Gripe Cases Fill Infirmary To Capacity

75 Respiratory Cases Handled Each Day Since Christmas

The usual winter onslaught of gripes and gripes have once again invaded Technology. It was encountered last night at the office of the Medical Director.

Approximately seventy-five (clinical records) patients were signaled during the night. Hospital Infirmary and six patients were present at the center.

Among the distinguishable guests residing at the Infirmary during the Christmas vacation was Dr. Karl T. Compton, president of the institution who has also been bitten by the grippe.

To Capacity

Dr. Schmitt, Noted Biologist

To Join Technology Staff

A full-botted professor at 46, and a man who has made his name known in medicine, chemistry and physiology of neurons, Dr. Otto Schmitt, formerly of the University of Michigan, is the present of the Pennsylvania Institute for physical investigation. Noted for his research in muscle, he is also noted for his investigations in a number of diseases and illnesses.

Dr. Schmitt's work has been primarily in the field of muscle physiology and biochemistry. He has made significant contributions to the understanding of the mechanisms of muscle contraction and relaxation. His research has led to the development of new treatments for muscle disorders, such as poliomyelitis.

Dr. Schmitt's work has been widely recognized, and he has received numerous awards and honors for his contributions to the field. He is considered one of the leading experts in muscle physiology and biochemistry.

New Years Party Held By 5:15 Club

125 Attend Dinner-Dance At New Year's Eve

Attended by approximately 175 Technology men and their guests, the annual New Year’s Eve dinner-dance was held at the Alumni Country Club, under the sponsorship of the 5:15 Club.

Dr. Schmitt's presence at the event was not only a highlight for the attendees, but also a testament to the club's commitment to bringing in top-notch guest speakers to engage and inspire its members.

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Gamine Sued To Supply Music At Senior Dance Committee To Hold Affair in Walker

On Friday, Jan. 19

Gamine Suah, college band leader, has been asked to supply the music for the Senior Dance Committee to be held in Walker Memorial, Friday, January 25. Dr. Schmitt, who is now in charge of the Institute’s music department, has been asked to supervise the orchestra, to be selected for the dance.

The Senior Dance is held annually at the Institute on the night before the new semester begins. It is considered a highlight of the social calendar, and a great opportunity for students to meet and socialize.

Two Attempts Needed To Pass Motion Which Will Cancel Plans For Exemptions

Voting to assure every freshman, sophomore, junior, and senior in the freshman class their exemption from the 2-week term which will be held at the end of March. The votes were so extremely close that a tie vote was announced in the last minute.

The motion stated that the students would be exempt from the term if they satisfied the requirements of the term. The requirements included a minimum of 15 credits and a minimum grade of B in all courses.

Sponsors Dance

A novel "Steak Dance" has been announced by the Student's Commission Committee of the Walker Hall Student Council to take place on the last day of the academic year, April 30. The dance will be held in Walker Hall from 8 to 12. The dance is expected to be a major event of the year, with a large attendance expected.

The dance will feature live music, dancing, and a variety of food and drinks. It is expected to be a fun and exciting event for all students on campus.

The Walker Hall Student Council is piloting the event to gauge interest and feedback, with the possibility of making it an annual event in the future.
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AnOTHER YEAR

Father Time has emerged from his bomb-proof shelter long enough to give us a new year. If we could say "Happy New Year" to you with the expectation that such would be the case, we would do so. But we can't, for there's going to be a lot of unhappiness in the next twelve months.

A new decade has opened. The old one was called the "Troubled Thirties." And it looks as if we're entering the "Ferulent Forties."

One strange aspect of this new year is that not so many people seem to be making resolutions. Maybe they've learned that they'll be break them despite everything, or, perhaps, with times moving so quickly, they fear that the good resolutions of today will be the bad resolutions of tomorrow.

Happy New Year, fellow students. Be happy that so far you haven't had to return your lights out at seven and sleep in the Kendall Square Station.
TECH

Hockey Team Wins Series At Lake Placid Tournament

Tech Wins First Game Of Year When Lehigh Bows, 7-2; Blunder Stand Out In Victory

After avoiding an unusually successful vacation series of hockey games at Lake Placid, during which Bill Colonnese's Heroclix went 2-1-1 and lost once, Coach Croop is preparing his charges for an intensive drive in vacate which will test the techs against the New England Ice Hockey League. The Techs will entertain the Junior New England Hockey League on Sunday.

In their last game, the Techs soundly defeated the Colgate University hockey team, 7-2, with the Ted Kurth leading the Techs in the scoring. The Techs played with a better team, Coach Croop stated, but the Ontarian team was still a little sloppy in their performance. The Techs are now second in the league standings, and will be looking for a victory when they meet the Middlebury College ski team on Saturday.

Squashmen Win Over Vacation Racquets Defeat Both Stevens Tech And Purdue Fives

Two teams of intercollegiate squashes were defeated by the Techs in the recent series of matches, one against Middlebury and the other against Purdue. The Middlebury team was defeated by a 3-2 margin, while the Purdue team was defeated by a 4-0 margin. The Techs' team is now second in the league standings.

Cardinal Hoop Quintet Faces Strong Brown Five

Coach Levin's Hands Out Cigars On Birth Of Son

Levin, the Techs' basketball coach, welcomed his first child last Saturday, and presented a cigar to the Techs as a sign of his appreciation for their efforts in the season. The Techs have been performing well, and Coach Levin is hoping for continued success.

Brin Squad Averaging Over Six Feet, Has Won Five Straight Games Favoring On Friday

Meeting their strongest opposition of the season, the Beaver basketball team will journey to Providence Friday evening to face a Brown squad averaging six feet, one inch. The Beaver players are hoping to leave the game with a record of two wins and the same number of losses. They are hoping to have the game with a surplus of wins.

