SMOKER FIRST EVENT
FOR THE ARCHITECTS
Tonight Opens Architectural Society Program With A Free Smoker.

The Architectural Society will hold an informal smoker this evening in the Studio, Room 50 Pierce. There will be no admission fee and anyone connected with the Institute who is interested in Architecture has been cordially invited. President Brophy of the Society, when seen yesterday, stated that it would be advantageous for freshmen contemplating studying Architecture to attend as the meeting will be of particular interest to them. Professors Cram, Lawrence, Gardner and Williams of Course IV are expected to speak. Refreshments will be served.

FRESHMAN BANQUET
Prominent Institute Men Will Speak At Annual Event.

The freshman banquet will be held next Saturday evening at 6.30 o'clock in the Union. Walter Harrington, '17, temporary chairman of the class of 1919, will act as toastmaster. Dean Burton, Major Cole, Frank Kanaly and P. R. Clason, '16, will be among the speakers. Tickets cost fifty cents and may be bought of some of the members of the class or at the Cage after this meal.

FIRST TRACK PRACTICE
Coach Kanaly was well pleased with the number of men who came out for the first practice Monday afternoon. More freshmen were out than have come out the first day in previous years. The Cross Country men who were out last year who reported were: Captain Brown, Bruberry, Brooks, Dodge, Grey, Hamilton, Harrington, Litchfield, McVicker, Mee, Mumford, Parker, Wall and de Zubic. The new men out were: Boat, Whaley and Whitaker of the freshmen and Grunfeld, McCartan, Rambach and Roessler of the class of 1918.

INSTRUCTORS NEEDED
In connection with the Social Welfare work, the T. C. A. has issued another call for volunteers to teach English to Cambridge factory men at night school. A few men responded to the first call but more are needed. Men are also needed to instruct groups and classes of boys at the Boston Y. M. C. A. The fact that the English classes are to begin Thursday evening makes an early response necessary.

FIELD DAY TEAMS BEGIN HARD WORK
Many Members Of Opposing Classes Report For Practice.

Practices of the freshman and Sophomore field day teams are not well under way as yet but by the first of the week it is expected that the work will be in full swing. The temporary managers of the freshman teams who are taking charge of the work are as follows: For football, W. C. Wood; for relay, H. R. Gardner; and for tug-of-war, S. C. Hun- ning. The 1918 managers are the same as last year.

The freshmen were the first to start relay practice, three men having come out Monday to be put through a few starts by Coach Kanaly. The men who have already reported are: Kimball, Rasmussen and Wells. More candidates are expected before the end of the week. Practice will be held at the field every afternoon at 4 o'clock. The 1918 football and tug-of-war teams have not yet been called out. The Sophomore relay team will start practice this afternoon at 4 o'clock and Captain Lorenz is anxious to have every man on hand. The only member of last year's team not back at school is Coward.

Of the members of last year's 1913 football team, all are expected to be out except Barrett, Mead and Wiley. The first mention is attending Massachusetts "Apple" this year while the other two are here, but unable to play. Practice was started yesterday at the field. The 1918 tug-of-war team is to meet in the Union at 1 o'clock Thursday to formulate plans for practice.

T. C. A. RECEPTION
First Get-Together Occasion Of Freshman Class.

Next Friday evening at eight o'clock, the T. C. A. will hold its annual reception for the freshmen in the Union. H. G. Morse, '16, manager of the freshman team, will be in charge of ceremonies. Dean Burton will speak and representatives of the various activities of the Institute will talk on their needs and the chances of new men. There will be a special entertainment provided and refreshments will be served to con- clude the evening.

WRESTLING NOTICE
Wrestling practice will be held every afternoon this week from 4 to 6 p.m. at the gymnasium. All men interested are urged to come out.

1918 CLASS MEETING
The Class of 1918 will hold an important meeting in Huntington Hall on Friday at 11.00 o'clock.

PRESIDENT MACLAURIN WELCOMES FRESHMEN
Address Followed By Adoption Of Constitution And Call For Candidates.

At the first meeting of the freshmen as a body, held in Huntington Hall last Monday, President Maclaurin gave a short address, welcoming the entering class, and congratulating them upon their entry into the Institute at a time so favorable to engineering work as the present.

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PRESIDENT MACLAURIN
Doctor Maclaurin spoke of the advisability of making plenty of friends and emphasized the necessity of keeping in good health, a point which is sometimes neglected in technical schools, and also spoke of the importance of not neglecting studies.

He said that the opportunities which would soon be open to graduates of such schools as the Institute will be greater because of the European War than ever before in the history of the world. "The next few years will be, as never before, the (Continued on Page Three)

SHOW LIBRETTOS
Member Of English Department To Meet Authors.

Books for Tech Show 1916 should be brought to the Show office in the Union on Friday afternoon between four and six o'clock. Some member of the English department of the Institute, as well as other faculty members, will be present to meet any students who have started librettos, or who intend to do so, for this or any future shows. Books submitted at this time need not be complete.

CALENDAR

Wednesday, September 29.
4.00—Wrestling Practice, Gym. 4.00—1918 Tug-of-War Meeting, Union.
4.05—Wrestling Practice, Gym. 4.00—Institute Committee Meeting, 8 Eng. C.
5.00—Dine Club Meeting, 26 Rogers.

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