

## AVIATORS WILL MEET AT ATLANTIC CITY

Men From All Colleges To  
Take Part in Big Aerial Tour-  
namment.—Institute May Enter  
Men in Intercollegiate Com-  
petition

### D. SHEELINE IN CHARGE HERE

College men who during the war chose  
aviation as the branch in which to  
serve their country, and while training  
caught the spirit of the thing will be  
pleased to learn that all their work has  
not been in vain. The International  
Aerial Club of America, realizing to the  
full extent the great part the airplane  
and the airship are going to take in the  
affairs of the world, have made ar-  
rangements to hold a series of aerial  
tournaments at Atlantic City during the  
coming summer. These competitions  
will be open to graduates and under-  
graduates. There will also be an event  
open to aero clubs, colleges and army  
and navy organizations.

The tournaments will start in May  
and will be continued throughout the  
summer. There are on the proposed  
schedule the following events:

The Intercollegiate seaplane speed  
race, the dirigible speed contest (handi-  
cap), the three months' intercollegiate  
seaplane trophy; three months' Intercol-  
legiate airplane tournament, the three  
months' intercollegiate dirigible tour-  
namment and the three months' Inter-  
collegiate spherical or kite balloon op-  
erating contest.

The Intercollegiate seaplane speed  
contest is open to graduates whether in  
civilian or military life. The race is  
over a five-mile course and is for a \$2000  
trophy. The dirigible speed contest  
which is open to any aerial organiza-  
tion will be held on the afternoons of  
May 3, 10, 17, 24, 30 and 31. Each  
member of the winning crew will re-  
ceive a silver plaque of the trophy. The  
names of the members of the winning  
crew will also be inscribed on the  
trophy which is to be competed for  
annually.

After the dirigible race the four last  
mentioned events in the above list de-  
serve mention. In the intercollegiate  
competition any college may enter three  
men and the institution having the  
greatest number of points at the end of

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### NOTICE TO SHIP WORKERS

There will be a meeting of all the  
students who were employed at the  
Bath Shipyards, today at 5:00 in  
Room 10-275.

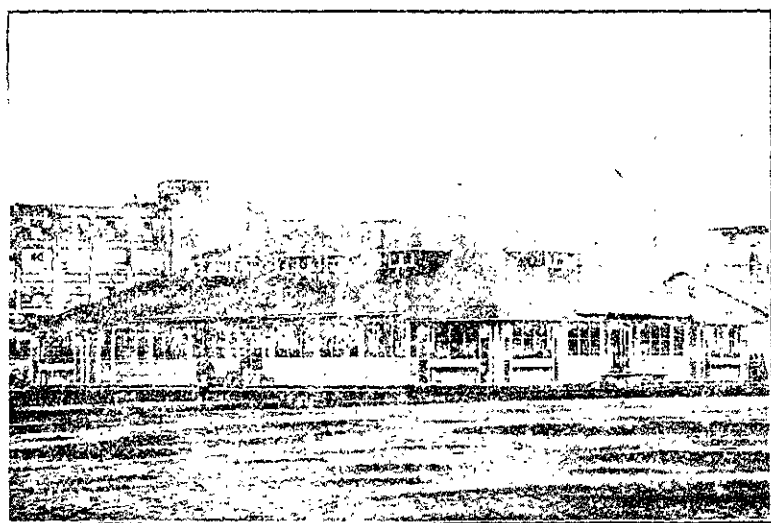
### TICKETS ON SALE FOR COSMOPOLITAN DANCE

Tickets are now on sale for the Cos-  
mopolitan club dance which will be held  
a week from Friday in Walker Memorial.  
The dance is limited to 150 couples.  
The M. I. T. five-piece orchestra has  
been engaged to perform. Owing to the  
desire for more time in which to dance,  
entertainment will be provided only dur-  
ing the intermission when refreshments  
are being served.

The committee in charge hope to se-  
cure as patronesses, Mrs. Richard C.  
MacLaurin, Mrs. Alfred E. Burton, Mrs.  
Henry L. Seaver, and Mrs. Frank  
Aydelotte.

The dance is open to all students at  
the Institute, whether members of the  
Cosmopolitan club or not. Tickets may  
be obtained at the usual price of one  
dollar, at the Information Office, Walker  
Memorial, and at the Co-operative Store.  
Those in charge of the arrangements are  
A. V. Dumas '20, H. A. Miner '20, M.  
E. Martinez '20, O. Duyos '20, and T.  
K. Wei '20.

## Recreation Building To Become Lynn Dance Hall



The Naval Aviation recreation building which is being dismembered  
under the persistent attacks of the working gangs will soon set up as a  
dance hall by the owners of Suntaug Inn in Lynn. The recreation build-  
ing was erected in the spring of 1918 by order of the commanding officer  
of the Naval Aviation Detachment to provide a place where the Naval  
fliers could bring their relatives and friends and have a reading room  
during leisure hours. The remainder of the aviation buildings excepting  
the hangar and the airrome are to be torn down. Notable among these  
is the rigging-laboratory which will be demolished during the next two  
weeks.

