

Hansell Permanent Pres. of 2-46

V. H. Ferguson Newly Chosen Head of WMC

Becomes First Co-ed To Hold Chairmanship Of A Class A Activity

Virginia H. Ferguson, 2-47, was recently elected chairman of the Walker Memorial Committee, replacing William H. Semple, 2-46, who is graduating next month. Virginia, in becoming W.M.C. chairman, also becomes the first co-ed head in the history of the Institute to head a Class A organization. She has been a member of the committee since she won her position in a sophomore competition three terms ago. She is now one of three Juniors on the Committee.

Sophomore Contest Next Term

The Committee plans to run a sophomore competition for members of the Class of 2-48 early next term. The date for the contest has been tentatively set as the third week of the term. A meeting of all those interested will be held at a time and place to be announced in a subsequent issue of *The Tech*.

Approximately five persons are to be chosen for sophomore positions on the W.M.C. Results of the contest, which will last two weeks, will determine the holders of the new positions. During the competition, candidates will perform both routine and special jobs in the office, and will write a theme on an idea of theirs for improving activities at Technology.

Tau Beta Pi Elects New Term Officers

Goodnow Voted President; Future Plans Outlined

Wesley Goodnow, 10-46, was elected president of Tau Beta Pi, the honorary engineering fraternity, at a meeting held Monday evening, February 4.

Other officers elected were: vice-president, Victor F. de Mello, 2-46; corresponding secretary, Richard B. Marsten, G; recording secretary, John E. Taft, 10-46; cataloguer, Myer Rosenthal, 10-46; and treasurer, Marvin G. Sparrow, 6-46.

Plans for speakers during next term were discussed at the meeting, and a generally more extensive program was outlined. Following its plans for enlarged activities, Tau Beta Pi held a trip to the Blue Hills over the weekend of January 26, at which time the members participated in a skating party and many other enjoyable sports.

Gridiron Holds Elections Elects Eight New Members

Gridiron, honorary publications society at the Institute, held a meeting in Litchfield Lounge on Tuesday, February 5, at 5:00 P.M. Although only fifty per cent of the members were present elections were held.

Students elected to the society are: From *The Tech*: Claude W. Brenner, 2-47 and Donald A. Mains, 2-47. From *Technique*: James Todd, 2-46. From *Tech Engineering News*: Henry L. Lee, 2-47, John W. Weil, 10-47, Maurice Rifkin, 2-47. From *Voo Doo*: Walter A. Lack, 6-47, Richard A. Cotton, 6-47.

Plans for a combined publications smoker were discussed but decisions were postponed until the next meeting.

EDITORIAL

AW, NUTS!

Every election at the Institute tells the same story—most Techmen have neither the class spirit nor the interest to exercise the franchise granted to them as members of the undergraduate student body. Time and again statistics show, as do those for this election, the small number of students who are conscientious enough to take two minutes out of their lunch period to mark a ballot and drop it in the box. Look at the figures yourselves—25% of 2-46 voted, 22% of 6-46 and 10-46, 33% of 10-47, and 60% of 2-48. That last figure is unusually high for participation as compared to others in elections the past few years, but it is not high enough. There is absolutely no reason at all why 95% or even 100% of a class should not exercise its right to vote, when electing officers.

Why is it that you don't vote? Don't you care who gets these positions, or is it that you feel that the right men weren't nominated? If that's the case why didn't you see to it that someone better was nominated?

The 2-46 elections are a disgrace to the class. Permanent officers were elected to carry on for the class as a whole after

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Institute Comm. OK's Elections

Executive Committee For Next Term Chosen

After going through a host of approvals so that the new activity heads were formally seated, the Institute Committee elected its Executive Committee for next term. Peter L. Richman, 6-46, was elected Vice-President, and presided over the latter half of the meeting in the absence of a Senior Class president due to the draw between David G. Black, 6-46, and Alexander E. Halberstadt, 6-46. J. David Cist, 10-47, was chosen as Secretary and Stuart G. Farnum, 6-46, Member-at-Large.

The class elections, held on February 6, were approved with the added motion that provided for reballotting by mail for Senior Class president (see Elections story). Individual approvals were passed on the appointments of Virginia H. Ferguson, 2-47, as chairman of the Walker Memorial Committee, Norman N. Holland, 2-47, as General Manager of Voo Doo, Peter L. Richman, 6-46, as Institute Committee Representative for Voo Doo, and Robert E. MacBride, 2-47, as Chairman of Elections Committee.

Because only one person ran for the positions of Institute Committee Representative and Secretary-Treasurer from the Classes of 6-46 and 10-46 in the election, a motion was introduced which states that "in the case that there is only one nomination by a class for Institute Committee Representative in an election, the class be allowed to seat only one Institute Committee Representative until the next regular class election." This motion was tabled until the first meeting of next term.

Activity Appointments

Elections of the Nautical Association, Debating Society, M. I. T. A. A., T. C. A., Veterans' Organization and Musical Clubs were approved. They are as follows:

Nautical Association: Commodore, Stephen B. King, 2-46; Vice-Commodore, Watt. W. Webb, 2-47; Secretary, Charles M. Hunt, Jr., 2-47; Treasurer, Philip M. Bridges, 2-48; Members-at-Large of the Executive Committee, David G. Black, Jr., 6-46, John High, 6-46, and Richard Lacy, 2-48.

