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The Tech announces a special Field Day issue containing full accounts of the games, to be on sale on Saturday morning. There will be no issue on the Monday following; the regular tickets will be accepted for the Field Day issue.

Technology students, as a body, have made good to the general public. In spite of disquieting memories of the unfortunate clash of four years ago and more or less incendiary articles in the Boston papers, the Republican parade last Friday was run through without a hitch in such a manner as to make it serve in future as a model for student celebrations. Good fellowship was the watchword of the day, and every delegation in the parade aided in preserving the good feeling. Particular credit is due to the marshals for their untiring efforts in maintaining order in the line and strict observance of the rules as to the disposal of uniforms and torches on disbanding. They had a reputation to redeem, and they redeemed it. Technology and lawlessness were never synonymous, but the two words had a strong connection in the minds of many people who did not understand the circumstances of the conflict with the police in the last campaign. Hereafter the students can stand on their record in appearance as well as in fact.

The following editorial in a recent issue of "The Dartmouth" may be of interest as showing the attitude of a purely academic college toward the limiting of student office-holding:

"The student council at M. I. T. recently surprised the men at that institution by placing before them an elaborate plan for the management of student activities. Every office in every department of activity was apportioned a certain number of points, and no individual is to be permitted to hold offices whose numerical values exceed ten points in all.

"The object of the plan is to secure wider distribution of offices at Tech. where on account of the severity of the curriculum a very large percentage of men show no desire to enter activities, and allow a few to hold control of nearly all offices and positions.

"How the plan will work out will much depend upon the administration by the student council committee. As far as the local conditions go the plan is not a bad one. It is probably a justifiable regulation of competition, and will no doubt stimulate interest in the activities. It is applicable particularly to Tech. but to the ordinary college, whose activities offer a field in which a man can test his general capacity without being compelled to concentrate or specialize, it would not be considered wholly advisable."

Esperanto is now being studied at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. A little more attention to plain English might not be bad.—North Adams, (Mass.) Herald.

## FIELD DAY RULES

No one will be admitted without a ticket or a badge; officials and marshals will be provided with badges, and competitors will receive tickets, through the managers of their respective teams.

The following rules must be observed by spectators, substitutes, officials, marshals, and others:—

During the football game only the players and officials directly connected with the game will be allowed upon the Field; substitutes and coaches will not be allowed to approach nearer the side lines than the edge of the track, and then only on the north side of the Field.

During the Relay Race, only referees and the officials connected with this particular race will be allowed on the Field. During the Tug-of-War trials, only the teams and officials in connection therewith, will be allowed on the Field.

At NO TIME will men be allowed between the Field and the spectators in the stands, except marshals who will be detailed to particularly enforce this rule.

FRANK H. BRIGGS, Chairman.

## NEW TECHNIQUE BOARD

D. C. McMurtrie, editor-in-chief of Technique 1910, announces as his board the following men:—

Business manager, C. E. Creecy; assistant manager, N. S. Seeley; assistant manager, E. Stuart; Faculty editor, P. D. Terry; Grind editor, C. C. Hield; History editor, Harold Lockett; Athletic editor, T. W. Saul; Society editor, G. M. Roads; Staticians, W. H. Duffield, Jr.; Treasurer, F. F. Bell.

C. C. Webb resigned from the position of business manager on account of his school work. C. E. Creecy, who has taken his place, was moved up from assistant business manager. N. S. Seeley and E. Stuart are new men. Stuart was a member of last year's track team. F. B. Avery resigned as History Editor and Harold Lockett was moved up to his place from Society Editor. G. M. Roads, a new man, has taken Lockett's place. Lockett ran on his class relay team in 1907 and 1908. One of the positions of staticians is now open, due to the resignation of R. F. Goodwin.

The Technique has been assigned the back room on the third floor of the Union at its office. D. C. McMurtrie requests contributions from anyone.

## FRESHMAN RELAY

All but Last Two and Substitutes Picked by Coach

Last Saturday the freshman relay team had trials to decide who should run for 1912 on Field Day. Every man showed improvement and everything now points to a close race next Friday. The following ten men were picked by the coach, Frank Kanaly, for the team: V. W. Allen, Harvey S. Benson, manager, J. S. Grant, N. G. Herroshoff, A. H. Means, E. Mangan, M. A. Oettinger, Capt. W. C. Reed, J. I. Taylor, and L. B. Walker. The following six men will run today to decide who shall be the last two men on the team and who shall be the two substitutes:—A. J. Freidman, W. M. Ruby, F. J. Shepard, Jr., A. J. Thompson, and C. L. Tuller.

During the coming week the manager of the team, H. S. Benson, has arranged for several 1910 men to be out on the Field every day and give the freshmen experience in running relays against opponents.

Lieutenant George Roswell Norton 1906, has been stationed at Fort Revere, Hull. Lieutenant Norton is a graduate of Course II and has been employed at the Watertown Arsenal in the testing laboratory for the past year. Mr. Norton was second in a list of about fifty who were appointed at this time.

*Prof. F. Galvin*

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