AMERICAN ARCHITECTURALS HOLD ENJOYABLE SMOKER

Mr. E. I. Williams, '08, Gives Talk on Architecture in Europe.

Last night the Architectural Society held its second smoker of the year—one of the best meetings the society has had. Over eighty students were present to enjoy the talk of the speaker of the evening, Mr. E. I. Williams, '08.

Mr. Williams, who won the Traveling Scholarship of '08, spoke freely concerning the American Institute at Rome. He gave a brief resume of the different procedure of the students abroad, as compared with the methods pursued by those at Tech.

He showed how architecture was neither science nor art, but some- how concerning the science our discussion, but by a combination of the two plus reason.

The floor was open to most- criticism and advice for students in their study, and the questions given were a clear idea how French students study the elements and how they treat the subject. There was a connection with the French system he warmly praised. Our late Professor Deprez- dette. Mr. Williams then told of his experience in Professor Deprezdettes office. There was a great enough to be employed one summer. He ex- plained how his views and his knowledge and what valuable it was for a student to have the ability to defend a problem in a practical way. Mr. WB- lliams believes that the average Amer- ican does not gain much by going to Paris to study unless he is able to spend three or four years there. All the advantage that the student can get is in a few tricks in draughtsmanship. Mr. Williams could not stand for the spirit of study, much like the "Tech spirit."

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NO TECH ENTRY.

Team Will Not Meet Harvard in C. A. C. Games Next Week.

Coach Kanaly and Captain German have decided that since the examinations will have started by the time scheduled for the Coast Artillery Corps game, no relay team will be entered in this meet. This decision was made in order to give the members a regular chance to study for their exams, for, if they entered the race, it would be a waste of their time and would have been to their advantage. (Continued on Page 3.)

PREVIOUS "POL-ECON" EXAMINATIONS

Examinations Reprinted for Benefit of Juniors.

The members of the Junior class will, no doubt, and the past examination in Political Economy, which they belong to, of use in studying for the examination which comes Saturday, January 25, from 9 to 11 A.M. We are enabled to reprint these ques- tions through the courtesy of Professor Dwyer, who kindly went through his files and picked out the examina- tions which were given in '12, '11, '10, '09 and '08.

January, 1912.

1. Define or explain: (a) Utility. (b) the law of marginal util- ity. (c) Distinction between free and economic goods.

2. Is consumption of wealth transferable? Are the rich advantageous to labor as a whole?

3. What is the difference between a partnership and a corporation? Between the latter a more effective form of business organization? In what way?

4. How is price determined? Illustrate by a diagram if possible.

5. Are the profits of the employer deducted from wages?

6. Define a legal tender as applied to money.

7. What effect on exchange has the rate of a country's currency?

8. Is it an economic advantage to a country to limit the rate of interest?

9. Is a tax a burden upon industry?

10. What were the amortization or capitalization of taxes?

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Previous "Pol-Econ" Examinations

January Meeting of Chemical Society Proves Very Successful.

Last night the Chemical Society held its last meeting of the year, with Professor Lewis as the chief speaker. After the min- utes of the previous meeting had been read and accepted, Professor Lewis began a discussion of the def- nition of the professional man as a profession to him to talk on "The Professional Man in the Community." He showed how logical and reasonable the definition of a professional man to be employed one summer. He ex- plained how his views and his knowledge and what valuable it was for a student to have the ability to defend a problem in a practical way. Mr. Williams believes that the average Amer- ican does not gain much by going to Paris to study unless he is able to spend three or four years there. All the advantage that the student can get is in a few tricks in draughtsmanship. Mr. Williams could not stand for the spirit of study, much like the "Tech spirit."

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SOPHIE VS. BRIDGEWATER.

The Sophomore basketball team will play the Bridgewater Normal. The game is to be held at 4:15 this afternoon, in Room 11, Engineering B. A business mat- ter of considerable importance is to be considered, and a full attendance of the members is desired. Those who attend will be given an idea of the ex- amination and the defects of each. Can land owners shift a tax on rent?

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