Swim Records Fall As Team Improves

Varsity swimmers are breaking swim records and steadily improving, according to unofficial counts of coach. The Techs will be guests on Saturday at 3:30 home team meets the Newton Y.M.C.A. varsity from Freeman. In last night's practice session, eight swimmers broke records at their own levels, and another four were within the top 10 in their category.

Tedsford Harvard ANNOUNCES

CASH CLEARANCE SALE

Of Seasonable Apparel Of The Finest Quality At Greatly Reduced Prices.

| OVERCOATS | $45.00 | Now | $39.50 |
| $50.00 | $44.50 |
| $60.00 | $54.50 |
| $75.00 | $57.50 |
| $85.00 | $67.50 |

| SHIRTS | $2.00 | Now | $1.65 |
| $2.50 | $1.95 |
| $3.00 | $2.35 |
| $3.50 | $2.95 |

| SUITS | $40.00 | Now | $39.50 |
| $45.00 | $37.50 |
| $50.00 | $42.50 |
| $55.00 | $47.50 |
| $60.00 | $52.50 |
| $65.00 | $55.00 |

| NECKWEAR | $1.50 | Now | $95c |
| $2.00 | $1.35 |
| $2.50 | $1.95 |
| $3.00 | $2.35 |
| $3.50 | $2.95 |

| HOSIERY | $1.00 | Now | 75c |
| $1.50 | 95c |
| $2.00 | $1.35 |
| $2.50 | $1.95 |
| $3.00 | $2.35 |

| SPORTCOATS | $20.00 | Now | $16.95 |
| $25.00 | $19.50 |
| $30.00 | $24.50 |
| $35.00 | $29.50 |

| SLAX | $40.00 | Now | $45.40 |
| $40.00 | $34.50 |

| REVERSIBLES | $60.00 | FULL DRESS |

| BRIDAL TUTUS | $4.50 | Now | $16.50 |

| DRESS SHIRTS | $3.00, $3.50, $4.00 |

| 95c each | 95c each |

| 1442 MASS. AVE. - H ARVARD SQUARE | 1442 MASS. AVE. - H ARVARD SQUARE |
Pare Four

6:00 P.M. Professor Schell's Department Tea in room 1-270.

6:30 P.M. T.C.A. Work in New Year's Ball.

7:00 P.M. Debating Society Meeting in Littlefield Lounge.

V-S engine donated to the Elizabeth at the end of each dance. Noisemakers to make room for forty-four over-dressed guests. Music of the 5:16 Club's records.

6:30 P.M. Hobby Shop Meeting in Room 6-170.

5:00 P.M. Studebaker-Faculty Committee inner-Faculty Lounge.

6:30 P.M. Class of 'S6 Dinner—Silver Room.

5:00 P.M. Tracing by a group interested in the dance floor, with conscientious assistance of club leaders available, one at a time in the Hobby Shop. Elaborate decorations of the traditional New Year's style were strewn about the hallways.

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TUESDAY, JANUARY 7

5:00 P.M. Studebaker-Faculty Committee inner-Faculty Lounge.

5:00 P.M. Debating Society Meeting in Littlefield Lounge.

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6:30 P.M. Alpha Phi Omega Meeting—Tyler Lounge.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 9

5:00 P.M. A.S.F. Meeting—Littlefield Lounge.

5:00 P.M. American Chemical Society Buffet—More Hall.

T.C.A. Work

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to make room for forty-four over-dressed guests.

Two Positions Open

The Boy's Work Division of T.C.A. announced that there were two positions open for club leaders available, one at a time in the Hobby Shop. Elaborate decorations of the traditional New Year's style were strewn about the hallways.

Hobby Shop

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entry 25. All photographers are urged to enter their pictures before that date. Rules and entry blanks may be obtained at the shop, room 1-270.

Photos of all types are being accepted this year; equipment for making stereo-photographs pictures is available to anyone desiring to use it. The equipment includes two single flash units, one microphone and photoelectric cell, and one recently purchased multiflash unit.

Prizes for Winners

Cash prizes awarded the winners and all entries will be exhibited at the gathering of the Tech Photo Service. Judges this year are Professors Fred- erick G. Fasset, English department; Harold E. Elgestine, electrical engineering department; and John T. Rutke.

Dr. Schmitt

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Head of Department: Dr. Schmitt

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New Year's Ball

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from the result of Ken Searles to the 5:15 Club's records.

Elaborate Decorations

Elaborate decorations at the tradi- tional New Year's gathering were everywhere seen about the dance floor, with the tables covered with decorations. The decorations of all types were distributed at all the tables during dinner.

Grippie Cases

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available beds. A new word which will open Wednesday becomes (the and madetion) by 5:16. A corps of entertainers, under the direction of Mr. Albert V. Smith, Superintendent of Buildings and Grounds, working under the rule that it is possible for the word to be completed far in advance of sched- ule.

Preventative Measures Suggested

The Medical Department advises stu- dents to cover the nose and mouth when sneezing and to report to the Infirmary at the first symptom of a cold. Any student who feels ill should not attempt to remain in Big Com- mon increase to dormitory in case the danger of epidemic.

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Catholic Chaplain

Delivers 4th Talk

Father William Daly of the Holy Cross Cathedral of Boston and chap- lain to the Technology Catholic Club, will deliver the fourth of a series of lectures on ‘Catholic Ethics’ Monday, January 10-27 in room 104-19.

For a little more than a month and a half, Rieger Dry has been chairman of the Technology Catholic club.

The officers, according to tradition, plan to serve the chaplain to dinner with them. Plans for the Catholic Club's annual Charity Ball are moving forward with great speed. Scheduled for January 15 in the Sterling Hall of Walker, this game will attempt to provide some contribution to a worthwhile charity.