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WILSON CHOSEN GENERAL MANAGER OF 1911 SHOW

Other Positions To Be Filled By Woehling, Lenaerts And Schell

Irving White Wilson 1911, of Bloomington, Ill., has succeeded to the position of general manager of Tech Show 1911. His appointment was confirmed by the Institute Committee in their meeting yesterday.

In accordance with the Show motto, "the best man for the place," the Advisory Board recommended to General Manager Clapp of this year's production the appointment of Mr. Wilson as general manager. The appointment is indeed a popular one, for Wilson is one of the most popular members of the Junior class.

He is a member of Course XIV, and since entering the Institute has made a name for himself in undergraduate affairs. Last year he received the appointment of assistant business manager of the Show, and this year succeeded to the office of business manager.



I. W. WILSON 1911,
Gen. Man. Tech Show 1911.

His efficient work as business manager of this year's production led to his promotion to the position of honor on the Show. He is a member of the Electrical Engineering Society, Walker Club and Masque.

Other appointments are as follows: Advertising manager, Herbert Louis Woehling 1912, of East Orange, N. J.; business manager, John Henry Lenaerts 1912, of Waltham; stage manager, Erwin Haskell Schell 1912 of Kalamazoo, Mich.

All of the new managers are well known men, each having been connected with Tech Show for two years. Woehling was a member of the 1912 tug-of-war team for two years, a member of the Technique 1912 electoral committee, and secretary of the Wireless Club. Lenaerts received the appointment of assistant business manager last year, and has also been a member of the class tug-of-war team and an associate member of the Electrical Engineering Society. Schell is manager of the 1912 relay team this year, and a member of the Technique 1912 electoral committee, and Masque.

Washington, May 12.—President Taft yesterday named former President Roosevelt as special ambassador to represent the United States at the funeral of the late King Edward VII. Colonel Roosevelt has accepted.

INSTITUTE COMMITTEE TO DISTRIBUTE TECH SHOW PROFITS

Advisory Board Of Tech Show 1910 Submits Detailed Report To Committee

A new era in student government at the Institute was the result of yesterday's meeting of the Institute Committee, for at this meeting a report from the advisory board of Tech Show 1910 was read by President Goodwin, by which all of the show profits were handed over to the Institute Committee for distribution.

The advisory board of the show also submitted to the Institute committee for approval of appointments for the management of next year. These appointments were confirmed as follows: general manager, Irving White Wilson 1911; advertising manager, Herbert Louis Woehling 1912; business manager, John Henry Lenaerts 1912; stage manager, Erwin Haskell Schell 1912.

As an outgrowth of the recent agitation regarding the introduction of the honor system at Technology, action was taken by the committee regarding the presence of "cribbing" in the five week history exams. The action was in the form of a recommendation to the faculty suggesting the introduction of a proctor system in these history exams.

The office of managing editor of The Tech was rated at eight points, to take effect at the beginning of the next school year.

At the request of the show advisory board and in accordance with a motion to the effect passed by the committee yesterday, The Tech prints herewith the detailed report of the advisory board.

The report follows:

April 1, 1910.

To the Institute Committee of the Mass. Institute of Technology,

Dear Sirs:—

We send you herewith a report on the finances of the 1909 Tech Show. This report is made to you as the official representatives of the student body under whose auspices the Show was given. The delay in presenting this report is due solely to the condition in which the books were found; because of which it was necessary to practically open a new set of books, and to trace out each separate item of asset or liability.

We do not consider this report an audit of the Show finances, first, because proper vouchers are not at hand for all the expenditures; and second, because we do not approve of all the vouchers which were presented.

The Balance Sheet, and the Profit and Loss Statement, which agree with the books as reworked by the Committee, are as follows:—

BALANCE SHEET.

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Bills payable, Mass. Engraving Co.	\$264.57
Discount	10.82
Cash	59.45
Stage expense	3,775.97
General expense	1,282.14
Advertising expense	98.07
	\$5,491.02
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Tech Show, 1908	\$188.36
Interest	5.02
Hollis Street Show	3,648.42
Malden Show	799.72
Northampton Show	849.50
	\$5,491.02
Income:	
From Hollis St. Show	\$3,648.42
From Malden Show	799.72
Interest	5.02

From Northampton Show ...	849.50
Tech Show 1908	188.36
	\$5,491.02

Expense:	
Discount	\$ 10.82
Advertising expense	98.07
General expense	832.14
Stage expense	3,775.97
Miscellaneous	264.57
	\$4,981.57

Profit	\$509.45
Paid F. H. Briggs for benefit of Athletic Association	450.00

Balance on hand	\$59.45
10-19-09 Bank balance	\$66.80
Check outstanding, Marceau	7.35

Cash in Bank, subject to check ..	\$59.45
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The above statement shows on the date of closing the books, Oct. 20, 1909, a profit of \$509.45 for the Show. We understand, however, although there is no such entry in the books, that a bill of \$377.00 has since been presented for last year's costumes, and that there is approximately \$130.00 due the Show.

