

RED CROSS CAMPAIGN GOES OVER THE TOP

Technology Leads Other Colleges As Big Drive Closes—Nearly Third of Institute Enrolled—Credit Due Drive Leaders.

SPLENDID SUPPORT SHOWN

The Red Cross drive of the past week at the Institute went over the top, fulfilling all expectations of the campaign managers. Much credit is due Kenneth Roman '20 for the success of the drive as well as to the class managers for their hard work in putting it across. Meagre reports show that seven hundred dollars was collected and when final returns are in, it is predicted that the total will exceed a thousand. This puts Technology ahead of the other eastern colleges on the drive.

The campaign started under difficulties. News of the desire of the Red Cross to have a special enrollment conducted by the colleges was not received until after the regular drive had begun. Students then had to be secured to manage the drive in classes and in the fraternities and dormitories. Last Friday was Field Day and the solicitors were handicapped in reaching individuals. Finally the drive had to end a day ahead of time, since Tuesday is a holiday. But despite these obstacles the drive was a big success in that fully one-third of the students subscribed. Many men were solicited from outside sources, and this undoubtedly kept down the number enrolled through the Institute.

Three fraternities, the Phi Beta Epsilon, the Theta Xi, and the Lambda Chi Alpha, have reported one hundred per cent subscriptions. The report of one-half the fraternities, the dormitories, and a part of the Class of 1923 totals four hundred dollars. This equals the sum that Harvard has reported to date. Other colleges around Boston have not filed their reports yet, but indications show that very few have forgotten the "Great Mother." Between the acts at the Majestic, Friday night, an informal plea was made for subscriptions, and over two hundred dollars was realized. The managers wish to extend their thanks to the student body for its splendid support of the campaign.

The money secured from the drive is to be used both abroad and in this country. The money given by Technology men will go for administration expenses around Cambridge, where child welfare work is to be carried on. The Red Cross hopes to ease the conditions abroad by reconstructing ruined towns and by fighting the ravages of disease.

PRESIDENT MACLAURIN WILL SPEAK AT CONVOCATION

All Technology Students Expected to be There; Alumni Will Speak.

A mass meeting will be held tomorrow at 1:15 in Walker Memorial to acquaint the student body with the objects of the drive for the endowment fund and the vital needs of the Institute.

Everett Morss '85 and I. W. Litchfield '85 will represent the Alumni and tell the undergraduates how to co-operate with them. It is considered essential that the student body should have ready information to give any alumnus or outsider.

No attempt will be made to exact any pledges from the undergraduates at this time. The convocation is merely to acquaint all Technology students with the facts. It is, therefore, the duty of everyone to be there.

The Technology Jazz band will furnish music and the gathering promises to be brief and to the point.

DANCE GIVEN FOR ENDOWMENT FUND

For the purpose of assisting in the Endowment Fund drive, it has been decided to donate the proceeds of the next Dormitory dance to this project. The dance will be held on Friday, Nov. 28, and the committee in charge has promised that many innovations will be introduced. The assessment will be \$1.50 per couple, and the tickets, which will be on sale Wednesday, may be obtained from any one of the committee, consisting of R. T. Pender '20, R. L. Turner '21, and T. M. Gill '22.

COURSE XV MEN MEET

Officers Are Elected at Initial Meeting of Year

Corporation XV elected officers for the year at a smoker held in Walker Memorial on the evening of Thursday November 6. W. Cofren '20 the present secretary, presided during the first part of the evening's program, which included addresses by Professors Schell and Doten, of the Department of Engineering Administration, and A. F. Bemis '93. The former speakers contrasted Corporation XV at the present time and during pre-war days. Mr. Bemis's talk was full of interesting and amusing anecdotes of his experiences while a member of a commission detailed to investigate economic conditions in Europe.

At the conclusion of these addresses, balloting for president and director of the society was held. The voting resulted in the election of J. W. Gibson '20 as president and H. Bugbee '20 as director. Following this business session, cider and doughnuts were served and the meeting was continued informally until 10:00 o'clock.

RADIO SOCIETY WILL TAKE TRIP TO TUFTS' LABORATORY STATION

W. H. Priess to Speak at Smoker in the Near Future.

The Radio Society will hold its next meeting Tuesday, November 18, at 4:00 o'clock in room 10-250, where they will be addressed by Mr. W. H. Priess. Plans for a trip are under way.

The details of the trip to the Tufts laboratory are being arranged with Mr. Powers, and it will be taken up within ten days. As the number of men who can go is limited to 30, those who are interested are advised by the management to watch for the poster that will be put on the bulletin board outside the society's room in building 10 for sign-ups.

