself as "particeps criminis" (which is Latin for "party to the crime"), as any Tech undergraduate can tell you).

Exhibitionism, the crime of which Mr. Hayes was accused, requires both an exhibitor and an admiring throng. By allotting twenty-four column inches on your front page to a rhetorical orgasm describing the fish swallowing episode, you joined that throng. By indulging in a wordy, inaccurate editorial on the same subject, you outdid the beheloid Mr. Hayes by a factor equal to The Tech's circulation. His horseplay was comic to a small exclusive circle of friends until you, with your far greater power for displaying your own possibilities as a psychopath, tried to raise an issue where none existed and succeeded only in making the above mentioned issue of The Tech a travesty on the name "newspaper".

To justify my own unpardonable exhibitionism in bothering to write you, allow me to offer a constructive suggestion. If you had to waste good money on a cut, why didn't you publish a picture of Dr. J. C. Janney in the space consecrated to the "Champ Fish Guzzler" and give the surrounding central space to your really significant story which was plainly the well written review describing the T.C.A.'s presentation of Dr. Janney's motion picture, "The Birth of a Baby".

I realize that The Tech of Friday, March 31, 1939, is now history. You cannot make an erasure or change one single comma but you can in the future use the freedom which you deserve as a man of the press in a sincere and dignified effort to avoid repeating your youthful mistakes.

Sincerely,

JOE T. RIVERS

Editor, The Tech

The Tech of March 31 carried an article concerning a Dormitory resident who swallowed some ungodly number of goldfish.

This article, it was stated, was based on mere rumor and could not be confirmed. There was not even a guess made at the dorm man's identity.

Considering the incontestable implications of moronic perversion and imbecility, the little gem of news-interest in question amounts to nothing less than wholesale slander.

As a self-respecting Dormitory resident, I request a wholesale apology.

Sincerely,

PAUL SANDORFF, '39

## Debaters Face Last Contest

### Last Debate In The League Series To Be With Lafayette

The final debate in the third triangle of the Eastern Intercollegiate Debate League will take the M.I.T. team to Easton, Pa. where they will meet Lafayette College on April 8.

Martin L. Ernst, '41, and Samuel I. Omansky, '40, will defend the affirmative of the question: "Resolved that a system of socialized medicine be adopted making available to all complete medical care at public expense." The debate will be conducted in the Oregon style.

### Institute Is Champion

Technology has won the championship in the last two years. This year the team is not doing quite as well, having won two, and lost three out of five encounters. Bates College is leading with four victories in four debates.

A debate with the Norfolk Prison Colony, originally scheduled for April 9, will be postponed until sometime in May because of Easter.

### Radio Debate with B.C.

Plans for a radio debate with Boston College were announced by Russell T. Werby, '40, manager of the debating team. It is expected to take place during the last week of April over station WBZ. This will be the third radio debate Technology has held this year. Previous contests have been held in New York with New York University and in Boston with Boston University.

There is also a possibility, it was learned last night, that a debate between the Carnegie Institute of Technology and the Institute may be held at Pittsburgh during April or May if the necessary funds become available.

A freshman debate with Harvard will take place on April 21. The varsity has already debated the Crimson.

The Convention of the Eastern Intercollegiate Debate League will be held here on April 15.

## Reviews and Previews

**COPLEY**—An adventure into the realm of fantasy and extravaganza will be revealed in all its Easter spirit glory by the Federal Theatre when it brings to full blossom at the Copley Theatre on Easter Tuesday evening, April 11th, the mammoth and fantastic vaudeville-circus-pantomime-mari-onette-song-and-dance-drama and music production of *Pinocchio*, based on the familiar and popular Italian fairy story of the puppet who came to life.

Produced in New York by the Federal Theatre in the Christmas holidays as primarily children's entertainment, *Pinocchio* enthused both old and young to the extent that it is still running there and bids fair to continue through the summer.

