The Tech and Voo Doo Van Combine To Murder Baseball Tomorrow

In the final and deciding game in the series, "The Tech Trojans" will meet the undefeated "Voo Doo Snellums," 14-0. Anyone who thinks Tech's luck has taken another, smaller, lesser loser at home in the Massachusetts Institute of Technology field will be washed out. The scores were 13-1 on May 15, 14-1 on May 16, and two happy players could remember. Sports writers believe that the Trojans' fourth attack this month, for Voo Doo's seventh, will end the tieing St. John's has had this season. Voo Doo's last game was on May 15. The Trojans have their share of extras also. Bands—"Ode of Triumph" and even "Tokum Young" will double down the Snellums' hall batters.

In the interests of fair play (15), Tech's managers, B. A. M. (N. B. Chapman, N. B. For Nearly Blind), Gen. Manager of The Tech, and W. C. (Who Caries) Schneider, (Continued on Page 2)

Dr. Mead Explains Method By Which Anthropologists Predict Human Actions

Dr. Margaret Mead, cultural anthropologist and associate curator of ethnology at the American Museum of Natural History, spoke last Monday night before an expert consultant to the Department of Anthropology. Dr. Mead is a fellow of the American Philosophical Society. She subsequently went to the Institute's Radiation Laboratory, only shortly after the beginning of the year. When released from the Radiation Laboratory, Dr. Mead joined the faculty of the Institute. She became professor of Physical Anthropology at the University of Chicago in 1947. In 1949 she returned to her position as curator of physical anthropology at the American Museum of Natural History.

The question that has been causing the most trouble is the fact that some major polls were held early in the spring and the results were not confirmed until early in the July 4th holiday. This has caused some problems for the financial success of the prom, which, as stated, is not in any way contingent on the members of the committee.

The Tech Singers will present a joint concert with the Student Union for the annual Senior Prom on May 16th. This event will close the season for the singers, who will be known as the M.I.T. Junior Glee Club.

The appointment of Professor Albert G. Hill as director and Pro-

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The Social Coordination Meet-
ACADEMIC FREEDOM AND COMMUNISM

The statement was made by Dr. Killian of Institute policy is reprinted from the May, 1949 issue of "The Technology Review."

Recent reports in the public press call for a statement of the Institute's attitude toward Communism and toward freedom of inquiry in the schools.

The Institute is unequivocally opposed to Communism: it is also sternly opposed to the Communist method of dictating to scholars the opinions they must have and the doctrines they must teach. M.I.T. seeks first a Faculty and staff of thoroughly committed, capable, and of high integrity. Assuming their competence and integrity, it believes that its Faculty, as long as its members abide by the law and maintain the dignity of their profession, must be free to inquire, to challenge, and to doubt in their search for what is true and good. They must be free to examine controversial matters, to make competent judgments, and to express their own, to criticize and be criticized. Only through such unqualified freedom of thought and investigation can an educational institution, especially one dealing with science, perform its function of seeking truth.

The Institute also wishes to make clear that it is not making for its staff or advocating for the violent overthrow of the American Government or other criminal acts, or if the evidence of such acts were incontrovertible, immediate action will be taken which would provoke the Institute, and, at the same time, preserve his rights. If this staff member should be convicted of such charge, he would be discharged.

The Institute also wishes to make clear that it believes that the teacher, as a teacher, must be free of doctrinaire control originating outside of his own mind. He must be free to be critical and independent, and above all, to be able to work in the clear daylight without hidden allegiances or obligations which require him to distort his research or teaching in accord with dictates from without. If a teacher were found to be subject to improper outside control in his teaching, the Institute would regard him as incompetent.

The Institute believes that one of the greatest dangers of the present cold war and the present fear of Communism is the danger that they will cause America to relinquish or distort or weaken basic civil rights. This is a danger to the national life of the United States as a whole, and of the world as the nation or a part of it, including the international peace of the Communist.

No American college or university has a more impressive record than M.I.T. of devotion to our national welfare or of whole-hearted support of the ideals of American democracy. It has been the training ground for thousands of Alumni who under the Act of 1879, 335, 1880, have been imbued with their democratic heritage and with their responsibility, and commitment to the public welfare, and the Institute is busy formulating a question which is to be sent to "The Tech".
Netmen Top BU, 6-3, Compete In NE Tourney This Weekend

In their last match before the all-important N.I.L.L.T.A. championships, the varsity raquetmen took the measure of B.U. by the score of 25-19. The Engineers took the measure of B.U. by the score of 6-3.

The double pairs and singles of Conley and Gar McMillin, and Fuller and Morrison accounted for two points in the best-ball competition. The frosh golfers absorbed their fourth straight loss, losing to Tufts 6-3.

If safety records were news...

If safety were spectacular, it would be front-page news that Bill Jones and other telephone men drive 60,000 vehicles more than a million miles a day—with one of the nation's lowest accident rates.

Today, for example, Bill will drive a long miles. He'll guide his familiar green telephone truck through the heavy traffic of shopping centers. He'll go along quiet streets where children play, but he'll travel at the speed of light. The meet, which was originally scheduled for the Tech varsity will be pitted against Yale, Princeton, Cornell and Columbia. The J.V.s are entered in a rough heat in their trial race with opposition including Yale, Harvard and the Coast Guard. After the visitors had taken a 3-0 lead in the first period, Morton scored the Engineer's first goal in the second. Tech's other three tallies came in the final stanza, two by Bolts and one by Jurgis. The refereeing was very close, with many penalties called.

Heavy crews compete in EARC sprint regatta at Syracuse tomorrow.

Syracuse tomorrow, as they have done on the Charles in the last three weekends, and have seeded the Charles paragon. They have already guaranteed an all-division lineup.

Because seedings are the only ones in which Technology gains recognition. The Engineers figure to be the first seed beyond Harvard.

Season's Record

The Tech varsity oarsmen have beaten Columbia, Rutgers, and B.U. last week in their trials against Harvard, Penn, Navy, and Princeton in competition this far this year. The three other crews to be represented are Yale, Cornell, and Princeton. They have not moved against Tech as yet, but lack off comparative records. The Engineers figure to be next in line beyond Princeton as the Bears.

However, the fact that the course to be run Saturday is 2000 meters (about a mile and a quarter) whereas all previous competition this season has been over one and three-quarter-mile distances, indicates that past performances may mean very little. Tech's fast start of last week in which the Engineers lost their advantage only in the last quarter mile may be an indication that the Bears will be tough to beat this weekend.

Same Crew Will Start

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To force in one runner added three more runs to double by Mayo, a wild pitch, and a promptly hit the next two batters, D’Annunzio, followed by two errors the final tally.

Successive singles by 1fely and Johnson, accounted for and singles by Byrne, Warren Fenster, and Sykes, accounted for eight strike outs. Only one free ticket to first base was allowed, and the Royals could gather only three hits.

The Brightsides now have a season record of three victories and six defeats. They will try to improve this mark this afternoon at FT.

A third round in the double elimination playoffs is scheduled Thursday, May 20.

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Jock Sutherland, leading pitcher for Phi Delta Theta, tossed a 6-hitter. The Grad House B team scored in every inning but one, in which they scored seven in the seventh to cop the win over Alpha Tau Omega 27-12.

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