### "CAF" REOPENED TO STUDENTS

Following the suggestion of THE  
TECH, the old "Caf" in the basement of  
building 2 has been reopened to the  
student body daily from 9 till 5.45. A  
notice painted on the wall invites all  
students to use it as a meeting place  
and urges those who bring their lunches  
to eat them there. To make this a real  
lounging-room smoking is permitted  
here.

## DORM DANCE COMING

### Lowe's Orchestra To Play Fri- day In Walker Memorial

Social activities at the Institute will  
recommence Friday night when the first  
dorm dance following vacation will be  
held. Tickets for the affair are al-  
ready on sale at a dollar a couple in the  
Walker Memorial and at the Cooperative  
society's store. Bert Lowe and his  
peppy orchestra have been engaged to  
turnish the music for the evening.  
Tommy Hawkins, Lowes' clever drum-  
mer, will probably be present to help in  
the entertainment. According to the  
committee in charge, this dance is to be  
the best of the season, especially since  
the floor of the hall has just been re-  
cently cleaned and polished.

The committee is fortunate in being  
able to obtain for patrons and patron-  
esses: President and Mrs. Richard C.  
MacLaurin, Professor and Mrs. Robert  
P. Bigelow, and Professor and Mrs. Wil-  
liam S. Franklin.

Those in charge of the dance are R.  
Tobin '20, M. Michaels '19, M. M. Whit-  
aker '20, and S. Hill '21.

### WALKER BEING RENOVATED

Rapid progress is being made in the  
painting and decorating of Walker  
Memorial and the Institute in general,  
and soon all traces of the war regime  
will be obliterated. Walker Memorial  
especially is being thoroughly renovated  
and after the plasterers, painters and  
decorators are gone, very little will be  
left to remind one of the condition in  
which it was left by the Naval Aviators.  
Every portion of the building is  
being gone over, and after almost a  
month's work, the men expect to be  
through in a few days. A number of  
men are also busy about the main  
buildings, giving the doors and windows  
a general cleanup, and retouching the  
paint and plaster wherever necessary. In  
the courts the flagpoles, which took such  
an important part in the recent fresh-  
man-Sophomore fight, are being painted  
a brilliant canary yellow in order to  
cover up the mars and holes left by the  
telegraph pole creepers.

### IMPORTANT MEETING OF WIRELESS SOCIETY FRIDAY

The Technology Wireless Society will  
hold an important business meeting Fri-  
day, April 4, at 5, in room 10-275.

At this meeting matters of consider-  
able importance will be discussed. The  
Institute has given the society a room  
by the Power House for use as an op-  
erating room and the work of installing  
apparatus and the erection of an aerial  
will begin in the near future. It is  
important that all men who have not  
signed up already be present at this  
meeting so that their names may be in-  
cluded in the list which is to go in  
Technique.

At this meeting the president will an-  
nounce the details of an illustrated lec-  
ture to be given by Professor Pierce of  
Harvard University sometime next  
week.

## TECH SHOW ACTIVITIES

### Poster and Management Compe- tition Closes This Week

The Tech Show Orchestra is re-  
hearsing several excellent numbers for  
the coming show, but more musicians  
are needed to assure the success of this  
year's musical program. The rehearsal  
in Walker today at five o'clock will be  
the last chance to get on the orchestra  
and the management urges any men  
who can play to report at this time.  
Clarinet players and a man who is good  
with the drum and traps are particu-  
larly needed. The musical score of Tech  
Show will consist of twenty numbers,  
most of which will be easy and will give  
the orchestra unusual opportunity.  
Music has been written for thirteen of  
these numbers, and lyrics for ten. Wil-  
liam T. Hedlund '20, musical director of  
the show, is well pleased with the  
progress of the musical program.

Final cuts in the management of the  
show will be made Saturday, and re-  
sults of the competition will be an-  
nounced in Saturday's issue of THE  
TECH.

The poster competition closes Satur-  
day, April 5 at 1. Two excellent pos-  
ters have been handed in and more are  
expected. The Publicity Department is  
planning to have three thousand copies  
of the poster printed. These will be dis-  
tributed in Boston, Somerville, and  
Northampton, and in adjoining towns  
and nearby schools. Unless the win-  
ning poster is particularly adapted for  
use on the program and score the second  
choice will be used for that purpose.  
Designs for the program only will also  
be acceptable. These will be due April  
5. Announcements of the winners will  
be made the next week.