**LOEWS STATE AND ORPHEUM**—Announcement is made that Honolulu, starring Eleanor Powell, Robert Young, George Burns, and Gracie Allen, coupled with *Burn 'Em Up O'Connor*, with Dennis O'Keefe and Cecilia Parker in the leading roles, will be held over for an additional two days here.

**PARAMOUNT AND FENWAY**—Bob Burns' latest comedy drama, *I'm From Missouri*, in which America's celebrated humorist is supported by a cast featuring Gladys George, Patricia Morison, Judith Barrett, E. E. Clive, and Gene Lockhart, will share the program honors in a holiday bill starting Thursday, with *Inside Story*, another "pseudo-newspaper" story.

**EXETER**—William Powell and Ginger Rogers in *Star of Midnight*. Also S. Toler and Phyllis Brooks in *Charlie Chan in Honolulu*.

**CAPITOL**—Norma Shearer and Clark Gable in *Idiot's Delight*. On the same program is Dorothy Lamour in *St. Louis Blues*.

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## POLITICS MUST GO

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able to judge which of them is the best man for any office, without having slates chosen for them by the various groups. There is no justification for the policy of picking a man for office, primarily on the basis of where he lives.

Therefore it is planned that, this year, the Class of '40 will have no arbitrary slates chosen for them. Nominations will be open from the class in general, and the residential group to which a candidate belongs will be omitted from his qualification record. High-pressure electioneering by individuals or by groups will be discouraged. In this way the class officers will be chosen on the basis of merit and personality.

To accomplish this, it is necessary that the class back up the plan as a body. It is useless if one man is able to take this opportunity to electioneer and build up a political machine. The class must cooperate in discouraging back-slapping, and confidential stump-speeches. The class must make any attempt at pressure the surest way for a candidate to defeat himself.

Let's outlaw politics in the election of the class officers of the Class of 1940.

The following men were present at last night's meeting of the representatives of the three residential groups, and wish to go on record as being in accord with the principles expressed in this editorial: Thomas F. Creamer, Wylie C. Kirkpatrick, David R. Goodman, Franklin E. Penn, John A. Eaton, Richard H. Braunlich, Valentine deOlloqui, Jr., Joseph J. Casey, William S. Kather, Robert A. Grossfinger, Richard C. Babish, and Donald G. Bry.

The following men have been nominated by the various slates for some class office, and they also agree unanimously that politics must go: W. Happer Farrell, David T. Morgenthaler, Joseph B. Wiley, Philip A. Stoddard, H. Garrett Wright, James S. Rumsey, Reeve C. Morehouse, J. Herbert Hollomon, Henry Rapoport, Wesley J. Van Sciver, and William R. Taylor.

## FAINT-HEARTED PHOS

Having had the unmitigated gall to challenge The Tech to a basketball game, VooDoo last Sunday had the greatest difficulty in even coercing five members of their staff out of hung-over stupors onto the court.

Far be it from us to draw any inferences from such obvious lack of zeal on the part of VooDoo's "staff"; but it does seem to us that if they feel a faint desire to defend the tarnished honor of their dubious offspring, last Sunday was the time to do it.

Apparently, after taking the first step Walker Memorial's pussywillow realized just what it was stepping into and almost decided

# Technology Fencers Take Ninth Position In I.F.A. Contests

## Woodson Stars For Team In Epee Matches

### Institute Swordsmen Get Tie For Fifth In Foil

In a field of the best inter-collegiate fencing teams in the country, the Tech swordsmen placed ninth out of twelve in the forty-sixth annual Intercollegiate Fencing Association championships at the Seventh Regiment Armory last Saturday.

