

TECH SHOW STARTS.

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ready had two years' experience in that department. He is a member of Phi Sigma Kappa fraternity, and is a Junior in Course II.

Donald G. Bradley, '18, has been appointed Stage Manager. Bradley is a member of Phi Gamma Delta fraternity and the Beaver Club. He has been on the Varsity cross-country team for two years; has served on the Institute Committee, and the 1918 Technique Editorial Board. He was Assistant Stage Manager of the Show last year. Manager Bradley is a Junior in Course IV.

A. Winton Caird, '18, this year's Publicity Manager, is a member of Alpha Tau Omega at Worcester, and Secretary of the Civil Engineering Society, being a Junior in Course I.

Frederick A. Washburn, '18, holds the position of Treasurer of the 1917 Show. He is a member of Phi Sigma Kappa. has been two years in the business department of the Show, and is a member of the Rifle Club. He is a Course VIII Junior.

J. deG. May, '18, Guy H. Davis, '19, and N. P. Johnston, '19, who were members of last year's management, have not yet returned to the Institute. Oscar Mayer, '19, still holds his position as Assistant Publicity Manager.

The Tech Show is probably the largest activity in the Institute. Every year about a hundred and fifty men take part in the production of the Show; either on the management, as actors, or as members of the orchestra. Six or seven performances are given yearly, three of which are in Boston, the others being given in such towns as Providence, Malden or Northampton. The Boston performances come during Junior Week and are attended by about six thousand persons. So popular has the Show become that the actors are almost always met by large houses, and in those towns in which the Show has played regularly every year, as for instance Northampton, people have been known to crowd on the fire-escapes, even in a thunder storm, in order to see the performance.

Trials for the cast, chorus and ballet of this year's Show will be held immediately after the mid-year vacation. Competitions will be run during the Fall to fill all vacant positions in the management, except in the stage department, and announcements to that effect will appear from time to time in The Tech and on the bulletin boards. The competitions for positions in the stage department are regularly held after the rehearsals start, in order that the managers may be able to better judge the ability of the men.

The Tech Show Orchestra consists of about thirty men, most of whom are members of the Technology Orchestra. Last year the musical director of the Show, who was employed also to direct the Orchestra, selected the musicians. Members of the Orchestra are also considered members of the Show and travel with the others.

COMMUNICATION.

Undergraduates are cordially invited to share in the interesting discussions, pleasant social affairs and congenial fellowship of the Epsworth Class of the Epsworth Methodist Episcopal Church, Massachusetts Avenue opposite Cambridge Common. The class is composed of more than fifty young men and women, residents of Cambridge and students at Harvard, Technology, Radcliffe, and Sargent's. Meetings are held on Sundays from twelve to one o'clock, immediately following the Church service. Come and let us welcome you Reserve the evening of October 3d for our reception to new students.

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The subjects, on which no more than three thousand words will be allowed, are "Engineering and Civic Progress," "The Engineer of the Future," and "The Business Relation of the Engineer to the Commercial World." Regarding the type of theme wanted the Chicago Association's bulletin says: "Relationship of the engineer and of engineering to the business world; how best to realize the conceived ideal of engineering, concrete examples illustrative of the true significance of engineering, such as a brief prospectus of a proposed work or a short, crisp, readable news article on a piece of engineering construction—these are suggested lines of development."

The judges of the contest will be F. H. Newell, Professor of Civil Engineering at the University of Illinois; John W. Alvord, consulting engineer; and John F. Hayford, director, College of Engineering, Northwestern University. Manuscripts should be mailed to the Engineers' Subdivision Contest, The Chicago Association of Commerce, 10 LaSalle Street, Chicago.

CATHOLIC CLUB.

The first meeting of the Catholic Club for the current year will take place next Wednesday evening, October 4th, in a portion of the new restaurant in building 2. Covers will be ready at 6.00 o'clock. The speakers for the evening are Dean A. E. Burton and Rev. Mark Driscoll, D. D., of Cambridge.

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