Debating Society

Debating Society: General Manager, Marvin W. Sweeney, Jr., 2-47; Operations Manager, James T.

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Dormitories Elect New Hall Chairmen And Vice-Chairmen

Prof. Moreland To Talk At Banquet At Statler Next Monday Evening

Results of the elections for Hall Chairmen and Vice-Chairmen in the dormitories were announced early this week by David G. Black, Jr., 6-46, Chairman of the Dormitory Committee.

Black was elected Hall Chairman of Munroe with John W. Weil, 10-47, as Hall Vice-Chairman. Other Hall Chairmen elected include: Frank J. Heger, Jr., 2-47, (Hayden), Claude W. Brenner, 2-47, (Wood), Robert W. Warner, 2-47, (Walcott), Henry L. Lee, 6-47, (Bemis), and Jack L. Mohr, 2-47, (Goodale).

Further Positions

The corresponding Hall Vice-Chairmen are: James D. Graziadei, 10-47, (Hayden), Leonard P. Salter, 2-48, (Wood). (Walcott), Kenneth L. Fischer, 10-47, (Bemis), and John C. Hathaway, 2-48, (Goodale).

Representatives-at-large to the Dormitory Committee will be elected from the defeated candidates at the end of this week. These men, the new Hall Chairmen and Vice-Chairmen, and the officers of the Senior House, to be elected at the beginning of next term, will constitute the new Dormitory Committee.

Banquet Planned

The Committee is planning a Banquet next Monday evening, February 11 at the Hotel Statler. At that time the Secretary and the Treasurer of the Committee for the next two terms will be elected. Professor Edward L. Moreland, Dean of Engineering, is to be the featured speaker on that occasion.

Black, Halberstadt Tie; Institute Comm. Decides To Hold Election By Mail

Marvin Sparrow Chosen President Of T. C. A. Wed.

Ehrich, Mott, Rollins Are Other Officers; Cabinet Will Be Chosen Later

Marvin Sparrow, 6-46, was unanimously reelected President of the T. C. A. for the coming term, at an elections meeting held last Wednesday, February 6, at 5:00 P.M. in the T.C.A. office.

Other officers are as follows: Vice-President, Frederick F. Ehrich, 2-47; Secretary, Robert B. Mott, 2-48; and Treasurer, William A. Rollins, 2-47.

The Senior and Freshman Cabinets will not be organized until next term, when it is definitely known which will be returning. Division heads will be chosen at a meeting early next term.

Freshman Camp

The twenty-fourth Freshman Camp is scheduled for Monday night, March 4, with dinner and the major portion of festivities in Pritchett Hall. It is open only to freshmen and transfer students coming to Technology for the first time.

The Camp next term will be somewhat abbreviated in comparison to previous ones. Activities officers will give brief talks, but the welcome by administration officials, which is usually made at the Camp, will be postponed to a later date. Orville B. (Obie) Denison, '11, will entertain, as he has done at all Freshman Camps except one. Louis B. Baldwin, will preside.

Boys' Work Dinner

Last Wednesday evening, February 6, the Boys' Work Division held their annual dinner at the Smith House. The featured speaker of the evening was Dr. Marian K. Radke, of the Research Center for Group Dynamics at the Institute, who gave an address on the problems facing group leaders in contacts with various types of boys.

Dr. Radke pointed out that most groups are not homogeneous, and that cliques as well as individual personalities must be reckoned with in every group. She stated that the group leader must learn to discern not only surface conditions but underlying causes as well, giving as an example two diametrically opposite personalities, the shy and the rowdy, both of which may be victims of frustration.

The newly-formed Boys' Work Committee is undertaking a drive to enlarge the Division next month. Circulars will be distributed to entering students, and men from all classes are wanted.

Krasner Pres. of 2-48; Craig, Gunnarson, Ley, Pierce 2-46 Officers

Herbert J. Hansell and Paul R. Krasner were elected Presidents of their respective Classes of 2-46 and 2-48, while the presidential election for the combined Classes of 6-46 and 10-46 showed a tie between the two candidates, David G. Black, Jr. and Alexander E. Halberstadt.

It was decided at the Institute Committee meeting last night that an election to break the tie in the Classes of 6-46 and 10-46 will be conducted by mail. All members of these classes will receive post cards and must return their votes by Wednesday, February 13.

Any member of the Classes in question who doesn't receive a ballot by mail may obtain one at the Walker Memorial Committee office during the early part of next week between 4:00 P.M. and 6:00 P.M.

Results of elections showed the permanent officers of the Class of 2-46 to be: Herbert J. Hansell, President; James S. Craig, Secretary-Treasurer; John A. Gunnarson, George A. Ley, and William H. Pierce, Class Day Marshals.

The Junior Prom Committee of the Class of 10-47 is Dimitri D. Allegretti, Lewis B. Baldwin, Jr., Benjamin J. Brettler, Donald R. Eaton, and Gilbert S. Parker. 33% of this class voted.

The other officers of the Class of 2-48 are Garland S. Sydnor, Vice-President; W. John Levedahl, Secretary-Treasurer; and Jeremy B. Lewi and Robert B. Truitt, Institute Committee Representatives.

