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EXCELLENT WORK IN ARCHITECTURAL RECORD

Second Number Presents Again Alumni And Student Work

Appearing last Thursday, the Architectural Record again puts forward the work of the institute and its graduates in architecture. As a journal "devoted to the study of architecture and to the welfare of the department of architecture of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology" and "published quarterly by the architectural society," this number, with its usual excellent cuts, presents the work in very enjoyable form.

The leading article is Construction of Chemical Laboratories by Prof. Augustus H. Gill. This article, previously printed in "Science," and at that time reviewed in these columns, describes the general construction, floor, ceilings and the fittings required. The two prize designs for the Class of 1904 competition, are reproduced, and with them the first four mentions. A monumental window in the waiting room of a great railroad terminal was the task set, and was won by L. Gaudig for the regular students, and E. H. Kauckeweyer for the specials.

The Architectural Society column gives quite fully the smoke talks of November, December and January. The building materials notes continued from the previous number, deal with "Limes, Cements, Mortars and Concretes." These notes were proposed for the students to serve as a test in a short course in the class-room. The freezing of concrete and its effects are dealt with by quoting actual engineering practice. The alumni notes are supplemented by a list of the work of alumni illustrated in the magazines for the last half of 1909.

The cuts show the leading pieces in advanced, third and second years of design.

PREXY'S WIFE RECEIVES

Tech Students Spent Evening At Home Of Mrs. Maclaurin

Last Saturday evening about twenty-five Tech students spent an enjoyable evening as the guests of Mrs. Maclaurin at her residence, 187 Bay State Road.

The evening was begun with several Tech songs, Mr. Birchard officiating at the piano. Then followed several solos and selections rendered on the Guitar, Mandolin, Violin and Cello, by Mr. Scharff, Mr. Shaw, Mr. Northrop and Mr. Seelye. It was evident from the applause that the efforts of the musicians were heartily enjoyed. Perhaps the most thoroughly appreciated selection of the evening was the "Whistling Solo" admirably rendered by Miss Scharff.

Refreshments followed, and the evening was concluded by the boys gathering about the piano to sing such songs as "On Rogers Steps," "Dear Old M. I. T.," while Mr. Scharff accompanied.

It is sufficient to note that this evening was the first of a series of entertainments that Mrs. Maclaurin intends to give every second week to small groups of Freshmen. Mrs. Maclaurin is anxious to assist and help the students in any way possible, and is taking the above means of becoming acquainted.

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FRESHMEN BASEBALL PRACTICE BEGINS

Squad Has Stiff Practice At Field--Fifteen Men Out --Snappy Work

The freshmen baseball squad turned out at the Field Saturday for their first stiff practice. About fifteen men showed up and all these candidates were given work both with the stick and out in the field. At the close of the practice the squad was divided and a scrub game was played which ended in a 4-4 tie.

Manager R. S. Gans has succeeded in getting about thirty candidates out for the team and intends to divide the squad into two teams, having practically completed schedules for both his first and second teams. A call will be issued soon for men to try out for assistant manager. The man making this position will be the logical candidate for manager in the sophomore year.

The team will practice at the Field every Tuesday and Friday. Their schedule starts on the second of April. Manager Gans has not quite finished his schedules and does not wish to publish them partially, but he promises that they will be out by the middle of the week. He has arranged many of his games with first-class teams, for he thinks that the Freshmen will have a team this year that will be a match for the best in this vicinity.

Saturday, the practice was fast and hard. K. D. Hamilton, who was Medford's star pitcher last year, was in the box for some time and is showing up in good shape. F. E. Severance, playing first, was right with ball all the time. Severance played on the University of California nine last year in his freshman year, he being the only man in an entering class to make the varsity for five years. There is much doubt if a better man can be found to cover the first sack than Severance. J. H. Devine caught a fine game and did some good work with the stick.

K. D. Hamilton and E. W. Hartford are going to have a hard fight for first string place in the box. Hamilton is thought to be a shade the better of the two, but Hartford is very close to him. There will be some keen competition for the position behind the bat. R. M. Freeman, an old Hope St. High star, R. C. Thompson of Winchester High fame, J. H. Devine, who showed up prominently Saturday, and F. D. Murdock, are striving for this place. Of the candidates out for first, Severance seems to be the man for that position. H. S. Crocker, an old Thayer Academy player, will make a strong bid for second against B. S. Munch and F. M. Hamilton. There are a number of good men out for third, W. H. Mahoney and J. C. MacKinnon being a shade the better of the candidates. At shortstop both Mahoney or H. K. Franzheim are good. The candidates for the field are many, but the men are all equally good, so there will probably be quite a competition for those places.

The men who reported to Manager Gans Saturday were: J. H. Devine, K. D. Hamilton, G. B. Sampson, F. H. Hamilton, H. K. Franzheim, R. A. Randall, F. D. Murdock, L. F. Hamilton, F. E. Severance, W. A. Mahoney and J. C. MacKinnon.

Other men who will report soon are: G. A. Cahill, G. P. Capin, G. M. Denlinger, E. W. Hartford, N. D. McLeod, H. D. Peck, P. E. Svartout, E. Weller, W. H. Torrey, R. E. Leonard, A. F. Brewer, H. Elwell, R. M. Freeman, E. E. Murphy, A. H. Parthum, A. P. Smith and E. H. Smith.

TRACK SEASON HAS POOR BEGINNING

Only A Few Men Report--Field Is In Splendid Con- dition

The outdoor track season has started in a very disappointing manner. Coach Kanaly says that this year the season's start is the poorest that has been made in four years. Usually there is a slack in the track work in the interval, while outdoor practice in taking the place of the winter's indoor work, but it certainly should not be so noticeable as it has been. There have been only about seven or eight men out so far this last week.