#### Baldwin Stars in Epee

Though the Navy Team ran away with the meet, winning every event, the M.I.T. team showed great improvement over their showing last year when they finished last. Woodson Baldwin, '39, starred for Tech in the epee, winning seven out of his eleven matches, and nearly placing second in the field. Amos Shaler, '40, and Charles Wieser, '39; also represented Tech in the epee, taking four and a half and one and a half respectively out of their eleven matches. In the foils, Cap Adelson was number one, though he was outscored by Harry Isbenjian and Ed Sherburne, the latter putting in a brilliant performance of seven wins against four defeats. Bill Postman excelled in the saber competition, winning four matches, while he was supported by the excellent performances of Whiffletree White and John Bech. The Tech team placed eleventh in the epee with 12/33, ninth in the saber with 13/33, and tied for fifth place in the foil with 16/33.

#### Future Bright

The hopes of the team are high for next year, as only Bill Postman will graduate. With such stars as Woody Baldwin, who started his fencing career last year showing an ever improving style, the team will doubtless put in an even greater margin over this year's mark than the three place jump made this year.

	Epee		Foil		Saber	
	MIT	Opp	MIT	Opp	MIT	Opp
Columbia	14	13 1/2	2	1	2	1
Cornell	0	3	0	3	1	1
Harvard	0	1	0	3	0	3
Yale	0	1	2	0	1	0
N.Y.U.	2	1	0	1	0	3
Princeton	14 1/2	14 1/2	1	1	2	1
Hamilton	1	2	3	0	2	1
Harvard	1	2	1	2	1	2
Penn.	1	2	3	0	2	1
Army	0	3	1	2	1	2
Total	12	22	16	17	13	20

## Dean's List

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List, which is attained only through a 4-4.9 term rating. The third rank list, term rating of 3.5-3.99, showed a decrease of .13 per cent.

#### Seniors Lead

Percentages of the various classes place the Senior ahead with 46.9 per cent. The Sophomores are second with 38.1, closely followed by the Juniors with 37.0. Last place is held by the freshmen, with 28.7.

Dean's List percentages have, as a general rule, increased every year since 1931. Copies of the List may be obtained at the Information Desk, Room 7-111.

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# Gymnasts Are In Collegiates

## Cremer Gets Third Place In Horizontal Bar Competition

Playing as one of the only four teams to score in the Eastern Intercollegiate Gymnastic League, the Tech gymnasts competed in a field of top notch teams at Princeton last Saturday.

#### Cremer Scores for Tech

George Cremer was the outstanding Tech entry, taking third place in the horizontal bar event. He only trailed the champion, Sears of Army by 10 points, and the second place winner, Bryan of Navy, by five points. Cremer and Captain Bascom Emerson have been two of the team's outstanding gymnasts this year. Louis Michelson and Ray Keyes represented Tech in the parallel bars while Herb Stewart entered the side horse event. The team suffered the loss of Charley Fitter, who was unable to compete due to sore hands. Likewise it was necessary to scratch Hank Brewer and Ray Keyes in the ring. The strategy of coach Herb Forsell was to take a minimum number of entrees to the meet, limiting the team to those who stood a chance of placing. Since the interest in gym is increasing, the team's prospects for next year are good.

#### New England Championships

M.I.T. is to be well represented in the New England Junior and Senior Gymnastic championships which will be held in the Young Men's Hebrew Association's Building next Saturday evening at 7 P.M. The following varsity men have entered: Bascom Emerson, George Cremer, Harry Phinizy, John Quady, Charles Fitter, William Pyle, Raymond Keyes, Robert Dorsey, Charles Flecher, Bud Ackerson, Louis Michelson, Hank Brewer, Frank Pilatt, Donald Dixon, Robert Frost, Maurice Flynn, Carl Goodwin, James Holley and Samuel Sinsiper. The freshman entrees are: J. Phillips, C. McClintock, J. Flipse, H. Selleck and G. Anderson.

May 6, Sat.	Moses Brown at home, 1:30 P.M.
May 10, Wed.	Milton Academy at home, 4 P.M.
May 13, Sat.	Brown Freshmen at Providence, R. I.
May 16-17, Tue. Wed.	SPRING INTER-CLASS MEET, 4 P. M.