The Classes of 6-46 and 10-46 elected Gabriel M. Ciccone Secretary-Treasurer, and David R. Herwitz Institute Committee Representative. Both were running unopposed.

The elections proved very quiet on the whole, with only the Class of 2-48 showing an appreciable interest in the proceedings. Sixty per cent of this class cast ballots as compared to 33% of the Class of 10-47, 25% of the graduating Class of 2-46, and only 22% of the Classes of 6-46 and 10-46.

Davila Appointed Musical Clubs Head

Glee Club To Present Final Concert Tonight

Richard C. Davila, 2-48 has been appointed General Manager of the Combined Musical Clubs for the ensuing year. Others appointed to the Managing Board are Anthony J. D'Almeida, 10-47, Business Manager, and Caliste J. Alster, 2-48, as Treasurer.

The Glee Club will present its last concert of the Winter term this evening at Lasell Junior College. The clubs of the two schools will join in singing "Now Let Every Tongue," "Jesu Joy of Man's Desiring," and Handel's famous "Hallelujah" from the "Messiah." The Technology Club, under the direction of Mr. Henry Jackson Warren, will sing a varied program, in which are included the Negro spiritual "Keep In The Middle of The Road," "Vere Languores Nostros," and Oscar Strauss' "Here Comes The Band."

At the conclusion of the program

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ELECTION RESULTS

CLASS OF 2-46	
President:	Herbert J. Hansell
Secretary-Treasurer:	James S. Craig
Class Day Marshals:	John A. Gunnarson William H. Pierce
	George A. Ley
CLASSES OF 6-46 AND 10-46	
President (tie):	David G. Black, Jr.
Secretary-Treasurer:	Gabriel M. Ciccone
Institute Committee:	David R. Herwitz
	Alexander E. Halberstadt
CLASS OF 10-47	
Junior Prom Committee:	Dimitri D. Allegretti
	Lewis B. Baldwin, Jr.
	Benjamin J. Brettler
	Donald R. Eaton
	Gilbert S. Parker
CLASS OF 2-48	
President:	Paul R. Krasner
Vice-President:	Garland S. Sydnor
Secretary-Treasurer:	W. John Levedahl
Institute Committee:	Jeremy B. Lewi
	Robert B. Truitt

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it leaves the Institute, and represent it as alumni, yet no more than a quarter of the class considered the issue to be of enough import to give it their attention. You have stripped these positions of the honor that they should carry with them, and have reduced your election to a farce. It is an insult to the candidates and to you as a class that you neglected your duty. The same may be said for all the other voting classes. It would be redundant to go on further.

The classes of 6-46 and 10-46, however, will not escape special mention. These men, the seniors whom underclassmen are supposed to respect, and who were to choose the head of the student governing body, do not know enough of the workings of the Institute electoral system, even now, to successfully select their president. For over a tenth of the very few votes cast the ballots had to be discarded because of incorrect marking. And this from Seniors. This could have been avoided if those men had given the election enough thought to read the exceedingly simple instructions printed in English at the top of the ballot, or, and we repeat, if more men had voted.

An editorial like this appears in these columns around every election time. It is either written the week before the balloting, exhorting men to vote, or it is written, as this one, decrying the shameful turnout. It's an old story. We refuse to write a similar one until the next election. We just give up in disgust.

NEW ERA

A new era has engulfed Technology. For the first time in the history of organized activities a co-ed has become the head of a Class A activity. The election of Virginia H. Ferguson, 2-47, to the chairmanship of the Walker Memorial Committee has set a precedent that may inspire her fellow co-eds to follow suit and that may start the trend to greater participation of women students in activities.

Admittedly, the female population of the student body is unusually small, but the fact that they are in the minority should not and does not prevent them from taking a wholehearted part in activities. Such organizations as Dramashop have always held an allure for many of the dramatic aspirants in the Cheney Room, and they have taken advantage of its offerings. Co-eds have also joined the literary, art and business staffs of the various campus publications, and the musical clubs have not been without their share of a little glamour of late. These girls, however, are wont to keep in the background, plugging away at the menial tasks usually left to beginners in the organization, instead of trying to give their male co-workers some good stiff competition.

So come on, girls, the days of the wilting flower and the clinging vine went out with the long skirt. Miss Ferguson's initiative which won her her present position is an example to you of what really can be done, and she should be commended highly for her accomplishments. The Fall Frolic that you sponsored last November is a step in the right direction, and your newly organized Glee Club is another, but let's have more of it. Co-eds are as important to the undergraduate activities as are the male students, so banish your timidity or whatever it is that's holding you back, and come on out to help run your activities.

AWAY FROM THE GRIND

The Pioneer, news organ for Cooper Union, reports that Art School students have been barred the use of the sixth floor daily from 5:00 P.M. to 6:00 P.M. Elsewhere in the same publication we came across this article: "Will someone ask Don Burgess what all those bottles, jars and cans are doing in his locker? Wouldn't it be easier to collect the deposit now and keep the money? Or else we will send up June Goldstein to pick up one of them. The poor gal was last seen under a table in Miss Schultz's design class mourning the loss of her "one and only can." TIN can that is."

