Christmas Dance Will Be Held at 9 Tonight

The Dormitory Committee will sponsor the Christmas Dance on Sunday afternoon. Many eloquent members and their wives have been invited to attend the dance, which will be held in Room 1027. A few tickets will be issued at the entrance. The dance is sponsored by the Dormitory Committee.

Tea To Be Held Sunday

The Dormitory Committee will sponsor a tea in conjunction with the Christmas dance in the Burton Room on Sunday afternoon. Many eloquent members and their wives have been invited to attend the tea.

Ceramic Art Exhibition To Appear In Building 10

A new exhibit, "Ceramic Art," will appear in the Lobby of Building 10 on December 18. It will consist of a large piece of pottery created by Mr. and Mrs. Delbert L. Rhind, both instructors in Ceramic Art at the University of New Hampshire. The pottery exhibit is unusual for its originality and glaze texture.

Fifty Convalescent War Veterans Taken On Tour Through Institute

Fifty overseas veterans from the Pacific and European theatres of war, who were recently released from the Fort Devenis hospital, visited the Institute yesterday. The men, who were guided through Harvard Tuesday, spent the entire day here in visiting classes and viewing points of interest.

Staff Members Hear Horace S. Ford Talk At Annual Banquet

Alan R. Gruber, 2-46, was named General Manager of Volume LXV of the Tech at the annual banquet for the members of the staff, which was held Wednesday evening at the Fox and Hounds Club. The other members of the new Managing Board are Dean Bedford, Jr., 2-46, Editor; Low, 2-46, Managing Editor; and Arthur Schiff, 2-46, Business Manager. The appointments are subject to approval by the Institute Committee.

Horace S. Ford, Treasurer of the Institute, was the guest speaker of the evening. Mr. Ford, in an informal talk, outlined to the assembled members of The Tech and their guests, who included members of the Faculty and Administration, his ideas of what Technology would be like within the ten or twenty years following the war.

Associate Board Appointments

Appointments to the Associate Board for the new volume of the Tech are Robert G. Wilson, 2-46, News Editor; William F. Herberg, Jr., 2-46, Sports Editor; Robert Kahlberg, 2-46, Treasurer; and Tony C. Nunes, 2-46, Circulation Manager.

The winner of the freshman (Continued on Page 4)

Frosh Section Leaders To Meet Next Monday

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DO WE CARE?

Last Tuesday night the Technology basketball team defeated Boston University by a score of 69 to 29. Attendance records revealed that about 200 B.U. students came over to cheer their team while our victorious team had but 20 supporters.

It is to the credit of the basketball team that they were able to score such a smashing victory with so little support on the part of the student body. The men on the team have worked hard to give the school a good basketball team and deserve a little support from the rest of the undergraduate body.

This indifference to sports events seems to be characteristic of the Institute. Probably at no other college in the world do the students take so little active interest in the teams which represent them in play. In spite of this lack of student support Tech has consistently had good teams in the sports in which it participates. This is primarily due to the fact that the coaches and players have worked for good teams for the love of the sport alone.

It is pretty disheartening to a player to see his opponents cheered on by a whole gallery of spectators while only a mere handful of students turn out to watch his efforts on behalf of his team and his school.

The way the Technology campus is laid out permits easy and rapid access to the gymnasium. This ought to make it easy for students to turn out and watch the games. If 200 B.U. students can come all the way over here to cheer their team, knowing in advance that it was the weaker of the two, it seems strange that at least an equal number of Technology students could not have walked a few yards to cheer on their obviously stronger team.

We owe it to the players, if not to our school spirit, to turn out in force and support our teams.
**Tech Squashmen Whip Harvard, 5-0**

**First Intercollegiate Meet For Racqueeters**

The M. I. T. varsity squash team, coached by Jack Summers won its first collegiate match of the season over Harvard last Tuesday, 5-0. Roger Sonnenberg, playing number one, defeated G. Plimpton, 10-15, 15-10, 15-10, 14-15, 15-12; Captain Bill Pierce, number two man, defeated J. Knowles, 15-11, 15-12, 15-8; Tom Hewson, three man, topped Conlan, 15-10, 15-9, 15-2; Walter Scherer overwhelmed T. Lovering, 15-8, 15-9, 15-8; and Ted Read won from R. Feinberg, 15-11, 15-10, 15-8.

