

## PRIMITIVE MAN COMES INTO HIS OWN AGAIN

### Heavy Casualties Expected at Annual Technique Rush — Hundreds Prepare for Conflict in Great Court

#### FIRST AID BY CLEOFAN

The gallant warriors, sometime of the A. T. C., prepare ye now for the great day to which your valorless virility is pledged to be put. Each moment the day draws nearer when gathered in assembled strength about the innocent-looking kennel in the Great Court of the Great Institute you stand waiting for the pop of a cap pistol to signal the break-off of the greatest Battle Royal ever staged north of polaris sudus. For on the twenty-ninth day of the month at the one-and-a-half-hour Marathon and Waterloo are scheduled to fade into pale envy beside the bloody bloodiness of the sanguinary slaughter to be held under the murderous auspices of Technique 1920. It was rumored that the Faculty was working in co-operation with the management to effect a reduction in enrollment at the Institute, but sharp denials from instructing circles lead us to believe either that the Co-operative Society is instituting a movement to procure a large balance of unclaimed dividends or that the carnage is being staged merely to satisfy the Nerotic dispositions of the producers of the year book.

However all that may be, each and every member of the student body including the Chem Society's, E.E.'s, Corpse and Cleofan Club, et al., are cordially invited to secure a copy of Technique 1920 duly adorned with the President's signature at the trilling cost of a few cents or legs. Lest the fiendish Technicians succeed too far in their savage purposes THE TECH ever watchful of the welfare of the student body publishes the following optional rules for the information and guidance of all concerned.

1. No person weighing over three tons will be allowed to enter the contest.
2. Any person receiving a broken neck in the conflict will be disqualified from further participation. The judges should it be gained after entering the injury.

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## ARRANGEMENTS FOR PROM ARE COMPLETE

### Dove and Hawkins Will Furnish the Music—Dance Orders Will Be Distributed in Copley Plaza Lobby

#### FLOWERS WILL NOT BE WORN

All arrangements have been made for the Junior Prom which will be held tomorrow night at the Copley Plaza Hotel. The dance will begin at 9 and last until 4 in the morning, supper being served at twelve in the grill room downstairs and in the small dining room. Some of the fraternities have had dinner reservations made and if they wish any special decorations they will have to provide them. Previously the dance orders and favors have been given out at the ball-room door but this year they will be distributed at a table in the lobby.

It had been rumored that white trousers and dark coats would be worn instead of dress suits. The Prom Committee announce this to be false and that evening clothes will be worn. The music will be furnished by the Dove and Hawkins orchestra, which provided the music at the Spring concert. The Prom Committee has decided that no flowers will be worn. Those few men who have not redeemed their signups can do so by seeing John Nash '20, at 526 Beacon St.

## ELECTRICAL SOCIETY REELECTS ALL OF ITS FORMER OFFICERS

### Tickets For Banquet Are Now Ready For Distribution

The results of the Electrical Engineering Society elections which have been going on during the past week are as follows: Harmon B. Deal '20 was re-elected president of the club, R. Douglas Booth '20 will again assume vice-presidency; Miss F. Fogler '20 will continue as secretary, and I. Harrison Wilson '20, as treasurer. The executive committee which has been chosen consists of J. G. Moir, Jr. '20 and H. F. Smiddy '20. The tickets for the banquet to be given Friday, June 6, in honor of Professor Jackson are now on sale and may be procured at the Electrical Engineering society office in Room 10-203, or from any of the following: H. B. Deal, R. D. Booth, Miss Fogler, I. H. Wilson, H. F. Smiddy and E. A. Soars. There are a few extra tickets which may be had by men who have not already signed up and who wish to go, but such men should call immediately for their tickets. The banquet will be informal and will present an excellent opportunity for the men to become better acquainted with Professor Jackson and other members of the Electrical Engineering Department who will be present.

## WIN IN REGATTA

### First Freshman Shell Victorious in Junior Eight Class

Technology's first freshman eight won the mile race for junior eights in the Harvard Regatta last Friday afternoon over the crews representing Noble and Greenough School and Tufts. Each member of the winning crew was awarded a medal.

The first eight was the only crew to come out of the Regatta with a win. The '22 second eight was defeated by the Harvard freshman fourth eight while the four did not enter the Regatta because there was no class provided for smaller shells.

Defeating Tufts was nothing new for the eight, since the two crews met on Thursday, the day before competing in the Regatta, and the Institute representatives won by two lengths. The freshman line-up for both races was as follows: 1, Falls; 2, Horn; 3, Driscoll; 4, Moliner; 5, Bretting; 6, Osborn; 7, Capt. Hemenway; stroke, Bryden Cox., Folinabee.

The eight was to have raced the Harvard second freshman crew Monday afternoon, but the contest was called off because the Technology men took part in three races during the past week.

The freshman four fell a victim to Pomfret School at Pomfret, Ct., last Saturday morning by two lengths in a half mile race.

