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IN CHARGE OF THIS ISSUE

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WHO IS MR. SMITH?

WHO is Technology's unknown benefactor? This is a problem of vital interest to every Institute man, and many, no doubt, will welcome the opportunity to give expression to their opinions. The TECH will take a straw vote of its readers to determine this mysterious person's identity in the opinion of the student body. Consider carefully before casting your vote. Perhaps you may be able to solve this baffling mystery.

THE FALL TENNIS TOURNAMENT

IF the fall tennis tournament continues at its present rate of progress, the committee in charge would do well to arrange a trip to Palm Beach or Los Angeles for the finalists, for Boston's climate is not apt to make lawn tennis possible during the month of December.

The manner in which the affair is being conducted is certainly very unsatisfactory to the majority, if not all, of the contestants. An efficient management would have had the tournament finished before the snow started to fall, at the very latest.

WHAT IS THE REMEDY?

WHILE the majority of the undergraduates agree that The Walker Library was a happy thought, and are willing to insure its future by abiding by its laws, there are a few who seem bent upon terminating its existence by gradually depleting the stock upon its shelves. It is a rather poor reflection upon our institution to have that, which has been the source of pleasure to so many, suffer at the hands of a few.

SERVICES FOR STUDENTS TO BE HELD IN ST. PAUL'S CATHEDRAL

A series of services for school and college men and women will be held in St. Paul's Cathedral in the city of Boston, during the school year 1919-20, under the auspices of the St. Paul's Society of Harvard University. While the general public is welcome, the society wishes to point out that these services are arranged especially for the students in the high schools, academies, boarding schools, and colleges in and about Boston. They are primarily student services. It has been felt that there is a need for corporate student worship in Boston, and, with this thought in mind, it is placing this plan before the members of the educational institutions in this community. The idea is somewhat of an experiment; its success or failure lies with the students and instructors, for whom it is designed. The preachers at these services will

be men who are in sympathetic touch with school life and problems. They will be men of national prominence. The first service of the series will be held in St. Paul's Cathedral at four o'clock on the afternoon of Sunday, November 23. Bishop Lawrence of the Diocese of Massachusetts will be the preacher.

GRADUATE'S SON IS CLASS BABY

Frederick Wai Sung Kuo, 2-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Yang-Mo Kuo of 24 Prescott street, Cambridge, has been voted the class baby of the class of 1919 of Radcliffe College, and presented with a silver spoon as evidence of the honor. Mrs. Kuo, who was Miss Wai Tsu New before her marriage, was a member of the graduating class of Radcliffe last June, and her son is the first baby to be born to a member of the class. They were married in November 1918, and Yang-Mo Kuo is at present taking a graduate course in Civil Engineering in the Institute.

Alumni Notes

WARREN '14—BREED

Cards have just been issued announcing the marriage of Miss Edith Sutton Breed, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Herbert Breed of 24 Wave street, Lynn, and Harold Warren '14, son of Mr. and Mrs. George E. Warren of Swampscott, Universalist church of Lynn. Warren studied Mechanical Engineering while at the Institute, and was in overseas service.

BROOKS '19—SAWYER

Lucie Erskine Sawyer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Erskine Sawyer of Holyoke, and Howard Leonard Brooks '19, son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Brooks of Holyoke, were married in the Skinner Memorial Chapel in Holyoke last week. The best man was B. M. Steele '20. The ushers were H. H. Lockey '21, C. G. Ball '22, Stanley Hunting of Worcester Polytech, and Frederick Celce of Dartmouth. Among other Institute men present were R. M. Cook '22, R. L. Bowles '22, L. B. Sanders '22 and T. Riegel '22. Mr. and Mrs. Brooks will settle in Cleveland, Ohio, where Brooks is in business.

BLACK '13—STEVENS

Miriam Stevens, Framingham normal school, class of 1916, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Humphrey Stevens of Arlington, became the bride of William Spence Black, formerly of Arlington, a short time ago.

The bride has been instructor in domestic science in the Watertown high school. The groom is a mining engineer and has extensive professional work in western states for Boston capital. He recently was in charge of development and mining operations in Virginia. He served during the late war in the mapping and interpretation section of the air service as instructor in advanced training at Cornell University. He is a member of the American Institute of Mining Engineers.

It is not known where the bridal couple will make their home, since the groom's business takes him to many parts of the country.

CLAPP '10—NEILL

Announcement is made by Mr. and Mrs. Albert B. Neill of Buffalo, N. Y., of the engagement of their daughter, Elizabeth Baneroff, to Dudley Clapp '10 of Gloucester. Clapp, who is the only son of Mr. and Mrs. John Bouve Clapp of Dorchester, is a graduate of the Institute in Chemical Engineering and served overseas with the gas engineers' service, from which, after a long stay across, he returned with the rank of captain. He is now connected with business interests in Gloucester.

