**FRESHMAN PROM.**

The Freshman Class will hold their Hop at the Hotel Tullibies on Friday evening, April seventeenth. Definite arrangements have been made and the success of the affair depends on the way the class supports it. The committee in charge, consisting of Philip E. Halbur, Chairman, Dudley E. Bell and Paul C. Leonard, wish to announce that they will be personally responsible for a successful affair.

The committee will be in the Union today from 1 to 2, to receive the sign-ups, the total number being limited to seventy-five couples.

The price of the dance will be four dollars, one of which must be paid in advance, the total number being limited.

**TECH SHOW REHEARSALS**

All Departments Busy This Afternoon—Meet at 4:15.

The dancers for the Tech Show are rapidly learning the intricate steps of the dances which are to be an important part of this year’s production. With the small amount of practice which they have already had their work is extremely good. From now on they are to attend all rehearsals of the chorus unless they conflict with the dancing rehearsals, as it is necessary for them to become familiar with all the songs. This afternoon they are to go through a number of exercises under the direction of Harold O. Whitney.

The cast and chorus are to have a song rehearsal in Room B at the Union, at 4:15.

**T. C. A. TO HOLD ELECTION**

Nominations for the coming T. C. A. election are due today, and are to be left at the Cage in the Union, or at the office of the association in Eng. B. The nominations due are for the offices of president, vice-president, and treasurer for the ensuing year. The T. C. A. expects to receive a number of nominations as will result in a lively election. It is very probable that a capable list will be given on the day of the election, March 29th. All nominations must be signed by at least five members of the Association, and the men nominated must be members of the T. C. A.

**ELECT. BOARD MEETING**

There will be a meeting of the Sophomore Technical Electoral Committee today at 4:30 in 23 Rogers.

**ENGLISH REALIST ATTACKS BERGSSEN**

Professor Russell of Cambridge Says Philosophy Must Be Scientific.

An attack upon the intuitional method of Bergsens, coupled with the suggestion that philosophy is at last to follow axes of comparatively less speculation with a fruition of extended achievements, was the feature of the first lecture of the series which Professor Bertrand Russell opened before the Lowell Institute last night. Professor Russell holds the chair of philosophy in Trinity College, Cambridge, and is one of the leaders among the modern advocates of realism. The course which he has just opened is entitled "The Scientific Method in Philosophy." Last night's talk, on "Current Tendencises," brought out his conviction that the older schools of philosophy, even evolutionism, are crumbling before one which is more scientific in method, and which has attained an orthodoxy that makes its conditions of greater intrinsic value. Professor Russell opened his talk with a consideration of the three types of philosophy which have held sway among recent thinkers. He mentioned the idealism of Kant and Hegel, the evolutionism with which the names of Darwin and Spencer have become synonymous, and the logical mechanistic theory which advocates of fatalism have advanced. He showed what appealed to him as fatal weaknesses in all three, and launched into a more extended criticism of Bergsen's intuitional theory, which is so directly in opposition to his own views.

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**SOH. GOVERNING BOARD**

**Very Important Meeting To Be Held Today at One O’clock.**

An important meeting of the Sophomore Governing Board will be held today at one o’clock in 27 Rogers. An election will be held to fill the vacancies in the office of Vice-President. Also two men will be elected to the Technical Electoral Committee to take the places of E. W. Mann, re-signed, and Harvey Dewson. The Sophomore baseball schedule will be brought up for ratification, and an appropriation for the team will be considered.

**HOCKEY TEAM PICTURE**

Any men on the Hockey squad who desire a picture of the team may secure one by handing their names to Nelson MacRae.

**FIVE DOLLAR PRIZE FOR SHORT STORY**

Technology Monthly Issues Call for Fiction for Next Issue.

In order to maintain the high standard set by the fiction printed in the first issue of the Technology Monthly, the following statement is issued to a short-story contest was inserted last night by the editor. The forms for the second issue of the Technology Monthly close on the twenty-third of this month, next Monday; and at that time the contest closes. All men in the Institute are eligible to enter the contest and the prize will be awarded to the best story accepted for publication.

There is a great deal of latent ability in the Institute and it is hoped that this suit will bring forth some of this ability in the form of fiction.

There are no limitations as to subject matter except that the plot must be original and up to date.

Stories to be entered in this contest should be left at the Cage of the Lower Office of THE TECH, addressed to "Editor, Technology Monthly—Short story contest." The author’s name should be attached on separate sheet together with his address and class number.

**SOPHOMORE SIGN-UP**

Junior Prom Tickets in Union at Noon Today—Few Left.

The Sophomore sign-up for the balance of the tickets to the Junior Prom which starts at one o’clock today in the Union. There are only between thirty and forty tickets left for which the men of the 1916 class can sign up. A waiting list will be started, to make care of any which may be turned back, so that more men can be signed up now than to whom tickets will actually be issued later. But those to sign up first will have the sure chance of the tickets. Hereafter, there will be no place to sign for the Prom tickets except in the Union.

The preliminary orders will come out Monday. They can then be obtained from any member of the Prom Committee.

**SPRING TRACK MEETING**

COACH KANALY TALKS

Track Schedule Announced—Work Starts Today—Outlook Is Bright.

An enthusiastic crowd greeted Coach Kanaly yesterday afternoon at the track meeting. Fully seventy-five men responded to the call and showed considerable interest in the plans outlined by the coach. The spring schedule for the Track Team was announced and is as follows: The Spring Interclass Meet comes on Friday morning, April 17. This date was chosen as it comes in Junior week and will probably pull a large crowd, thus increasing the gate receipts which have been very small in past years. The 26th and 23rd of May the New England Intercollegiate meet will be run at the Rhode Island. The work following the I. C. A. A. A. A. meet is also at the Stadium.

In beginning his talk Frank Kanaly spoke at considerable length on the work so far this season. The results had been even more favorable than had been expected. The first work of our cross-country team and our Freshman team were encouraging to all. The relay teams had defeated our old rival, Dartmouth, and had given Harvard a hard run for their money. The chances of coming off the champions in the New England Intercollegiates seem to be very good.

Many of the teams have lost their stars, Dartmouth probably suffering the most. The University of Maine, Tech and Dartmouth will be the main contenders for the honors. Tech in his opinion should clinch a large number of places that have been lost vacant by the stars that graduated last year. The mile, two mile, high

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**WEATHER**

Fair and warmer.

**CALENDAR**

Monday, March 17, 1914.

4:00—Rehearsal of Show Ballet—Union.

5:15—Cost and Chorus Song Rehearsal—Union.

Wednesday, March 18, 1914.

7:45—B. E. Society Meeting—Union.

Thursday, March 19, 1914.

4:45—Show Pony Rehearsal—Room 1, Union.

1:30—T. C. A. Meeting—Union.

Friday, March 20, 1914.

5:00—H. C. A.—Room A and B, Union.

4:00—Show Pony—Room B, Union.