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SENIORS GATHER FOR CLASS DAY

Speeches by President and
First Marshal, and
Prophecy

GIFT TO INSTITUTE

Spread on Lawn After Exercises
In Case of Rain will be
In Eng. A and B

This afternoon at 2:30 P. M., the class of 1909 will hold its Class Day exercises in Huntington Hall. Following the addresses of the class president, James H. Critchett, and the 1st marshal, Maurice R. Scharff, the Class Prophecy will be read by Raynor H. Allen.

The Presentation Oration, delivered by James I. Finnie will follow, during which he will bestow on the better known members of the class some little token of the general sentiment of the class towards them.

The closing speech is that of Carl W. Gram, the Presentation of the Class Gift. As has been the custom in former years, the class will present to the Institute some gift, the nature of which will not be made known until this time.

The Class Day officers are James H. Critchett, class president; Maurice R. Scharff, 1st marshal; Carl W. Gram, 2nd marshal; and Harry E. Whitaker, 3rd marshal.

The complete program is as follows:

- Music, Tech Orchestra.
- President's Address, James Hamilton Critchett.
- 1st Marshal's Address, Maurice Roos Scharff.
- Music, Tech Orchestra.
- Class Prophecy, Raynor Huntington Allen.
- Presentation Oration, James Irving Finnie.
- Music, Tech Orchestra.
- Class Statistics and History, Garnett Alfred Joslin.
- Presentation of Class Gift, Carl William Gram.

Following the exercises, the Class Spread will be held on the lawn between the Rogers and Walker buildings. In case of rain, the spread will be held in the drawing rooms in Engineering A and B.

1909 COMMENCEMENT

At 2:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon the successful candidates for degrees will receive their diplomas from the President in Huntington Hall. The men will meet in the morning for full instructions, and will gather again at 1:45 for the exercises.

Abstracts of representative theses will be read by representatives of each course as follows:

Course I, Civil Engineering—An Investigation of the Efficiency and Character of Failure for Different Methods of Anchoring Reinforced Bars in Concrete—B. Y. Burgher.

Course II, Mechanical Engineering—An Investigation of the Effect of Spray Nozzles for Cooling Water—A. E. Hartwell.

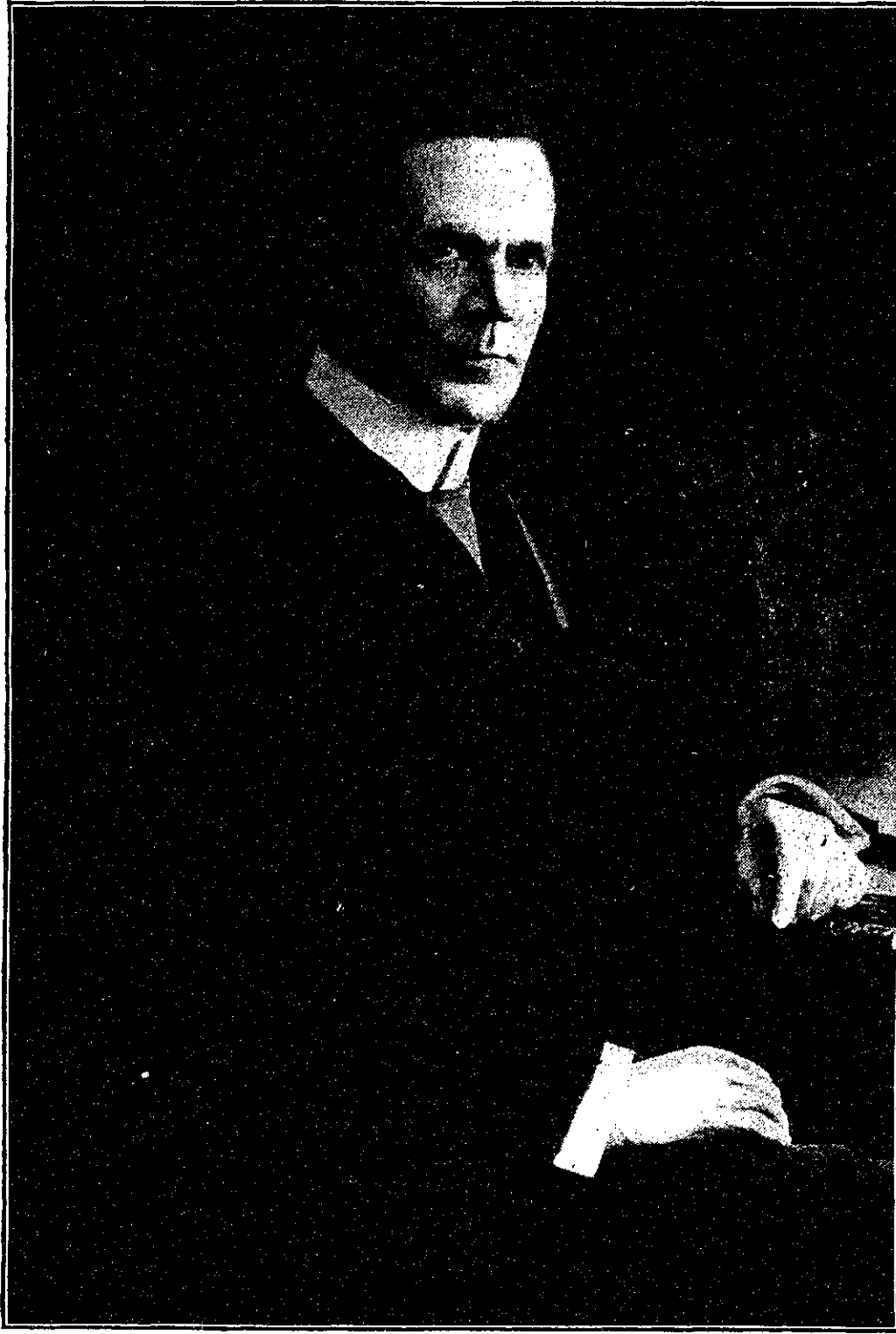
Course III, Mining Engineering—A Report on the Milan Mine—Harry Webb.