COMMUNICATION

The Editor of THE TECH,
 Dear Sir—The members of the Freshman Tennis Team of 1292 kindly request that you publish the following in the next issue of THE TECH.

We, the members of last year's freshman tennis team feel it our duty to call the attention of the student body to the careless way in which the fall tennis tournament is being conducted.

The tournament began about the middle of October, at which time a notice was posted stating that men would be defaulted if their matches were not played within a certain date. Time passed and a number of men failed to play within the prescribed time. Only a few were defaulted and the notice was removed. About a week later a notice was posted defaulting a few more men in the first and second rounds. Such has been the desultory way in which this tournament has been conducted. In well-managed tournaments the players are allowed a reasonable length of time in which to play their matches and are then defaulted without question if they fail to play. There is no reason why this should not be done at the Institute. Tennis has been such a brilliant success as an Institute activity in the past few years that we feel the present condition to be a disgrace which should not be tolerated.

Very truly yours,
 Hamilton Beattie
 Rvland Beall Scott
 W. Cauldwell
 S. M. Biddell
 Joseph Elliott

PLAY RETURN GAME

Technology's Soccer team will play its second game with the All-Chinese team of Boston on Saturday, November 15 at 2 o'clock at Tech Field. The team has already beaten the Chinese and expects to repeat its victory on Saturday. They defeated the Harvard Freshmen recently, and it is hoped Saturday's game will add to their team's list of victories.

BRIGHT SEASON SEEN IN RESULTS OF MEET

Track Men Make Good Time for the Quarter, Half and Mile Runs in Annual Fall Handicap Track Meet

POOLE AND HAYES EQUAL RECORD

Although running on a wet track, many men made excellent time at the annual fall handicap meet held last Saturday. Coach Kanaly is gratified by the results and is hopeful of turning out some good athletes from those who showed so promisingly. In the first heat of the 100-yard dash Poole led from scratch, breaking the tape after ten and one-fifth seconds. Hayes won the finals in the same event, making the same time. Another good race was the mile, in which Stone, starting from scratch, won in four minutes, forty and four-fifths seconds.

The summary:
 100-yard dash: Won by Hayes; Spitz second; Dipple third. Time 10 1-5 seconds.

220-yard dash: Won by Poole; Smith second; Hamburger, third. Time, 22 4-5 seconds.

440-yard dash: Won by Bardes; Downey, second; Scott, third. Time 53 2-5 seconds.

Half mile run: Won by Hennessey; Bawden, second. Gurney, third. Time 2 minutes 5 4-5 seconds.

Mile run: Won by Stone; Purcell, second; MacMahon, third; Murray, fourth. Time 4 minutes 40 4-5 seconds.

Two mile run: Won by Flanders; Walker, second; Sandman, third; Murray, fourth. Time 10 minutes 20 2-5 seconds.

120-yard hurdles: Won by Skinner. Liecy, second; Merrill, third. Time 18 1-5 seconds.

220-yard hurdles: Won by Skinner; Powers, second; Strieder, third. Time 3 3-5 seconds.

High jump: Won by Gurney (handicap 5 in.); Merrill, second; Fletcher, third.

Broad jump: Won by Matthews, 20 ft. 11 inches; Gurney, second; Marconi, third.

NOVELTY JAZZ ARTISTS MEET TO DISCUSS PLANS FOR YEAR

Playing of Tin Instruments To Be Feature of Band

Although the novelty jazz band has held two meetings to discuss plans for the future, no definite schedule has been arranged. The meetings held on Thursday and Saturday of last week brought out fifteen men and acting manager, M. V. Hamburger '21, outlined tentative plans for the coming season.

The novelty of the band will be in the playing of tin instruments and it is planned to have the band play as an added feature in the Musical Clubb concerts this winter. However, the band does not expect to organize unless a certain measure of success can be expected in the way of acquiring material and novelties.

As yet, no instructor has been secured nor have the days of practice been decided upon, although in all probability practice will be started next week. By the end of the week something definite will be decided upon and the management expects to be thoroughly organized by the first of the year.

This is the first year there has been a novelty jazz band at the Institute.

CROSS COUNTRY TEAM WILL RUN TOMORROW

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'21, H. J. Murray '20, A. L. Flanders '22, and D. F. Carpenter '21.

In the Syracuse meet MacMahon was the first Institute runner to cross the tape, and he also finished first among the Technology runners in the dual meet. Closely following him are the rest of the men, all of them fine runners.

MacMahon is not favored to win individual honors tomorrow, however. First place is expected to go to either Gordon Nightingale of New Hampshire State, who walked away with first place in the Technology dual meet, or Goodwin of Bowdoin, or H. H. Brown of Williams. But Technology is sending a sufficiently well balanced aggregation to come out with team honors. Last year the Institute won second place in the New England run, first place going to New Hampshire State.

A week from tomorrow the Institute men go to Van Cortland Park, New York, to compete in the big I. C. A. A. A. A. meet. That will be the last meet for the harriers this season.

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