Have you heard about the Canadian at the Illinois Institute of Technology who looked all through the Institute libraries for a book entitled "The Art of Finding The Perfect Pick-Up In Ten Easy Lessons?" It is reported that he finally found it in the Tech Bookstore. I wonder if it did him any good?

No wonder there's a housing shortage, with guys like the architect who thought a buttress was a female goat.

Technology News

Who says that Engineers do not appreciate the finer arts. The students at Carnegie Institute of Technology have gone so far as to present one of Shakespeare's plays.

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Letters to the Editor

Editor
 The Tech
 Walker Memorial
 Sir:

The anonymous letter in your issue of January 25 contained many general statements and exclamation points, but few facts and little inference drawn from fact—two qualities that Technology trains its men to appreciate.

The Museum Committee of the Institute obtains and sets up the transient exhibits in the two Lobbies. No exhibit that man could devise is proof against criticism, but let us grant that the Museum Committee is sincere and does not intentionally offer any exhibit "whose presence is a mere insult." But surely, the students of M.I.T. should be capable to judge for themselves the objectivity and reliability of the exhibits set up for their inspection.

I hardly think that the Indian exhibit is quite as rabid as your anonymous writer would have you think. It tries very hard to be neutral. Indeed, until we saw the panel on the Crown, most of us assumed that the exhibit was one of the Government of India.

The Rt. Hon. Winston Churchill said in September, 1942, that the declaration made by His Majesty's Government, "which formed the basis of the mission of the Lord Privy Seal, Sir Stafford Cripps, must be taken as representing the settled policy of the British Crown and Parliament." The Cripps proposals, as anyone familiar with them knows, are a codification of the system under which the other four Dominions of the British Empire, Canada, South Africa, Australia and New Zealand, became independent.

"Those of us who have been to Britain's colonial empire know the C. I. D., and its methods of dealing with those who dare to demand freedom."

—your anonymous correspondent.

The British Consulate General at Boston informed me that the C. I. D.—the Criminal Investigation Department, or as it is more commonly known, Scotland Yard—is responsible only for the execution of the criminal laws of the United Kingdom and Scotland. The C. I. D. has authority in other parts of the Commonwealth and Empire only over offenders against those laws, and with the consent of the local authorities.

Only in the United States, does
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In The Spotlight

"Join the Navy and see the world" is nothing new to our subject this week. Noel N. Coe, 2-46, General Manager of Volume LXV of The Tech, has traveled twice around the world, once each way, before he had ever heard of the V-12.

He was born in China where he lived for two or three years, and then came to this country by way of England. He relates that his parents never allowed him to get really dirty in China for fear of disease, so the first thing he did upon his arrival in England was to play in a coal pile, just for the experience of being filthy.

Noel remained in England for four years to attend Felstead Grammar School in Essex, after which he returned to this country. All this travelling had quite an effect on his speech. He claims that he started out with a good wholesome American accent, but after four years in England he acquired an "unintelligible British accent." Upon his return to the U. S., his family took up residence in Chattanooga, so little Noel soon began talking a good Tennessee drawl with a London accent. Now after three years at Tech, the Bostonian influence is beginning to tell on him also.

It Runs in the Fraternity

Noel went to prep school in Chattanooga, and did 'absolutely nothing' in the way of activities. He entered Tech with the Class of 2-46, and was persuaded by Robert H. Symonette, 6-45, to join Chi Phi fra-