## Wrestling Team To Have Banquet Tonight At 6:30

The wrestling team with its managers and coach will have a dinner and general bull session at Durgin Park, famous Boston seafood restaurant, tonight at 6:30 P.M.

The only official business of the evening will be the election of the new captain. Lobster, oysters, and suitable drinks will be the chief entertainment.

## Ten Track Meets Planned For 1939

### Varsity In Three Dual Meets Against Colby, Bates, And Brown

Opening on Friday, April 28th with a freshman meet at Tufts, the 1939 spring track season includes nine inter-collegiate meets — five varsity and four freshman—and the spring interclass meet.

The varsity will begin their attempt to repeat an undefeated season by meeting Colby College at Waterville, Maine, on April 29th and have one meet a week from then on.

#### First Meet on New Track May 6

On May 6th they will be host to Bates on the new Technology track in the first meet to be held on that track. The following Saturday they travel to Providence to compete with Brown University.

After the initial meet with Tufts, the freshmen, also out to repeat last year's undefeated season, run against Moses Brown, Milton, and Brown University Freshmen.

#### The schedule:

VARSITY	
Apr. 29, Sat.	Colby at Waterville, Maine.
May 6, Sat.	Bates at home, 1:30 P.M.
May 13, Sat.	Brown at Providence R. I.
May 19-20, Fri. Sat.	N.E.I.C.A.A.A. at Durham, N. H.
May 26-27, Fri. Sat.	I.C.A.A.A.A. at New York City.
FRESHMEN	
Apr. 28, Fri.	Tufts Freshmen at Medford, Mass.

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## Spring Soccer Practice To Begin This Afternoon

Spring Soccer practice will get under way this afternoon on the field received from John McKee, '40, team manager. The practice sessions will take place twice a week. All varsity and last year's freshmen team members are expected to be present. The spring practice gives the team a chance to keep in practice for the season which begins almost immediately after the start of next term.

## Stearns Is New Squash Champion

### Defeats Millar In Finals 3-2 To Win Title For Second Time

Seymour Stearns, '39, is the new Tech squash racket champion as a result of his victory last Friday afternoon over Bob Millar, '40, in the final round of the Emerson Cup Tournament. The score of the match was 3-2.

This is the second time that Stearns will have his name inscribed on the permanent cup donated by Charles Emerson, '04, as he also won the tournament two years ago. This is also the second year that Millar has been runner-up. Last year he was defeated by Babcock, '39, in the finals. Illness kept Babcock out of this year's tourney.

#### Marvelous Squash Exhibited

According to Coach Jack Summers, the finalist played some of the best squash that has ever been exhibited on the Tech courts. The match was close all the way. Stearns took the first game by the score of 18-14, but Millar came back to win the second game 15-10. He dropped the third game 15-12, but again came back to tie the score with a 17-16 victory in the fourth game. However, the final game went to Stearns 15-12.

#### Donator in Gallery

Mr. Emerson was one of the gallery, and was pleased with the fine sportsmanship displayed by both the players. He will give cups to both the contestants at the annual banquet to be held in the Silver Room of Walker Memorial on Tuesday, April 11 at 6:15. Letters and numerals will be awarded at that time and next year's captain will be elected.

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## M.I.T. Stickmen Lose First Game To Boston Team

### Close Game Against Former College Stars Shows Team Has Improved

Technology's Varsity Lacrosse team, captained by J. D. Alexander, '39, was shaded out by the narrow margin of 8 to 5 by the Boston Lacrosse Club eleven in its first game of the season on coop field last Friday. Although defeated, the team shows promise of a good season, having been practicing every day out on coop field.

The opposing team consists of former college lacrosse players, and Friday's game was the best showing that Tech made against them in years.

Scores for M.I.T. were made by J. D. Alexander, '39; E. H. Stein, '40; T. F. Creamer, '40; R. D. Martin, '39; and G. C. Halstead, '39.