The line-up of the crews were as follows: Pomfret: stroke, Chisholm; 3, Croft; 2, Chamberlain. 1, Redfield; Cox. Roche. Technology: stroke, Fischer; 3, Knutsen; 2, Blanchard; 1, Greening, Cox., Folinabee.

The four will close its season this afternoon when it meets Brookline high school over a one-mile course starting at Cottage Farm bridge. This race was postponed from May 10 on account of rough weather on that date. This afternoon's race will start at 3.30. The Brookline crew is scheduled to take the water as follows: stroke McGillan; 3, Bowers; 2, O'Hara; 1, Capt. Donovan; Cox., Lord.

#### RIFLE TEAM DEFEATS TUFTS

The Technology Rifle Team defeated the Tufts team with a score of 488 to 464 in a dual match which was a clear victory for Technology from start to finish. The Institute men shot Wednesday and their opponents Thursday, but even with the advantage of knowing what they had to work for the Tufts aggregation failed to come across with a better score. Technology shot an excellent set of targets, the lowest scores being 96. G. G. Kearful, '22 was high man with a score of 99.

The results of the match are as follows:

Technology—G. G. Kearful '22 99; L. J. Powers, Jr. '22, 98; O. H. Skinner '21, 98; A. B. Alland '20, 97; M. B. Hawes '21 96; Total, 488.

Tufts—U. S. Small, 96; G. B. Brothus, 96; E. A. Joyce, 92; A. N. Piper, 90; G. A. Prescott, 90; Total, 464.

## JUNIOR WEEK VOODOO WILL APPEAR THURSDAY

The Junior Week number of Voodoo is scheduled to make its appearance Thursday noon just before the Rush. It was announced last week that this issue was to dwell to a certain extent on Institute life during Junior Week. This has been carried out as far as has been possible, and the board feels certain that the result will please not only the male participants, but the female ones as well.

The issue will have a number of cartoons and sketches referring to the numerous festivities of the week, and the theatrical section has been cut down somewhat in order to make room for cuts from Tech Show, 1919. The cover was designed by T. O. M. Davidson '21 as the result of a regular cover competition which was inaugurated a short time ago. Besides Tech Show and Junior Week notes, the issue includes few new features, but is essentially the same.

## TECH SHOW PROMISES TREMENDOUS SUCCESS

### Scenery and Lighting Effects Unique—Cast and Chorus End Preparations — Ballet and Orchestra Rehearse Today

#### HOLLIS NEARLY SOLD OUT

The tickets for the Northampton evening performance and both Boston performances were practically sold out last Monday. Nothing has been heard recently in regard to the ticket sales for the Northampton matinee or to the Somerville evening performance, however, these were selling rapidly the latter part of last week. Men who have not put in applications may still be able to obtain good seats at the Boston performances as it is expected that some will be returned. Tickets are now on sale at Herrick's on Copley Square. These tickets are sold at box office prices. The tickets will remain there until Saturday. They will then be sent to the box office at the Hollis Street Theatre where they will remain on sale all day.

The dress rehearsal last Sunday proved that every department of the Show is ready for the matinee at Northampton. The scenery and the lighting effects were found to exceed all expectations. The prologue set, which was designed by W. S. Frazier '19 was especially good. The second and third acts have an interior set in blue which is exceedingly simple but effective. It was designed by David Sandford '19. The lighting effect for the ballet is also a pleasant surprise. The red and blue lights outline the figures and leave the background in semi-darkness.

J. A. Buerkin '19 is doing exceptional work. In playing the Hypnotist he has a part of many possibilities and is making the best of them all. W. S. Frazier '19 is carrying his part and special to perfection. P. D. Appel '22 makes up well as the leading lady and has an exceptional tenor voice.

The ballet proved to be a greater feature than was expected. The dancing of Arthur M. Silver '21 as the priest, W. C. Gray '22 as the princess and of T. Riegel '22 as the chief warrior is remarkable. The orchestra deserves special credit, for in 15 hours practice Sunday they made but one mistake. The management and the stage department are very much pleased with the outlook. They say that the prospects are good for the best Tech Show ever produced.

#### TECHNIQUE BAND

All men who played in the Technique Band on Field Day are asked by Technique 1920 to meet in the Technique office in Walker at 1.00 p. m. Thursday. The Board offers as inducement to the musicians grand stand seats for the Rush.

# TECHNOLOGY AGAIN CAPTURES HONORS IN NEW ENGLAND MEET

### Institute Track Team Outscores Wesleyan, Nearest Competitor by 17 1-2 Points and Wins for Third Consecutive Year

#### BROWN FINISHES IN THIRD PLACE

For the third consecutive year, Technology was winner of the New England Intercollegiate track and field championships held Saturday afternoon at Tech Field. Technology's score for the day was thirty-seven points while the second college, Wesleyan, was able to capture places that counted for nineteen and one half points. The third and fourth colleges, Brown and New Hampshire, had nineteen and seventeen points respectively.

The majority of the Technology points were scored in the field events where the pole vault and the high jump alone netted eighteen.