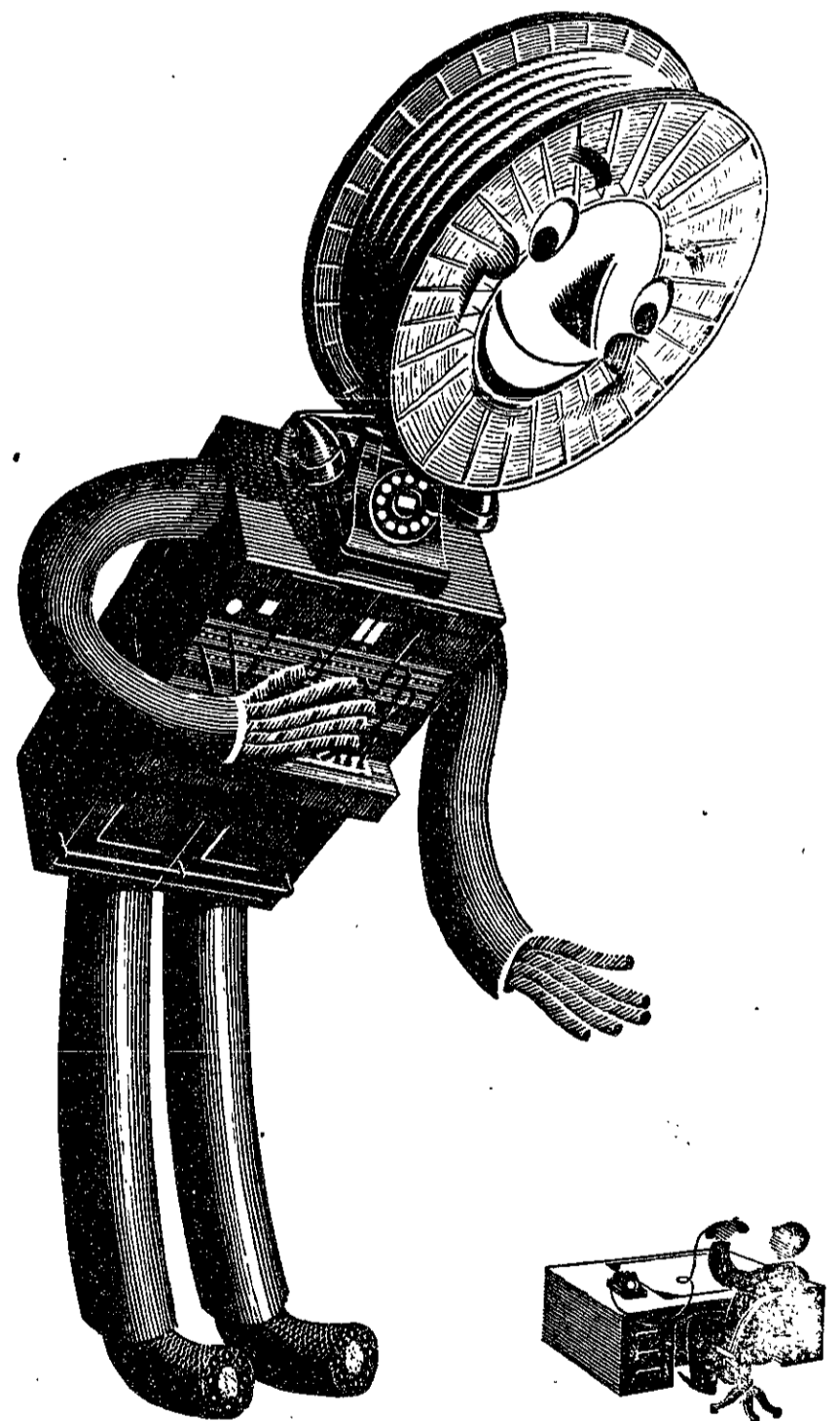


NOEL COE

ternity. "At that time," says Noel, "the house was pretty good." Symonette, another former General Manager of this august publication, took Noel under his wing and made things a little easier for him as a cub reporter on the paper. After Symonette flunked out, Noel "had to make my own way to the General Managership." Well, needless to say he made it, previously serving part of Volume LXV as Managing Editor.

As a freshman he was lazy, but did go out for sailing, going around in circles just for his own amusement. Somehow or other, however, he became a coxswain in the Nau-

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"You rang for me?"

"I have been working for you for years.

"That telephone in your hand, I made. The long thin wires, the stout cables that carry your voice at the speed of light . . . I provided them, too.

"I've been busy . . . since 1882 . . . manufacturing telephones, switchboards, cable and other Bell System apparatus and equipment. I purchase supplies of all kinds for the Bell Telephone companies . . . distribute all this material and equipment to them throughout the nation. I install central office switchboards.

"Our nation's telephone service is the finest and most economical in all the world. I help make it possible.

"Remember my name . . . It's Western Electric."

Western Electric
 SOURCE OF SUPPLY FOR THE BELL SYSTEM

Tech Will Run In B.A.A. Meet This Sat. Night

Freshman Mile Relay Team Entered For First Time In 5 Years

Saturday night the track team will send a few members of the squad to represent them in the B. A. A. Indoor Track Meet. Tech will have a representative in the mile relay, the 50-yd. dash, the high hurdles, and the 1000-yard dash. There will also be, for the first time in five years, a freshman one mile relay team running for Tech in the Boston Garden. Harvard and Cornell will be running against the varsity teams and Rhode Island will be keeping the Freshmen company along the track.

Relay Team in New York

Last Saturday, the one mile varsity relay team came in fourth at Madison Square Garden. Notre Dame took first without any trouble, and the race was really between Dartmouth, Holy Cross and Tech. The last few yards of the race saw Tech's runners drop a little behind Holy Cross and Dartmouth; therefore coming in the last of the four. The time of the Notre Dame team was 329.3.

Interclass News

Monday and Thursday of this week, the annual Interclass Track Meet will be held at Briggs Field, and as usual the winners will have their name engraved on a cup, which is on display at the Field House. The meets on Monday are expected to be exceptionally interesting as well as those on Thursday. It is understood that the runners are lined up, for the most part, fairly even, thus promising close races.

New England Championships

Every year about this time, the New England Indoor Track Meets are held to decide upon the Collegiate Champions. This year they will be held at the Boston Y.M.C.A., on February 13. Tech has entered quite a few of the events and it is possible that they may walk off, or rather run off with a few of the titles. Oscar is entering a one mile team but the men who will run have not as yet been decided upon. Casey will run in the sprints, Serrie will trot along in the thousand, Childs and Kincannon will attempt the mile, Anderson will jump the high hurdles and Soderberg and Boul will throw the 35 pound weights.

Cagers Drop Game With Tufts, 61-45

Barnhart And Wellard Are Leading Scorers

In a hard fought basketball game, Tufts defeated Tech, 61-45, at the Walker gym last Wednesday night.

