



FRESHMAN RELAY TEAM

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FIELD DAY

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men and are an inch shorter. The average height of the freshmen is 5 feet 10 inches, while that of 1919 is 5 feet 9 inches. The average age of the freshmen is 19.4 years, that of the Sophomores, 20.1 years.

The Sophomores have a second "Charlie Brickley" to aid them in the form of Thomas. It is commonly reported that he can kick a field goal from any angle in the 35 yard line. The freshmen will watch him carefully anywhere within 40 yards of the goal posts.

Between the halves of the football game this afternoon, the relay teams of the classes of 1919 and 1920 will race. Barring accidents, the race should be very close. The Sophomores believe that they will surely come out ahead, although they received a severe blow Tuesday, when it was announced that Coward was not a Sophomore, and would run with the freshmen. Coward was one of the fast men on the 1919 team, and his addition to the freshman team strengthens it greatly.

Captain Bent, '19, said: "Our team is more experienced. This counts for a great deal in these races, and I believe we will win."

Captain Anable, '20, said Wednesday: "The freshmen have shown fine spirit. More than forty reported early in the season and they worked hard right to the final trials. This made the competition very keen, and those who made the team had to work for their places. I want to thank these men for what they have done. We are up against a jinx in that no freshman class has ever

won a relay race on Field Day, but the men have worked hard, and whether we win or lose, the class can be proud of the spirit shown."

Coach Kanaly said when asked what team would win: "Part of the time the freshmen show fine speed, but at other times they seem rather below par. It all depends on whether they have a good day and don't forget what they know about passing the flag, whether they win or not. I cannot forecast anything."

The race will be a mile and a half, each man running 220 yards. The class of 1916 holds the record for this distance, having covered it in four minutes, fifty and two-fifths seconds in 1913. This was seven seconds faster than any Field Day team had ever done before, and is considerably faster than has been done since.

When the Sophomore and freshman Tug-O-War teams line for battle this afternoon spectators will see two of the most perfected tug-of-war machines ever turned out at the Institute. Faithful practice every night for six weeks has developed two decidedly crack teams. That the winning team must show up unusually well is not to be doubted. On paper the Sophs seem to have the advantage as they outweigh the freshmen five pounds to the man in addition to having the advantage of a year's experience. Many upper classmen expect 1920 to win in straight pulls, but those who have watched the freshmen in practice admit that they must be taken seriously. Spirit and team work has been in evidence and from the first man in the line to the anchor they are primed to make a good showing.

CHEMICAL SOCIETY TRIPS

Mr. R. C. Folsom Speaks on Sugar Refining Process

At a meeting of the Chemical Society held last evening, Mr. Rufus C. Folsom outlined the processes that the members of the Society will see while on their next trip. The trip will take place on Tuesday, November 7, and will be through the Granite Street plant of the American Sugar Refining Company at South Boston.

During the business meeting it was decided that no Course Xa men should be allowed to hold office in the Senior Class, owing to the fact that the last half of the year in these Courses take the men outside of the Institute.

It was announced that the third trip will be to the Union Glass Company at Somerville, and will be taken in groups of five men each. On Thursday, November 9, three groups will go, three on Friday, November 10, three on Thursday, November 14, and three on Thursday, November 16. The first group on each day will arrive at 2.00 P. M., the second at 3.00 P. M., and the last at 5.00 P. M. Sixty men have so far signed up for this trip.

A short time before each trip a notice will be published giving the time, place of meeting, etc., for each group.

H. L. Wood '17 has coached the Sophomores. His experience has no doubt been a tremendous advantage to 1919, but this advantage is balanced by the fact that O. D. Burton coached 1920. Both men have had much experience in the game and have trained their men thoroughly and systematically. Great rivalry exists between the two men as Burton's team beat Wood's three years ago and nothing would please Wood better than a victory by his charges. Because of this rivalry both men have driven their squads at full speed throughout the training period.

Burton stated to a Tech reporter last night: "I expect one of the warmest battles in years. We are outweighed but I feel certain that we will win." Wood in predicting the outcome remarked: "The freshmen have a very good team but our experience and team work ought to bring 1919 a victory."