Mr. Priess was one of the big radio men in France during the past war. It was he who invented the Priess Loop, a device for locating wireless stations, which was of great help to the Allied armies during the war for locating raiding parties, etc., who had gotten lost in No Man's Land. He will talk on the "Wireless Network in the Battlefields of France."

Every operator of the society is asked to write out suggestions or rules about the operating of the station and to return them in within the next week to C. A. Clarke '21. These suggestions are to be rather short, from one to two pages in length, and are to contain information concerning the running of the station. They will be collected in a pamphlet form and distributed to everyone.

The schedule of the commercial operators to be in charge of the station has been posted. The regular watch will begin Monday night, although informal watches have already been kept and the men have been talking with southern New York state without using the maximum power. The management wishes to announce that a prize will be given at the end of the season to the operator who has done the best work during the year. The exact nature of this prize has not been decided upon as yet.

DISTURBANCE CAUSED BY OUTSIDER

That Technology men were not wholly responsible, and possibly in no way responsible, for the one thing that marred a perfect Tech Night is a certainty according to the following statement which was obtained by a group of Technology men Friday night from a man of another college who had attended the performance.

"I hereby sign this paper under witnesses here assembled to testify that the ungentlemanly conduct, namely throwing fruit upon the stage at the Majestic Theatre on the night of Nov. 7, 1919, was not committed by any Technology man.—Not a Tech Man.

While it has been deemed unwise to disclose the name of the writer of this communication, to the entire student body, the original may be seen at the Tech office, by any member of the Institute Committee.

This is not the first time that men from other institutions have endeavored to disgrace Technology, by meddling in Institute affairs, but plans are being formulated to make it the last.

ANNUAL DINNER GIVEN FIELD DAY CONTESTANTS

Mr. Rockwell '96 Toastmaster—Speakers Include Dean Burton Dr. Rhode '08 and Coach Kanaly—Captains Also Talk

PRAISE WORK OF TEAMS

Dr. J. A. Rockwell '96 opened the evening at the nineteenth annual Field Day dinner last Saturday night with a discussion on punctuality. Both the winners and the losers were given a warm word of welcome by the Dean. He spoke of the closeness of the events, and of the crew race in particular. He explained about the Field Day cup which was presented by Samuel Cabot '70 and which has the numerals of each victorious class engraved upon it. Since 1900, the numerals of the winners of the annual struggle have gone on the cup and there is still space for 52 more spaces. Dr. Rockwell next introduced Dr. Rhode. He emphasized loyalty and continuity of traditions. Coach Kanaly was the next speaker. He consoled the 1923 men by saying that they have a good chance of winning next year, and praised them on their splendid efforts.

The remainder of the speakers were the captains or members of the various teams. The first man to be called was Charles Brokaw '22, captain of the Sophomore football team, who declared that the freshmen put up a fine battle. Dr. Rockwell then presented them with a football. The 1923 football team was represented by their tackle, "Red" Bouis. The Sophomore tug-o-war captain, W. H. James, was the next speaker on the program. He praised his opponents for their gameness and wished them the best of luck for next year. J. W. Poole '22, captain of the Sophomore relay team declared that

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THE ANNUAL FOOTBALL GAME TECHNIQUE VS THE TECH WILL TAKE PLACE WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON ON THE ATHLETIC FIELD AT 4.00 O'CLOCK. ALL MEN IN THE NEWS DEPARTMENT ARE REQUIRED TO BE PRESENT. REPORT TO MR. BURDELL.

SOPHOMORES VICTORS IN ALL FIELD DAY EVENTS

Freshman Crew Loses by Narrow Margin—Tug o' War Nearly Equals Record Set by Class of '19—Relay Race Proves Easy Victory

BOXING BOUTS AFFORD ENTERTAINMENT

Prompted by a spirit of revenge born of their defeat at the hands of the class of 1921 last spring, the Sophomores made a clean sweep of the 19th annual Field Day on Tech Field Friday, defeating the freshmen in crew, relay race, tug-o-war and football, and amassing a total of thirteen points, the greatest number ever scored by any class in a Field Day at Technology. Outside of the crew race, in which the 1923 boat made an unexpectedly fine showing and held the Sophomores to a mere third of a length advantage at the finish, the freshmen were completely outclassed. More than one thousand persons, mostly undergraduates taking advantage of the half holiday granted them by the faculty, lined the river bank to watch the finish of the crew race, the first event of the day, and then flocked over to the field to see the remainder of the program. Other classes have whitewashed their opponents on Field Day but the fact that crew race has only been a scoring event for the last two years held their total number of points below thirteen.