Tufts seized a 4-0 lead in the first quarter. This was short lived as Huechling and Waldron tallied baskets and Murphy dropped in a foul shot to give Tech a 5-4 lead. Barnhart tallied a foul shot for Tufts, but Murphy put Tech back in the lead by tapping in a rebound. Tufts put in seven points while Huechling scored on a free throw and Aitken tossed in a one-hander to make the score Tufts 12, Tech 10 at the end of the first quarter.

Tufts Increases Lead

In the second quarter Wellard and Aitken poured six points through the hoop to give Tech a 16-14 lead. After each team scored two foul shots, Ray Evans, member of last year's Tech varsity, put in a long set shot and a foul shot to put Tufts in the lead permanently. With Evans and Barnhart doing most of the scoring, Tufts built up a 31-23 lead at halftime.

In the third quarter the two teams battled on even terms. Wellard spearheaded the Tech attack in this quarter, scoring on several long shots. The Tech regulars tired in the fourth quarter, as Jones, Tufts reserve, tallied seven points in a row to give his team a 53-38 lead. Tech was further weakened as Huechling and Aitken went out on fouls. However, the two teams stayed even in scoring until the end of the game.

Wellard Leads Tech Scoring

High scorer of the game was Barnhart of Tufts with 18 points. Evans with several long set shots tallied 12 points. Wellard was high scorer for Tech with five baskets and five free throws for 15 points.

Last Saturday Tech avenged an earlier defeat at the hands of Worcester Tech, winning 51-43 for their fourth victory of the season. Wellard was high scorer of the game with 18 points. Huechling and Murphy also hit double figures for Tech with 14 and 11 points, respectively.

The summaries:

TUFTS			M.I.T.		
Player	g	pt	Player	g	pt
McCurdy,rt	2	1 5	Willard,lg	5	5 15
Talmag,rt	2	1 5	Meduski,lg	0	0 0
C'dreanon,rt	0	0 0	Huechling,rg	2	2 6
Bu'backer,lf	4	1 9	H'nkaleton,rg	1	0 2
Wals,lf	1	2 4	Waldron,c	3	1 7
Jones,lf	3	1 15	Ryan,c	2	1 5
Barnhart,c	7	4 15	Aitken,lf	2	1 5
Cooney,rg	0	1 1	Craig,lf	0	2 2
Evans,lf	4	4 12	Ciccione,lf	0	2 2
Beers,lg	0	0 0	Murphy,rt	2	2 6
Totals	23	15 61	Totals	15	15 45

M.I.T.			WORCESTER TECH		
Player	g	pt	Player	g	pt
Murphy,lf	5	1 11	Laffey,lf	6	3 15
Aitken,rt	0	3 3	Carlson,rt	4	2 10
Waldron,c	2	1 5	Juergens,rt	1	0 2
Huechling,lg	5	4 14	Ulich,c	3	1 7
Wellard,rf	7	4 15	Kuykend'l,lg	2	2 6
			Cromack,lg	0	0 0
			Bradlaw,rg	0	0 0
			Kellern'n,rg	1	1 3
Totals	19	13 51	Totals	17	9 43

Beaver Squash Team Plays Host to Intercollegiate Championships; Tournament Starts Today at 2 p.m.

Hayden and S.A.E. Play In Beaver Key Basketball Finals

Hayden Dorm. and S. A. E. remain unbeaten in the Beaver Key Basketball tournament. Hayden defeated Wood in the last minute of play 18-17 on a basket by Frank Coy. They then polished off the scrappy Bemis team 32-21. Wood has filed a formal protest of its contest and action is being considered.

S. A. E. defeated Bemis 36-16 and Wood 36-26 to enter the final game with a clean slate. Bemis and Wood play for the third place spot at 2:00 o'clock Saturday, February 9. Then will come the climax of the season with Hayden playing S.A.E. at 3:00 o'clock. The Hayden team has Buckingham and White at forwards, Molino and Goodstein or Coy at guards with the other at center. They sport a big rugged team that shoots accurately and has a tight defense.

S. A. E. has Browne and Gibson at forwards, Auerswald at center, and Dobony and Halberstadt at guards.

Spotlight

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tical Association. Noel escaped the Army by taking the V-12 exam, and miraculously found himself back at Tech. He put his uniform on at 2:45 P.M. on July 4, 1944 and is anxiously awaiting the day and hour when he can take it off. (Apparently he sleeps in it too.)

Gridiron President

At Tech, his further accomplishments include membership in Alpha Chi Sigma, the honorary chemical fraternity, and the Gridiron Society, the honorary publications society, in which he served a term as president. He also claims the dubious distinction of being the only remaining senior in Course XV-B.

For diversion, he enjoys playing cricket, when he can get someone to play it with, and likes to go ice skating. He also has a burning passion to learn how to play tennis after seeing Jinx Falkenburg perform on the courts. This is nothing unusual, however, as anyone would have a burning passion after seeing Jinx.

Of all the countries he's visited, Noel liked Japan best. He lived there for five years before the war, and liked everything about it. He tells us that their summer home was near the site of an American landing during the recent occupation operations.

Hits Head With Hammer

After leaving the service, Noel expects to take a long vacation and visit his parents in Manila. After that he hopes to get some job as far from the U. S. as possible, just so that he can have the thrill of coming home. He admits that it's almost as bad as the fellow who kept hitting himself over the head with a hammer because it felt so good when he stopped, but those are his plans for the future.