True to prediction, Nightingale of New Hampshire State was the winner of the mile in fast time, but he was so utterly exhausted that in the 2-mile race which came about twenty minutes later, he was forced to drop out on the sixth lap of the event of which he is the National A. A. U. champion.

The hundred yard dash was won by Rollins '20 of Technology in 10 2-5 seconds, with Mullane of Brown, second, Keeler of Wesleyan, third and Sullivan of M. A. C. fourth.

The 120 yards high hurdles proved a disappointment for Bowdoin when Savage, who was picked as a sure winner, fell over the last hurdle of his heat and was unable to finish. Low of Amherst won the final heat; Burbank of Wesleyan was second and Scranton '21 of Technology was third.

Technology did not place in the finals of the 220-yard low hurdles. In this event, Savage of Bowdoin was an easy winner. Captain Keeler of Wesleyan placed with Besser of Brown third.

The mile run was won by Cecil Nightingale of New Hampshire State College in the very good time of 4 min. 28 sec. Sullivan of Holy Cross was second, and the much-heralded Goodwin of Bowdoin finished third after a game race.

The 220-yard dash was captured by Mullane of Brown. Rollins finished second in the finals, with T. P. Spitz '21 third and Burbank of Wesleyan fourth.

The 880-yard dash was taken by Cutbill of Wesleyan in 1 min. 59 3-5 sec. He was closely pressed the entire way by Mullen of Holy Cross, who collapsed after the race. Stewart of Williams was third. Bardes '21 of Technology managed to beat out a Williams man and took fourth place.

Jake Driscoll of Boston College was the winner of the 440 in 51 1-5 seconds, with Orman '20 of Technology fourth.

The 2-mile race was taken by H. H. Brown of Williams in 9 min. 51 2-5 sec. Crofts of Williams placed second with Leath of N. H. State third, Herrick of Maine was fourth.

In the field events, Technology came into prominence. In the hammer throw, Dandraw '20 was declared out after fouling three times, leaving Raymond '21 to finish second to Sawyer of N. H. State, who won with a heave of 120 feet 4 1-2 inches.

Nagel '21 and Walton '22 of Technology were tied for first place in the pole vault. Allen '22 of Technology won the high jump and Dippel '22 of Tech-

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#### CALENDAR

- Wednesday, May 28  
3.30—Freshman crew vs. Brookline on the Charles.
- Thursday, May 29  
1.15—Technique Rush in the Great Court.
- 9.00—Junior Prom at the Copley Plaza Hotel.
- Friday, May 30  
2.00—Tech Show in the Academy of Music, Northampton.
- 8.00—Tech Show in the Academy of Music, Northampton.
- Saturday, May 31  
2.00—Tech Show at the Hollis St. Theatre.
- 8.00—Tech Show, Alumni Night at the Hollis St. Theatre.

## AERO SOCIETY SMOKER WILL COME NEXT WEEK

### Results of Recent Elections Announced At Last Meeting

The outcome of the elections held at the big Aeronautical Engineering smoker last Friday evening was as follows: Alan L. Morse '21, was unanimously re-elected president, and Robert M. Arnold '22 was elected secretary-treasurer in a like manner. H. B. Caldwell '20 and M. Knight '22 were the two nominees for vice-president, and the ensuing vote showed a majority for Knight.

The executive committee is planning for a trip to a local airplane concern some time this week. However, at the present time no definite date has been set for the event and those interested are requested to watch the bulletin boards.

At a smoker to be held next week, it is hoped to have Dr. Sanford A. Moss of the turbine department of the Lynn General Electric Company to speak to the Society on the subject of his research along the lines of a turbine supercharger for aviation engines. This talk will be non-technical, and since the subject is entirely new, it is expected that there will be a large audience.

## CORPORATION XV DINES

### H. J. Horn '98 Speaks to Men at Annual Banquet

The final meeting of the year of Corporation XV was held in the form of a banquet last Friday evening at the Walker Memorial dining room. Mr. Henry J. Horn a Technology Alumnus of the class of '98, was the speaker of the evening. Mr. Horn has only recently returned from Russia where he was sent as a railroad expert to investigate transportation problems. His talk was centered on these details of his trip which affected the purpose of the society most. The point he wished to emphasize was that the Russian roads were not in as poor a shape as the American public is led to believe. Mr. Horn pointed out very clearly by means of charts that the average American road does not handle the volume of business that some of the trans-continental Russian roads have handled.

This very interesting and at the same time instructive talk was keenly appreciated by all present. At the close of the dinner the election of officers for next year took place. The men elected are: Makolm S. Burroughs '20, president; Warren L. Cofren '20, secretary; Alan W. Burke '20, treasurer; directors: Kenneth F. Akers '20, Percy Bugbee '20, Lawrence W. Conant '21, and Dwight E. Stagg '21.

#### ARCHITECTS PLAN TRIPS

The Boston Architectural club is proposing to take up the study of some colonial town plans for the subject of its excursions this year making trips to some of the old towns hereabouts. It was suggested that the students of architecture at Technology and Harvard be invited.