TECH NIGHT SHOW IS WELL ENJOYED BY ALL

With doors opening earlier than usual because of the crowd outside, the Majestic Theatre was filled competely when the curtain rose at eight o'clock last Friday for the Tech Night performance of "Shubert's Gaieties of 1919." Paper caps distributed at the entrance started the entertainment which was kept at full tide through the show by frequent references on the part of the players to work and life at Technology. A ten minute intermission between the acts afforded opportunity for cheering led by K. E. Akers '20, chairman of the Tech Night Committee, and singing led by a quartet of Institute men. The day's excitement was brought to a close when the show ended amid much applause a few minutes after eleven o'clock.

The theatre was appropriately decorated with Institute colors. The rail of the first balcony was draped with the long banner bearing the word "Technology." On the right of it was that of 1920, on the left that of 1921. While the felts of '22 and '23 appeared on the boxes. The Class of '18 was represented by a score or more members who sat in red, white, and blue paper caps in the front rows of the orchestra. Over 1800 caps were distributed among the Technology men who attended, each one receiving a cap bearing his class numeral.

Between the acts subscriptions were taken for the Red Cross. Cheers by the classes of '18, '19, '20, '21, '22, '23 followed. A quartet composed of N. G. Abbott '20, A. L. Johnson '22, F. D. Gage '21, and K. F. Akers, '20 led the singing which occupied the next few minutes. Rubber balloons and paper streamers also presented themselves and the house soon took on a general appearance of hilarity.

Many localisms added to the zest of the play. George Jessel, the star comedian, announced that Scott Wells '20 wanted Norris Abbott '20 on the telephone, to get the key to the Walker, to run a private smoker. Great excitement was caused several times when the gold and blue freshman caps appeared on the stage.

CARPENTERS WORK IN COURT

During the past week carpenters have been at work in the Great Court repairing the wooden structure that adjoins the steps leading from the street into the Institute grounds. By making this of uniform height it is hoped to improve the architectural appearance of the buildings.

The crew race was the most hotly contested of the Field Day events, but the Sophomores managed to pull through to victory. The freshmen got the better start and maintained their advantage for over half the course. The Sophomores lost no distance, however, and rowed a long steady stroke at a lower cadence.

When the distance to the Harvard Bridge was almost covered one of the freshmen lost his form and caught a crab. The recovery was quick, but the Sophomores were slightly in the lead.

The freshmen started their spurt before going under the bridge and slowly gained on their rivals. The 1922 oarsmen raised their stroke after emerging from beneath the bridge and the new crew could only hold its place with difficulty, for the Sophomores swept past the finish line with a third of a length to the good.

The crews were seated as follows:
1922:—1, R. M. Krutzen; 2, H. J. Horne; 3, F. P. Knight; 4, J. C. Molborne; 7; R. W. Hemenway, capt. Stroke, C. W. Bryden; Cox, H. B. Folsbee; Substitute, F. Blanchard; Manager E. W. Vilett.

1923:—1, R. J. Evans; 2, J. L. Brill; captain. 3, H. D. Hackett; 4, L. L. Stewart; 5, B. P. Bullman; 6, G. N. Ross; 7, J. C. Nowell; Stroke, H. Y. Sattilee; Cox, H. S. Reubens.

Sophomores Lead In Relay
The relay race proved an easy victory or the Sophomores. Although the freshmen fought hard to win, they were outclassed by the Sophomores.

Laird '22 and Bruner '23 were the first men to toe the mark and only about two yards separated them when they touched off Christensen '22 and Holden '23. Up to about the fifth man only about four yards separated the teams. When Captain Poole of the Sophomore team broke the tape, he led Captain Bolster of the freshmen team by thirty-seven yards. The official time was 4 min. 58 1-5 seconds.

The line-up was:
1922:—L. B. Laird, E. Christiansen, W. Westcott, B. S. Falk, Y. Chittick, W. T. Kerley, M. M. Sheldon, R. Prescott, G. K. Mathews, W. B. Gurney, A. G. Hayes, J. W. Poole, Captain.

1923:—H. J. Bruner, A. R. Holden, E. D. Demming, F. H. Plaisted, C. F. Harvey, E. W. Hollister, W. N. Webster, G. C. Bradshaw, R. E. Dodd, W. L. West, A. D. Smith, R. P. Bolster, Captain.

The Sophomore tug-o-war team defeated the freshmen in their annual event. The first pull was but 9 1-5 seconds below the record established by

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Convocation Tomorrow 1.30 O'clock in Walker Gym