Noel is persistent in everything that he does. We have it on good authority that he finally got a date with the Editor-in-Chief of the Wellesley College News after trying for more than a year. She must be some woman.

Track Varsity Elects John Serrie Captain

On Monday night at the annual farewell dinner held by the track team in Pritchett Hall, John Serrie, 6-46, was elected captain of the varsity team. Serrie came to Tech as a transfer from Georgia Tech after enlisting in the V-12 program, and has been a star performer for Oscar for three years. In Serrie the track team has one of the finest collegiate middle distance runners in the country, and as captain he is expected to lead the varsity to a successful outdoor season this spring.

Tech Mermen Meet Conn. State Team

The M.I.T. inter-varsity meet held Saturday was won by the Curly A. C., led by the team captain, Buckman. The losing team, 86 Proof, was led by the team's star freestyler, Trutman. The 300-yard medley was taken by the 86 Proof team. The 400-yard freestyle was taken by the Curly A.C. The feature event of the meet was the dash between manager Harvey S. Salwen, 2-48, and Coach Smith, former N. E. collegiate champion. Salwen won with a final burst of speed in the last 10 yards.

The combined swimming team will meet Connecticut State College at the Alumni pool tomorrow at 2 P.M. Coach Smith feels certain that the team will make an excellent showing and will capture their final meet of the season.

Coach Smith announced that the New England Inter-Collegiate meet will be held at the Alumni Pool, March 16. Most of the New England teams will be represented. Many of the teams Tech has beaten during the regular season. This should prove to be a very hotly contested meet, as the winner will be the New England champion.

Bemis Bows, Hayden Wins In Dorm. Bowling League

Hayden officially clinched the bowling tournament by splitting 2-2 with Bemis Wednesday night. The team accumulated 17 points out of a possible 20. In winning the team shattered four records. The award winners of the victorious team are John A. Contegni, 2-47, Sheung S. Chin, 2-46, Harold Ottobrim, 10-47, Jay I. Whyte, 2-48, Edward I. Newdale, 10-47, with Marshall P. Tulin, 2-46, Frank J. Heger, Jr., 2-47, and Alan I. Sands, 2-46 as substitutes.

The other game played Wednesday night was won by Munroe 3-1 over Walcott. The victory insured Munroe the second place slot by capturing 13 out of 20 points.

In the games played last Monday, Hayden turned back Goodale 3-1 and Munroe trimmed Bemis 4-0.

In individual bowling Alexis Pastuhov, 2-47, broke into the 200 bracket by clipping 201. Jay Whyte maintained the highest average with 168.

The last game to be played will be Wood versus Goodale on Monday night.

Army, Yale, McGill, Others To Attend; Banquet On Feb. 8

The National Intercollegiate Squash Championships will get under way at the Alumni Pool courts today with 24 matches scheduled for the first round of play. Army, Princeton, Williams, Wesleyan, Harvard, Yale, McGill, and Dartmouth have all sent squads of three or four men to the tournament, with Navy being the only strong contender who will not be represented.

On the national scene, Princeton has recently downed both Yale and Army to take over the top spot in the country. Yale and Army are about even for second and third, with Tech a close fourth in the standings. These ratings do not affect this tourney, however, since the championships are based on individual play only.

Contrary to previous announcements, pairings will not be drawn until this afternoon. The seedings will also be developed at that time. Among the top candidates will be Ball of Army, who won his match against Tech, and Baker who has also been strong for the cadets all season. Shively of Yale has been beaten only in a close battle with Bill Pierce of M. I. T. Little is known about the Princeton men, but in beating Army and Yale, they certainly have some high-ranking candidates for the championship. McGill has one man entered who played on the national team of Canada, while Wesleyan's strength is unknown since they have not participated in any intercollegiate matches this year. The other teams have all experienced mediocre seasons, but can be counted upon to be at their best for this tournament.

The top-flight Tech duo of Sonnabend and Pierce will undoubtedly be seeded in the top brackets and they are expected to pace the tourney all the way through. Sonnabend has not lost a single game this year, and Pierce has dropped only one match, a close decision to Army's Ball. Dcrfinger and Topczner also represent the Beavers this afternoon.

The annual banquet of the Squash Association for all participants in the tournament will be held on February 8th. The highlight of the weekend will be the finals to determine the new intercollegiate singles champion on Sunday, February 10 at 11 A.M. For the large crowd of sports enthusiasts which is expected to witness the tournament, the schedule of play is printed below:

1st round—2 p.m.—Friday, 8 February
2nd round—4 p.m.—Friday, 8 February
3rd round—10:30 a.m.—Saturday, 9 Feb.
Semi-finals—3 p.m.—Saturday, 9 February
Finals—11 a.m.—Sunday, 10 February

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All blood obtained through this program will be distributed to hospitals where it is to be furnished to civilian patients free of charge. Anyone interested in donating blood is asked to see Miss Constance Houghton in the T. C. A. office. Transportation to the local center will be provided upon request.

The T. C. A. Room Registry announces that it has exhausted its list of accommodations in private homes, and would like for any students, particularly those graduating in February, to contact Miss Houghton if they know of vacant rooms. The need for rooms is urgent, it is pointed out, since about 900 new students are expected next term while only 350 are graduating.