Captain Boley of the Sophs did not wish to be quoted. "We must fight for every inch, still I look for a win," said Ryer, the freshman captain. This spirit of determination seems to have seized both teams and it appears certain that that tug-of-war battle will be a spectacular event. Harold Stark managed the 1920 team.



FRESHMAN TUG-OF-WAR TEAM

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ORIGIN OF FIELD DAY

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thrown down beneath the pile, although still retaining his hold on the cane. Those nearest him asked if he was all right, receiving an affirmative reply. It was not until the end of the struggle that his prostrate body was found.

The other victim of the struggle, Sherrill, received his injuries because of the great strain to which he was subjected at the bottom of the pile, in the prolonged holding of the breath and the external pressure of the crowd. Like Moore he fought all the harder at the sound of the pistol shot, being thrown down in the same way. He was confined to a dark room for over a fortnight and never entirely recovered.

On the third of December of the same year, the Institute Committee appointed a committee to confer with the Advisory Council on Athletics on the question of substituting an athletic meet for the cane rush. As a result the first Field Day was held the following year, the event being won by the freshmen.

CROSS-COUNTRY

The Technology cross-country team will run against the Dorchester Athletic Association at the Franklin Park course tomorrow afternoon at 3.00 o'clock.

FIELD DAY PICTURES

The pictures shown in this issue of the Field Day teams, by the Riley Photo Company, will be on sale at The Tech office next week.

CORPORATION XV DINNER

The second meeting for the year of Corporation XV will be held Thursday evening, November 9. The dinner will be at 6.30 in the Cafeteria, and will be followed by the meeting in Room 3-270. This is the first attempt at a combined dinner and meeting. It is the purpose of those in charge to transact most of the business during the dinner, reserving the meeting for a lecture by Professor L. J. Johnson, the President of the Single Tax League of Massachusetts. Professor Johnson will speak on Taxation. Following his talk E. G. Senter, Jr., and T. K. Meloy will speak.

GYMNASIUM.

All students taking Gymnasium work at the Armory should bring rubber soled or tennis shoes for the exercises. A. E. Burton, Dean.

RELAY TEAMS

1919	1920
1. Canzaneli	1. Larson
2. Pinckney	2. Knight
3. Babbitt or Scanton	3. Bradley
4. McCarten	4. Peale
5. Goldstein	5. Wilson
6. Reynolds	6. Ormon
7. Jackson	7. Sale
8. Murphy	8. Ash
9. Hsley	9. Downey
10. Clark	10. Holt
11. Bent	11. Coward
12. Drew	12. Anable

TUG-OF-WAR

1919	
Name	Weight
Boley, Captain	166 1/4 lbs.
Breed	155 1/2 "
Chayne	211 "
Clafin	152 1/4 "
Clarke	165 "
Davidson	146 "
Doten	150 1/4 "
French	156 "
Heyman	167 1/4 "
Mayer	153 "
MacLaughlin	164 1/4 "
McMorran	145 "
MacMullin	166 1/4 "
Mueller	155 "
Page, A. F.	180 "
Page, S.	170 "
Palmer	151 "
Peltier	193 "
Riegel	169 "
St. Johns	130 "
Thomas	151 1/4 "
Untersee	170 "
Waggatt	170 "
Webster	160 "
Weymouth	158 1/2 "
Substitutes—	
Wyse	148 1/2 "
Becker	140 "
Average	162 1/4 "
Counter Dalton	
Head Coach H. L. Wood, '17	

1920	
Name	Weight
Bond	131 lbs.
Powell	135 "
Lavedan	142 "
Leander, C. H.	143 "
Fedehey	137 "
Leander, C. T.	177 "
Carpenter	170 "
Breck	160 "
Massey	144 "
Bruner	141 "
Harris	158 "
Taylor	159 "
Wasser	165 "
Wilson	135 "
Bugbee, H.	145 "
Seavey	152 "
Bugbee, D.	137 "
Scott	142 "
Fiske	160 "
Martin	175 "
Bowditch	175 "
Gokey	146 "
McCloskey	195 "
Dandrow	170 "
Best	176 "
Ryer, Captain	139 "
Davis	229 "
Counter, Eksergian	
Coach, Burton	

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