The weather is fine for outdoor track work now, and the Field is in the best possible condition; there is not the slightest excuse for this lack of signs of life. The track is, on the whole, in the best of condition; the start for the hundred is a little soft, however; the jumping boxes have been well kept, and the hurdles have been thoroughly repaired and mended.

On May 7th, a dual meet is to be held with Wesleyan at Middletown and the New England Inter-collegiate are to be at Tech Field on May 20-21. Tech has an advantage over nearly all the other colleges entered in the Inter-collegiate in having opportunity to practice on a field which is opened up early in the spring and kept in fine condition throughout the season; besides this, Tech is very fortunate in being able to practice on the very field where the meet will be held.

HARE AND HOUNDS

Run At Needham Brings Out Only Twenty-Four Men

Saturday was an ideal day for cross-country running, but the large squad that was expected did not turn up; there were only twenty-four men out on the run. Probably the Show rehearsal and the class baseball practice took away quite a number of the men. As was the case last Saturday, the Freshmen had the largest representation, there being ten from that class running. The Sophomores had eight men out. It shows that the underclassmen are especially interested in the coming inter-class race, but there must be more men out on the runs to make up a good team for either class.

The trail was laid by J. D. MacKenzie 1911, J. O. Greenan 1911, and V. V. Ballard 1912, through woods and over fields that afforded excellent training. The course at Needham is as good as any that can be found in this vicinity. The men ran in one squad at an easy pace, as the trail was a little longer than last Saturday's. When it came to the finishing sprint the Freshmen were very much in evidence, finishing six men among the first ten. W. R. Bylund 1913 again took first place, followed closely by R. E. Whipple 1912. The Seniors and Sophomores each finished two men among the first ten.

Next Saturday the postponed run at Wakefield will be held. There has never been a hare and hound run at Wakefield, but Capt. Watkins has laid out a good course. The train leaves the North Station at 2.14.

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COSMOPOLITAN CLUB TO MEET MACLAURIN

First Reception To Be Held By Club In The New Club Rooms

A reception will be given to President Maclaurin by the Cosmopolitan Club tomorrow evening at 8.00 P. M. at the rooms of the Club, 480 Boylston St. The rooms are rapidly being furnished, and, it is hoped, will be in permanent arrangement tomorrow evening. The Club roll at present contains seventy names, including the following members: Doctor D. F. Comstock, Professor Dwight Porter, Professor William Hoogaard, Professor H. L. Seaver, Professor C. W. Doten, Professor John Bigelow, Jr., Professor G. A. Osborne, Professor Percival Lowell, Professor H. M. Goodwin, Professor A. A. Noyes, Professor J. O. Sumner, Professor Gaetano Lanza, Mr. David Carl, Mr. C. H. Colleston, Mr. S. Gunn, Mr. F. P. Fish, Mr. E. R. Hart, Mrs. T. C. DuPont, Mr. J. P. Munroe, P. K. Brown, D. P. Gaillard, R. F. Goodwin, A. A. Gould, J. C. Hunsaker, Gorton James, R. P. Lewis, John Lodge, A. B. Mason, A. C. Metz, G. L. Mylehrest, N. Ransohoff, J. H. Ruckmann, C. H. Sutherland, W. W. Warner, John Ahlers, R. A. Beckmann, J. M. Cadenas, S. Y. Chen, P. Chinchilla, E. O. Christensen, J. H. Cohen, F. J. DeVarona, Mr. F. R. Faulkner, L. Goicoechea, K. Goto, H. H. Hanson, Isaac Hausman, J. D. Mackenzie, B. H. Morash, R. J. Murphy, M. A. Navarro, G. W. Rapellia, J. Sada, L. M. Sandstein, S. M. Schmidt, P. Scton, H. T. Shen, R. P. Smith, R. J. Tomalbas, Y. T. Tsai, F. T. Yeh, E. M. Sness, R. P. Bigelow, Professor A. E. Burton, Mr. George Wigglesworth, F. T. Tong, E. Suzuki, Professor Despradelle, R. H. Ranger, H. G. Knox, M. T. Iisu, S. S. Keh.

CALENDAR.

Monday, March 21.

Wireless Soc. meeting, 11 Eng. B.
4.00--Cross country practice at Field.
4.00--Crew practice at Gym.
4.00--Show rehearsal.
4:15--Gym team meeting, elections.
5.00--Acro Club, Union.
6.30--Musical Clubs leave for Lynn.
Meet in front of Hotel Haymarket.

Tuesday, March 22.

4.00--Cross country practice at Field.
4.00--Crew practice.
4.00--Show rehearsal.
4.15--Civil Engineering Society, 6 Lowell. Prof. Swain on "Business Ethics."
4.30--1913 Baseball Practice, Field.
8.00--Cosmopolitan Club reception to Pres. Maclaurin, 480 Boylston St.
4.00--Crew practice.
4.00--Show rehearsal.
4:15--Institute Com. and Business Mgrs.
4.15--Gym team practice.

Thursday, Mar. 24.

4.00--Cross country practice at Field.
4.00--Crew practice.
4.00--Show rehearsal.
6.30--Penn Club dinner, Union.
Friday, March 25.
4.00--Crew practice.
4.15--Gym team practice.
4.30--1913 Baseball practice, Field.
8.00--Union entertainment.

Saturday, March 26.

2.14--Hare and Hounds at North Station for Wakefield.
2.30--Combined Show rehearsal.
3.00--Crew practice.