The annual Boys' Work dinner was held last Wednesday, February 6, at the Smith House. David M. Denzer, 2-46, presided.

The T. C. A. office will be open as usual during vacation period, and will be open on Sunday, March 3 from 1:30 to 5:30 P.M. for the benefit of new students.

1946 Technique Now Being Sold

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Technique, year-book for the graduating classes of 10-45, 2-46 and 6-46, is now on sale in the Lobby of Building 10. Cost of the book is \$5.00 now, \$5.50 next term, and \$6.00 when the book comes out. Options are \$2.00.

The theme of this issue is "Technology of the Future." It has a special section devoted to the freshmen which should interest them, especially the Field Day pictures. Publication date has tentatively been set for May 1, 1946. The following men have been appointed to the Junior Board of Technique:

Organizations Editor: William C. Mitchell, 2-48.

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Co-Photographic Editors: Richard C. Singleton, 10-47, and Bernard H. Geyer, Jr., 10-47.

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Dr. Hansen To Give Talk Sun. On Full Employment

Dr. Alvin Hansen, Littauer professor of political economy at Harvard, will speak on the subject of full employment this Sunday, February 10, at 3:30 P.M., under the auspices of the Boston Metropolitan Council of Colleges. The program is to be held at the Old South Meeting House, Boston, and is open to the public. It is sponsored by Technology, Harvard, Radcliffe, Boston University, Emerson, Simmons and Wellesley.

Dr. Hansen, who holds degrees from Yankton College, the University of Wisconsin and Harvard University, was an adviser to the State Department on questions of economics and social security, a past president of the American Economic Association, and author of several books, including "The Problem of Unemployment Insurance and Relief in the United States."

Outing Club Plans Trip To Vermont

IOCA Will Hold Dance On Saturday, Feb. 16

A vacation trip, sponsored by the Outing Club, will be held at Stowe, Vermont during the week beginning February 22. The ski enthusiasts will stay at Ranch Camp and there will be skiing on Mount Mansfield. The members will be met at the station by a dog sled which will carry their baggage while they ski into camp. The trip will last for the entire vacation, but anyone who so desires may leave sooner.

Sunday, February 10, weather permitting, the club will go either skating or skiing. Anyone who wishes to go should report to the Outing Club office in Walker Memorial at 10:30 on Sunday morning.

On Saturday, February 16 another I.O.C.A. Square Dance will be held at Harvard Memorial Hall. The dance will begin at 8:00 P.M. with Al Smith as the caller.

Army surplus equipment, consisting of parkas, ski pants, climbing ski boots, skis, poles and several other articles, will be on sale at the end of next week. Those interested are asked to visit the Outing Club office.

Nautical Assoc. Presents Cups At Banquet

Results Of Season's Victories Announced; New Officers Elected

Climaxing the most successful season ever attained by any college in inter-collegiate racing, the Nautical Association held its annual banquet Tuesday evening, February 5, in Pritchett Hall, at which time a summary of the season's record was presented, cups awarded, and results of the recent elections for officers announced. Among those attending the banquet were President Karl T. Compton, and Professors George Owen, Stephen G. Simpson, and Delbar P. Kelly.

The summary of the past season's races showed, when the last boat sailed by, that M. I. T. had achieved first place in every major regatta this summer and fall except one, and slashed a huge proportion of all existing records.

Election Results

Although the Nautical Association recently held elections for officers, a new vote had to be taken due to the fact that the present commodore, Daniel W. Greenbaum, 2-47, is to be inducted into the armed forces. The results of the new elections as announced at the banquet are: commodore, Stephen B. King, 2-47; vice-commodore, Watt. W. Webb, 2-47; secretary, Charles M. Hunt, 10-46; and treasurer, Philip M. Bridges, 2-48. Voted members-at-large of the executive committee, were: Richard Lacy, 2-48; John R. High, 6-46; and David G. Black, 2-46.

Awards to Sailing Team

Awards were made to the following members of the sailing team: Charles K. Bloomer, 2-46, Leigh Brite, 2-46, Alfred A. LaFountain, 2-47, Charles Hunt, John Marvin, 2-48, Morton S. Bromfield, 2-46, Raymond M. Brown, 2-48, Philip M. Bridges, 2-48, Jules S. Levin, 10-47, John High, 6-46, Robert Heckrotte, 2-47, Charleton H. Boll, 2-47, Watt. W. Webb, 2-47, Daniel Greenbaum, 2-47, and David G. Black, 2-46.

Following the presentation of awards, the members shook out their sea legs to enjoy some dancing. And an excellent magic show was presented by Professor Simpson.

Glee Club

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the Club will sing "The Navy Hymn" as a tribute to the many V-12 men in the organization who kept it going during the war period.

In a ceremony after the concert the Technology group will present Mr. George Sawyer Dunham, wartime director of the club, and present director of the Lasell society, with a brief case as a token of their appreciation for his efforts.

Letters

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Veterans' Organization

Veterans' Organization: President, Paul R. Krasner, 2-48; Vice-President, James Leahy, 2-48; Secretary, Alan Michéals; Treasurer, Philip Pragar; Standing Committee, Marvin Byer, Charles Betterfield, Herbert Kurinsky, William Maley, and William Powell.

Musical Clubs

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