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WAR RELIEF CAMPAIGN

Old Clothes Collection to Be Held Next Week

The present outlook of the Campaign which is being run under the auspices of the T. C. A. is not very promising. The results of the campaign do not measure up to the expectations of the Committee in charge. For those men who are not acquainted with its purpose, it is well to state that Technology, under the direction of the T. C. A., is attempting to raise funds that are to be used to defray the expenses of the Y. M. C. A., which is sending over to the Prison Camps of the European countries men who are trying to alleviate the suffering and privations which the prisoners are now undergoing. The money is also to be used to provide camp supplies, books, clothes, medicine and other necessities of the Camp.

Not many of the appointed solicitors have handed in their reports and in consequence the T. C. A. is at loss to know the results of their collections.

Next week this organization is to launch a new thing in the history of Technology, an old clothes collection. This sort of thing has been accomplished in other colleges for many years. Harvard holds a similar collection three times a year. The old clothes are to be distributed to needy and worthy institutions in Boston and in Cambridge. There is also going to be an attempt made to gather old books and periodicals. H. Gleason '18 is chairman of the Committee. Further information in regard to the collection will be made in the next issue of The Tech.

FOUNDERS' DAY

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 understanding of the importance of first hand knowledge and has insisted that students be taken as much as possible to the field of operations.

While performing his fair share of the teaching, Professor Richards always found time for research work. His investigations have given him a world-wide reputation and have attracted to the Institute students from all quarters of the earth.

Professor Richards retired from active work in June, 1914, after fifty years of service with the Institute, having served as secretary of the Institute for a number of years. The mining laboratories of the Institute and many other features established by Professor Richards were the first of their kind in the world. At that time Technology itself was a new venture and the establishment of novelties such as mining laboratories was an exceedingly difficult task. Technology's mining course, through Professor Richards' farsightedness and untiring labors, now ranks among the first.

TECH SHOW LYRICS

All men who have been writing lyrics for the 1917 Tech Show must hand in their work at 5 o'clock this evening in the Show Office in Room 1-075. All men whose work proves acceptable will be retained on the list of lyric writers. It is necessary that all lyrics be in on time because the composers will probably start immediately after their first meeting on Friday.

COURSE CONFERENCES

Professors to Help First Year Men in Choice of Courses

Some time during the second and third weeks of December the professors in charge of the various courses have arranged to have informal conferences with the freshmen concerning their choice of courses which must be made after the Christmas holidays.

The list of the conferences follows:
 Course I, XI—Professor Spofford will meet students on Friday, Dec. 8, at 1.30 o'clock in Room 1-150.

Course II—Professor Miller will meet students on Thursday, Dec. 7, at 1.30 o'clock in Room 3-270.

Course III—Professor Hofman will meet students on Thursday, Dec. 14, at 1.30 o'clock, in Room 10-275.

Course IV—Professors Cram and Lawrence will meet students on Monday, Dec. 11, at 1.30 o'clock, in Room 10-275.

Course V—Professor Talbot will meet students on Wednesday, Dec. 6, at 1.30 o'clock, in Room 10-275.

Course VI—Professor Jackson will meet students on Monday, Dec. 18, at 1.30 o'clock, in Room 10-275.

Course VII—Professor Sedgwick will meet students on Wednesday, Dec. 20, at 1.30 o'clock, in Room 10-427.

Course VIII—Professor Cross will meet students on Monday, Dec. 11, and on Wednesday, Dec. 13, and on Friday, Dec. 15, at 12 o'clock in Room 4-234.

Course X—Professor Walker will meet students on Tuesday, Dec. 12, at 1.30 o'clock, in Room 10-250.

Course XII—Professor Lingren will meet students on Thursday, Dec. 21, at 1.30 o'clock, in Room 4-340.

Course XIII—Professor Peabody will meet students on Friday, Dec. 15, at 1.30 o'clock, in Room 1-139.

Course XIV—Professor Goodwin will meet students on Tuesday, Dec. 19, at 1.30 o'clock, in Room 4-108.

Course XV—Professor Dewey will meet students on Wednesday, Dec. 13, at 1.30 o'clock, in Room 2-190.

CHEMICAL SOCIETY

Men Take Second Trip to Plant of Plant of Union Glass Company

Owing to the popularity of the first two Chemical Society trips to the Union Glass Company, a third was taken Monday afternoon by those members having missed the others. As before the men were divided into three groups, each group being shown through the plant separately.

The first department visited was the melt-house. Here the molten glass is blown into "blanks" for vases, pitchers, mirrors, and various ornamental articles. The groups were then shown through the cutting-room, where the various designs are outlined and roughly cut on the "blanks," and then finely polished.

UKELELE CLUB

There will be a meeting of all men interested in the formation of a Ukelele Club this afternoon at 5 o'clock in Room 2-190. Men who play a ukelele, guitar or steel guitar should bring their instruments with them.

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DRILL RULES TIGHTEN UP

Beginning with the next freshman drill a more rigid enforcement of the rules concerning uniforms will go into effect. Tan or unpolished black shoes will no longer be tolerated, while yearlings forgetting white gloves and breast cords will receive proper extra drill to sharpen their memories.

1919 BASEBALL COMPETITION

All candidates for manager of the 1919 Baseball Team are required to fill out cards giving name, address and previous experience, and leaving them at the Cafeteria for Guy H. Davis '19, before Saturday, December 9th.

CHANGE IN DISCUSSION GROUP

Mr. R. E. Rogers will take Professor Sedgwick's Discussion Group in Room 10-267 at 4.15 o'clock today. All Technology men are invited to attend.

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