### OARSMEN BEGIN PRACTICE IN CHARLES RIVER BASIN

The opening of the new term sees sev-  
eral Technology crews on the river hard  
at work for the coming class race on  
Field Day. The freshmen greatly out-  
number the sophomores, but the latter  
have the experience of last year's races  
to count on. However, the competition  
is very keen, and the prospects are good  
for a close race on Field Day. The  
members of both classes realize the  
short time before the coming race, and  
are getting into their work with a ven-  
geance. Pat Manning of the B. A. A.  
is in charge of the coaching.

Besides the first freshman crew, a  
second eight and two fours are being  
formed from that class. The Sopho-  
mores also are forming a four, and  
there is a possibility that these two  
crews will soon have a race with each  
other.

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### STANFORD ORAM '21 DIES

Stanford S. Oram '21, passed away  
last Sunday noon at a Boston hospital  
after a severe nervous breakdown. Two  
weeks ago Thursday, during examina-  
tion week, he was suddenly overcome as  
a result of overwork. Oram, who was of  
the class of '21, and a member of  
Course VI, came from Dallas, Texas.  
He was a serious worker, a quiet and  
unassuming fellow, but a worthy son of  
Technology. His brother arrived shortly  
before his death and was present at the  
end.

## MISS FOGLER '20 AND DEYETTE '20 INJURED

Electrochemists Are Victims of  
Automobile Accident in Gov-  
ernor Square Last Sunday  
Evening

### DEYETTE'S CONDITION CRITICAL

TECH ONE

As a result of an automobile accident  
in Governor Square last Sunday eve-  
ning, two Technology students, Joseph  
Coleman Deyette '20 of Portland, Ore-  
gon, and Miss Florence Fogler '20 of  
Billings, Montana, are now in the Com-  
monwealth Avenue Hospital in a seri-  
ous condition. The accident occurred as  
the couple, returning home from Boston,  
were crossing Commonwealth avenue in  
front of the Hotel Buckminster. An  
automobile, belonging to Erick F. Carry  
of 10 Downing street, Brookline, is said  
to have speeded towards Deyette and  
Miss Fogler without warning, skidding  
into them, and then proceeding up the  
avenue.

Both students were unconscious when  
a passing motorist rushed them to the  
hospital. In several hours the identity  
of the pair was determined, and Dey-  
ette's fraternity house and Miss Fogler's  
relatives were notified. Latest reports  
from the hospital at the time of going  
to press, state that Deyette's condition  
is critical, as he is still unconscious  
from the combined effects of concus-  
sion of the brain and an intense phys-  
ical shock. While the doctors do not  
expect him to come out of this state of  
coma before several days they are con-  
fident that he will ultimately completely  
recover. Miss Fogler is resting com-  
fortably, but hospital authorities state  
that she will not be able to leave for at  
least a week, and then it may require  
some time to recover from the severe  
nervous strain.

When interviewed, relatives of Miss  
Fogler said that the pair were working  
over some reports early Sunday evening.

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### APPLIED PSYCHOLOGY OFFERED INSTITUTE MEN

A brand new course is to be offered  
to Technology students, and although  
details are still wanting, the very name,  
"Applied Psychology," implies some-  
thing unusual in engineering studies.  
The course is to be given by Sergeant  
Charles L. Stone, who has been con-  
nected with the Psychical Reconstruc-  
tion Service at Base Hospital No. 10,  
West Roxbury. Sergeant Stone is still  
in the service, and after a short stay in  
Boston, left for Camp Devens this morn-  
ing. He is expected to be released be-  
tween Thursday and Saturday, so as to  
permit him to begin the new course  
early next week. As far as can be  
learned, the course will have to deal  
with the handling of men, and with pro-  
fessional relations where psychological  
questions become applicable. It will be  
given to students of Course XV as a  
regular subject and probably will be  
open to the Institute as a whole either  
as a general option, or as a requirement  
in general studies.

### CALENDAR

Wednesday, April 2

- 5:00—THE TECH Meeting in the News Room.
- 5:00—Meeting of Bath shipyard workers in Room 10-275.
- 5:00—Orchestra rehearsal in Walker Memorial.

Thursday, April 3

- 1:00—Junior Crew Meeting in Room 4-108.
- 1:30—Fresh Crew Managers Meeting in Room 4-108.
- 5:00—Aviation Meeting in Room 3-370.

Friday, April 4

- 5:00—Wireless Society Meeting in Room 10-250.
- 8:15—Dorm Dance in Walker Memorial.

Saturday, April 5

- 1:00—Tech Show Poster Competition closes.
- 8:00—Professor W. I. Underwood will address Cosmopolitan Club in Room 10-250.

### SHINE, SIR?

It may be of interest to the men  
of Technology to know that a  
shoe-shining stand has been  
opened in the basement of Walker  
Memorial where during the after-  
noon, from 2:30 on, a boy is al-  
ways on duty.