The actual profit would, therefore, seem to be \$262.45. Inasmuch as \$450 has been paid the Athletic Association, it will be seen that this year's Show starts off with a deficit of \$187.55.

The Committee calls special attention to the fact that at the Annual Dinner, held after last year's Show, the management stated that the profits would be at least \$1200.

The Committee feels called upon to make the following comments and recommendations:

Comments.

(1st) The Show should be expected to make a reasonable amount of money.

(2d) The Show in question is characterized by gross extravagance by the management, especially in their own personal expenses.

(3) The books were so kept and the check stubs were so changed or erased, that it was impossible to make an accurate audit. Also no means was provided for checking the income from tickets, which is the principal source of revenue.

(4th) The results would seem to show that the management was incompetent.

Recommendations.

(1st) That the Institute Committee representing the Undergraduate Body, under whose auspices the Show was held, petition the Alumni Council to appoint two men to act with the President of the Institute Committee. (This has already been done.)

(2d) That a Treasurer, other than the Business Manager, be appointed and required to give bond.

That all invoices and vouchers be approved before payment by the Department Manager, the General Manager, and the Alumni Council.

That all payments except petty cash be made by check—checks to be signed by the Business Manager and countersigned by the Treasurer.

(3d) That the clerical work be done by some competent person to be hired by the Show, preferably some clerk in the employ of the Institute.

(4th) That the retiring Management recommend to the Counselors at least two men for each position on the new Management. The Counselors in turn to

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CATHOLIC CLUB BANQUET TERMINATES YEAR'S WORK

Killion Elected President With Herlihy Vice-President And Walsh Secretary

Last night about thirty members of the M. I. T. Catholic Club enjoyed their annual banquet. The affair was considered by those present as one of the best ever held and all indications seem to point towards an increasing interest in the club and its work for the Catholic students at the Institute.

The meeting was opened by P. D. White 1911 who held the office of president during the year just passed. The election of officers for the coming year was the first thing taken up and resulted as follows:—President, T. S. Killion 1911; vice-president, John A. Herlihy 1911; secretary-treasurer, L. S. Walsh 1912; executive committee, J. F. Harrington 1911, A. T. Bennis 1912, and C. G. Fallon 1913.

After the supper Pres. Killion thanked the members for his election and then introduced the first speaker, Rev. J. J. McCarthy who formerly was spiritual director of the club. He spoke briefly on the beginnings of the club under his direction and the value of such an organization to the fellows.

The next speaker was Mr. C. D. Maginnis, the well-known Boston architect, and member of the City of Boston Art Commission. Mr. Maginnis spoke on the influence which a young man of good character could exercise on those with whom he came in contact and also upon the need of keeping up one's ambition after graduating from college.

Rev. Fr. C. A. Finn, chaplain of the Harvard College Catholic Club, told of the progress of his organization at that institution. He also referred to the speech made by Pres. Tuttle of the B. & M. railroad at the C. E. Society's meeting last week when Pres. Tuttle told of the life of Louis Pasteur as one of the great heroes of science. Dr. Finn described Pasteur as a man of the highest religious character as well as scientific ability.

Fr. J. F. Scanlon, the present spiritual director of the club, closed the speaking with a few remarks on religion as a science and outlined in brief what he hoped to accomplish for the Club during the coming year.

During the course of the exercises White was given a rousing cheer as a testimonial of the appreciation of the club for work he has done for it during his year's term as president.

Oberammergau, Bavaria—After a lapse of ten years the first performance of the Passion Play for 1910 occurred today. Until September there will be performances every Sunday and every holiday. As has been the case for some decades, Americans in great numbers will be seen at Oberammergau. The Passion Play always attracts throngs of people from this country. Not counting the proposed extra performances, the Passion Play will be given this year thirty-two times.

CALENDAR.

- Thursday, May 12.
8.00—Annual meeting of Mining Engineering Society, Union.
4.00—Lecture by Mr. Sydney W. Barnaby in 11B Naval Architect.
8.00—Annual Meeting of Mining Engineering Society, Union.
Friday, May 13.
6.30—Annual Dinner of Tech at American House.
Saturday, May 14.
7.30—Lecture by Dr. Kinneut in Union Biological Society.