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Magurn, 1d	1d, Silber, DeTiere
Littleton, 2d	2d, Farrell
Colby, Redshaw, c	c, Martin, Seim
Bohn, 2a	2a, Creamer, Hunsaker, Plunkett
Cochrane, 1a	1a, Halstead, Totten
Tucker, Child, oh	oh, Hunsaker, Broynning, Creamer
Sullivan, 1b	1b, Alexander
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# CALENDAR

## TUESDAY, APRIL 4

- 1:15 P.M. A.I.E.E. Plant Trip—Summer Tunnel.
- 5:00 P.M. Debating Society Meeting—West Lounge.
- 5:00 P.M. Freshman Council Meeting—East Lounge.
- 5:00 P.M. Math Society Lecture—4-231.
- 5:00 P.M. Spanish Lecture—6-120.
- 5:00 P.M. Tech Town Hall—10-250.
- 7:00 P.M. Orchestral Rehearsal—East Lounge.
- 8:00 P.M. Dorm Soph Meeting—Ware Committee Room.

## WEDNESDAY, APRIL 5

- 4:00 P.M. Commuter-Sophomore Meeting—Club Room.
- 5:00 P.M. T.C.A. Boy's Work Division Meeting—East Lounge.
- 5:00 P.M. Beaver Club Meeting—West Lounge.
- 6:30 P.M. Dorm Freshman Dinner—North Hall.
- 7:30 P.M. A.I.Ch.E. Meeting—Faculty Dining Room.

## THURSDAY, APRIL 6

- 4:00 and 5:00 P.M. Marriage Lecture—10-250.
- 5:00 P.M. Physical Society Tea—Moore Room.
- 5:15 P.M. Christian Science Organization Meeting—10-250.
- 6:00 P.M. Alpha Chi Sigma Dinner—Faculty Dining Room.
- 6:30 P.M. Dorm Junior Dinner—North Hall.

### Bexley Hall

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The sale was negotiated through Watson G. Cutter and Sons real estate firm, who purchased the apartment from the Riverbank Trust.

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### Marriage Lecture

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may some day become parents and have to face the many bewildering problems that go with the task of bringing up children.

The lecturer will spend the hour outlining the problems that will arise and some general methods of meeting them as the topic of child psychology covers an extremely large field and requires much study. Many women's colleges in this vicinity have been including courses of this type in the regular school curriculum.

The T.C.A. marriage lecture series has attracted so much favorable attention in several nearby colleges that Professor F. Alexander Magoun, of the Humanities department, who started the series at Technology, has been invited to conduct similar marriage lectures at Wellesley and Simmons. He gave two lectures at Wellesley and will begin a series of two lectures each week for four weeks at Simmons next Monday.

### Dorm Elections

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According to the amended constitution, nominations for hall chairman will be held at that time in each hall, three Sophomores being chosen from each as nominees. Within ten days of the nomination date, elections will be held by preferential ballot in the respective halls.

### Frosh Dinner

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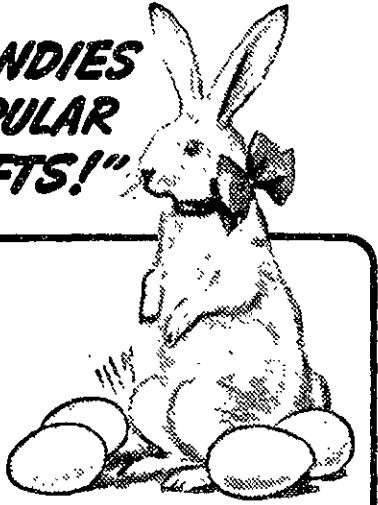
fusion at the door. Tickets may be purchased from any of the members of the committee or from any floor chairman.

According to present indications, about 135 to 145 freshmen in all are expected to attend. This is about 90% of the entire group.

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