This week the “A” team meets the Harvard Grads on the Harvard courts. The M. I. T. Whites will play the University Club Whites ways, while the M. I. T. Reds-Univ. Club Blues tilt is scheduled for the Tech courts. There will be no games next week.

**Ae.S. Will Present Movie Next Monday**

“Building the PBY Recorder Bomber” is the title of a 50-minute sound motion picture to be presented at 5:00 P.M. Monday, December 18, in Room 10-250. It is sponsored by the Institute of Aero-

**Outing Club Holds First Skating Trip**

Skiing Planned For Christmas Vacation

This Sunday, if there is ice, the Outing Club will run the first skating trip of the winter to Hoosicwisch-Is Pond in the Blue Hills. Everyone is invited and those people attending will meet at 10:00 A.M. on Sunday, December 17, at the Park Street Under Subway Station, with lunch, warm clothes, and skates.

During Christmas Vacation, there is going to be a ski trip to Stowe, Vermont. The skiers plan to leave Friday evening, December 22, and will return the following Tuesday. The Outing Club members get the special rate of $3.00 a day at the Ranch Camp at Stowe, where the skiers will stay. Those who are interested in skiing on a Technology Team are especially urged to attend. The sign-up list will go up at 9:00 A.M. on Tuesday, December 19.

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Dramashop Play To Be Presented On January 20

Tickets Now On Sale For “The Drunkard,” At The T.C.A. Office

The Dramashop’s play for this term, “The Drunkard,” will be staged on January 20 in the New England Mutual Hall. Tickets for it may be purchased from any Dramashop member, at the T.C.A., and at the Information Office for $1.00, including tax.

This performance will be the hundredth anniversary of the first performance of the play. The first presentation was given in the old Boston Museum in the season of 1844-1845, and was produced by the famed F. T. Barnum.

The plot of the play deals with a youth, Edward Middleton, played by Claude W. Brenner, 2-47, who starts on the trail of drink, and is egged-on by the villainous lawyer, Scribb, who is Robert W. Connor, 2-46. He finally succumbs to the “wretched vice,” and the climax of the play is reached in the scene where young Middleton experiences “delirium tremens,” and is about to commit suicide when he is saved by the philanthropist Arden Rence.

The Nebraska Boy, played by Homer D. Eckhardt, 2-47, is about to commit suicide when he is saved by the philanthropist Arden Rence.

Others Appointed To Staff

Elected to staff assistant was Paul Gerhardt, 2-47, while Carleton H. Boll, 2-47, was made a reporter in the news department. Appointed to the staff in the advertising department were Frank Cichaczewski, 2-47; Jack B. Lehmann, 2-47; Francis J. Williams, 2-47; and Robert F. O’Connor, 2-47.

Christmas Dance

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Gruber, 2-46; T. Nicolas Beriashe Jr., 2-45; Homer D. Eckhardt, 2-45; Sheridan C. F. Ing, 645; Gilbert Marr, 2-46; J. Spencer Standish, 6-45; Richard W. Baker, 2-47; Allan L. Bralove, 2-46; Samuel Gusman, 2-46; John F. Manre, 2-47; C. Homer Elliot, 6-45; and Richard M. Poorman, 6-45.

Tech Promotions

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newsroom competition was David R. Israel, 2-47. The advertising contest was won by Paul Gerhardt, 2-47, while the contest in the circulation department ended in a tie between Donald S. Cohen, 10-46, and Donald A. Mains, 2-47.

Basketball

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in and completely outclassed the B. U. five. Sandy-haired Gene Ryan sank four goals in this period to pace the Beavers’ barrage.

Twelve Tech players scored in the game, with Evans getting 9, Houcking 3, Ryan 5, and Butler 7.

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