Course IV, Architecture—Design in the Gothic Style for a University Library—A. F. Menke.

Course V, Chemistry—An Investigation of the Defects in Single Enamel Coatings on Sheet Steel—J. A. Christie.

Course VI, Electrical Engineering—A Study of the Relative Advantages and Disadvantages of Alternating and Direct Current Systems for a Fortification Plant for the Artillery District of the Chesapeake, Fort Monroe, Virginia—Capt. C. C. Carter, U. S. A.

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PRESIDENT RICHARD C. MACLAURIN

Every event, RAIN or SHINE, except Automobile Trip.

Monday, June 7.

- 10:30 A. M.—Inauguration of Dr. Maclaurin. Symphony Hall.
- 3:30 P. M.—Automobile Excursion for Out-of-Town Alumni and Guests.
- 8:30-10:00 P. M.—Governor and Mrs. Draper receive Alumni and their Friends at the State House.
- 9:30 P. M.—Jubilee Smoker, Boston City Club

Tuesday, June 8.

- A. M.—Professors receive Former Pupils in their Departments.
- 12:00 M.—Go to Nahant by Steamboat; Shore Dinner by Classes; return at 5:00 P. M.
- 4:00-6:00 P. M.—Mrs. E. S. Webster Gives Reception to the Ladies.
- 7:45 P. M.—Tech Night at the Pops., Symphony Hall.
- 10:30 P. M.—March to Rogers Building and cheer.

Wednesday, June 9.

- 9:15 A. M.—Harbor Excursion to Nantasket; Luncheon; Class Stunts in Amphitheatre; return at 4:30 P. M.
- 7:00 P. M.—Grand Banquet in Symphony Hall.

OFFICIAL PROGRAM GRAND ALL TECHNOLOGY REUNION

Inauguration, Monday, June 7, at 10:30 A. M.

Automobile Trip, Monday, June 7, at 3:30 P. M.

Automobiles will rendezvous at Copley Square, and Tech men and guests living more than forty miles from Boston are invited to make a trip through the suburbs of the city. It will be necessary to have tickets, which can be secured at headquarters. The automobile which are at the disposal of the committee will be designated by a knot

of cardinal and gray ribbon. Members of the committee will be on hand to assign guests to automobiles. Return at 6 P. M.

Reception by Governor and Mrs. Draper, Monday, June 7, 8:30 to 10 P. M.

A reception by Governor and Mrs. Draper to alumni and friends of the Institute will take place at the State House on the evening of June 7, from 8:30 to 10 o'clock.

The reception will be a brilliant one (Continued on page 4.)

INAUGURATION OF PRES. MACLAURIN

Imposing Ceremony Held in
Symphony Hall Before
Vast Crowd

MANY NOTABLES SPEAK

In His Inaugural Address "Prexy"
Defines His Ideas and Creed
as an Educator

Another period of Technology advancement was started this morning by the inauguration of Richard Cockburn Maclaurin as President of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

The first address was by Mr. Frederick P. Fish for the Corporation, who welcomed and encouraged the President in his new obligations.

Governor Eben S. Draper then extended the welcome of the State to the new leader of this very important branch of education in the Commonwealth.

Dr. Pritchett spoke of the effectiveness of the Institute and the great opportunity of the Institute to do good just as the Carnegie Institute does for the whole country.

The program was as follows:

Tocatta and Fugue in D Minor for the Organ, J. S. Bach
Wallace Goodrich.

Invocation,

Right Reverend William Lawrence.

Introduction,

Frederick P. Fish,

Member of the Corporation.

Address,

His Excellency Eben S. Draper,
Governor of the Commonwealth.

Address,

Henry S. Pritchett,

President of the Carnegie Foundation
for the Advancement of Teaching.

Address,

James P. Monroe,

Former President of Alumni Association.

Address,

Right Honorable James Bryce,
Ambassador from Great Britain.

Address,

Arthur A. Noyes,

Chairman of the Faculty.

Ode,

"The Institute."

Inaugural Address,

Richard Cockburn Maclaurin.

Tocatta in F Major, for the Organ Bach
Wallace Goodrich.

President Maclaurin's inaugural address and the address of Dr. Noyes given today may be found in other columns of this issue, beginning on the next page.

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