CONCERT OF COMBINED CLUBS LAST EVENING

First Program Of Year Given At Franklin Square House

Large Audience.

The Musical Clubs gave their first concert last evening at the Franklin Square House. From start to finish it was a marred success. The clubs were in good form and showed lots of enthusiasm. The program was well arranged and furnished a number of pleasing selections. An Indian War Dance and Dat Yem Beg given by the Bajoo Club were received with hearty applause. The Mandolin Quartet made a great hit with their selections, Jubilee Race. The Glee Club and the Mandolin Club gave some excellent numbers, including "The Cuckoo" and "The Grey and the Stein Song" by the Combined Clubs.

SENIOR PORTFOLIO.

Proofs Ready For Inspection At Bachrach's.

Unfinished proofs of the formal portraits for the Senior Portfolio are now ready at the studio of L. F. Bachrach. Technique would like to have each Senior get these as soon as possible and indicate which print or negatives are at the Technique office, his studio to arrange for them.

Freshman Ballots To Be Cast Today

Freshman ballots will be cast on Friday, November 19, in the Union. All men must have paid their class dues to be privileged to vote. The ballots will be mailed to all the members of the class this evening. They must be turned in at the Cape by 4:30 o'clock, where class dues may also be paid. Votes should be cast for candidates for each office. The voter should sign his name to the ballot in the space allotted to it.

1919 Election Committee consisting of R. D. Fairbanks, W. M. Blood, P. Kitchin, A. F. Meuleners, W. Shaw, A. E. Garnsey, P. M. Lee, C. J. Parsons, P. D. Peltier, A. S. Claflin, A. B. Griffin, will have charge of the voting. The candidates for class officers are the following:

President—O. L. Brown, J. S. Coldwell, A. E. Griffin


Secretary—Miss C. J. Brennan, R. Blood, F. M. Blaw


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Civil Service and Engineering

Mr. E. L. Curtis Tells How Technology Men May Not Fill The Bill.

The Civil Engineering Society held their regular weekly meeting in the Union last night. The speaker for the evening was Mr. E. L. Curtis, a prominent lawyer of Boston and also a member of the Massachusetts Civil Service Commission. His talk was a general outline of Civil Service and its application to engineering. Civil Service was instituted by the English about 1830 and is used by them very extensively in connection with Indian and other removed government positions. They have always had a good deal of stress upon the classical training of applicants rather than upon their experience in the office for which they are examined.

The American idea, especially as developed here in Massachusetts and in New York, is to get men peculiarly fitted for their offices. To make sure of this they examine in experience. The way in which this is done is to give the applicant a list of questions to be answered at home which will produce an actual history of his connections with the work it is to carry on. The answers to these questions are extremely compared with those of the other applicants for the same office and all are given comparative ratings. The theoretical (Continued on Page Three)

Wireless Society Meets Tomorrow


The Wireless Society has been fortunate in securing Mr. Power's efforts that this new station at Medford with the four hundred foot mast has been set up. The plant has been built with the most modern apparatus and is to be used mainly for the purpose of testing out some of the devices which Mr. Power has designed.

The interest shown by students in the Society has increased to such an extent that the old type instruments are being replaced by more efficient ones. The station in the Electrical Laboratory is now in possession of a first class set of head phones and a variable condenser. Furthermore, the members are at the present time, constructing a complete receiving set of the most modern pattern which was designed by one of the members.

Checkers Wanted

All men who acted as checkers in the N. E. Cross Country Run last Saturday are wanted to assist in checking the runners in the I. C. A. A. A. Run which will be held next Saturday. Men unable to assist are requested to hand their names in at the Cage.

The Tech Orchestra

Mr. Howard To Act As Coach For Coming Season.

There will be a rehearsal of the Tech orchestra today at 5:00 o'clock in the Union which all members are requested to attend. Mr. Howard will be present to make arrangements for the work for the season. Violin players are especially needed.

Field Day Pictures

Technique desires to obtain snapshots taken at Field Day. Persons having pictures of the parade, the teams in action, or individual competitors, may leave them at the Technique office for A. P. Parsons. All pictures and negatives will be returned in good condition to their owners.

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Don't Think About It—Be Around When the All-Technology Photograph Is Taken on Copley Square Green in Front of the Public Library on Friday, November 19th, at 1:05 P. M.

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