

PICK ATHLETES FOR I.C.A.A.A. MEET

All Who Made First or Second Places in Saturday's Games Qualify for Trip to Philadelphia Classic

MEN LEAVE THURSDAY

Coach Frank Kanaly and Manager Bunk Talcott decided after the New England Saturday that those men who placed first or second would be allowed to make the trip to the I. C. A. A. A. meet to be held at Franklin Field, Philadelphia, Friday and Saturday.

Ted Bossert, Jack Poole, Jim Downey, George Dandrow, Fred Raymond and Billy MacMahon will make the trip. Bossert will be entered in the century and probably in the 220. Poole and Downey will run the furlong and MacMahon the two-mile. Dandrow and Raymond are slated to throw the hammer. The I. C. A. A. A. has no discussion throw on its program and consequently Jack Kellar will not be in the party. Pete Ash will also be unable to make the trip.

The athletes will be put through their regular training during the first part of the week and will leave for Philadelphia Thursday, arriving in time for the trials Friday. Finals are to be held on May 29.

SPECIALS NUMEROUS

Last Dorm Dance will have 12 Piece Orchestra

With every second dance a specialty of some kind and with the largest single orchestra that has played in Walker Memorial this year, the committee in charge feels safe in promising that the last of the Dormitory Dances will be the best. Every ticket has been sold, which is an added promise of a big success.

The music for the occasion will be taken care of by a 12-piece orchestra led by Walter Johnson in person. Among the numerous specialty dances will be a "lucky spot dance," in which a prize will be awarded to the couple under or over a selected spot when the music stops. As usual there will be several spot-light dances, and it is expected to have some more prize dances.

The affair will begin at 8 o'clock Saturday and will last until midnight. The patronesses for the evening will be Mrs. Joseph Lipka, Mrs. Frank Aydelotte, and Mrs. R. P. Bigelow. Refreshments will be served in the grill room.

SAYS TECHNOLOGY MEN WERE DECIDING FACTOR IN WAR

General Hedlen Makes Statement to Staff Officer

"According to the statement of an English general, the Germans would have won the war in 1915, if it was not for the help of the Technology men," is the statement of Editor Ruckman, of the war record office. It was General Hedlen of the British Mission, who said to a Technology man, one of his staff, "Please let me shake your hand again, sir, and permit me to say that the company of which you are vice-president is entitled to the credit for saving the British Empire." When questioned further, the editor refused to give any more information on the matter, referring the reporter to the Technologist of which is now being written.

Place New Posters

New posters have appeared in place of those first put up by the office, the latest being pictures that will not be published in the book, due either to faintness of the print or technical difficulties. One of the most interesting is the picture of a tank of the group commanded by an Institute man, who, when the tanks were in difficulties, left the shelter of his own, to advance over open ground to help those stranded. He accomplished his task and was later awarded the Distinguished Service Order for his bravery.

MEN WANTED FOR STAFF

There is an excellent opportunity on THE TECH news staff for freshmen who will be at the Institute this summer. The paper will be published once a week during the vacation months and men who work at this time are in a way to make a good position in the fall. No previous newspaper experience is necessary. Candidates should call at the news office, room 3, Walker, any afternoon between 1 and 6 o'clock and see Ansley Newman, news editor, for information.

COMBINED MUSICAL CLUBS PLAN TOUR FOR NEXT YEAR

Plans for next year are being made by the management of the Combined Musical Clubs. A better balanced club is the aim of those in charge, and to this end they are seeking more specialty acts. The schedule for the year will begin with try-outs the first week of the term, then a series of six concerts during the winter holidays, and a trip either to the South or West at some later time.

It is the wish of the management that all who can play, sing, or do some stunt particularly well will work on their act during the summer, so that it may be ready at the beginning of the year.

Long Trip Will Mark New Season

Special attention is now being paid by the management to the possibility of a long trip during the season either in the West or South. It is believed that it can be arranged through the support which will be forthcoming from the Alumni.

A series of concerts will be held, probably about six in number, during the winter vacation. The reason for this change is that the Faculty has announced that Junior Week will be held next year during the spring recess.

TECHNOLOGY TRACK TEAM PLUNGES IN AND RESCUES VICTORY FROM ELEMENTS

COMBINED SOCIETIES CONCLUDE LECTURES

W. B. Ferguson '04 Will Speak on Production Methods—Mr. H. A. Arthur Will Deal With the Financial Division

EXPECT LARGE ATTENDANCE

William B. Ferguson and Harry A. Arthur will be the speakers at the last talk arranged by the Combined Professional Societies, tomorrow at 8 o'clock. For this talk two subjects have been chosen which, first because of their importance in the industries and second, because there is no time available at the Institute courses for their treatment, ought to appeal to every man at Technology.

Mr. Ferguson who is a Technology graduate in naval architecture with the class of 1904 will speak on production methods. He is an accepted authority on the subject, having only recently addressed the Society of Industrial Engineers at their convention, and is just now preparing a series of articles on industrial management. He will touch on planning, scheduling, standardizing, production records, and graphic methods of production control.

Mr. Arthur, at present treasurer of the American International Shipbuilding Corporation, will tell about the financial division. He will show how this important branch of the corporation is handled, how its functions were anticipated and how the original planning was done. The relationship of the financier to the engineer will also be taken up.

Superior Balance of Institute Outfit is Demonstrated as Brown Goes Down to Defeat In N. E. I. C. A. A. Finals

MEET RUN UNDER RECORD CONDITIONS

The Technology track team came through. They dived into a sea of mud and water on Tech Field Saturday and emerged clutching 33 points and a subsequent victory in the New England Inter-collegiate. Brown finished a close second with 30 markers, while Williams followed with 20 $\frac{3}{4}$. Eleven other institutions figured in the scoring. Boston College was fourth with 16, Bowdoin had 13 $\frac{3}{4}$, Wesleyan 11, Holy Cross 10, Amherst 7, New Hampshire State 6 $\frac{1}{2}$, Tufts 2, and Middlebury, Worcester, Mass. Aggies, and Vermont one point each.

SKETCHES FOR TECH SHOW DUE SATURDAY

Plots Will Be Corrected and Returned to Authors During Summer—Finished Scenarios Due October 15

COMPETITIONS START EARLY

Sketches of scenarios for Tech Show 1921 are to be submitted by their authors to the Tech Show office by Saturday, May 29. These sketches will be looked over, criticized, and suggestions made as to their revision. After all this has been attended to, the sketches will be sent to authors so that they may write a finished manuscript during the summer.

If the men will submit the sketches on standard size paper and type-written, it will facilitate the efforts of the examiners and will result in the returning of the work at an earlier date. For this reason it is advisable that the summer address of each writer be handed in with the sketches. Finished manuscripts are due on October 15 and the name of the author of the accepted scenario will be announced at the Tech Show Smoker on November 19.

Only One Smoker Next Fall

Next fall there will be only one Tech Show Smoker as the All Technology Smoker will take the place of the first one. For this reason, all tryouts for positions on the management will begin immediately after the All Technology Smoker. Positions in all departments are open to competition among the freshmen but the only competition open to all the members of the Sophomore Class is in the business department. The tryouts for positions on the cast are to be started immediately after the Tech Show Smoker in November.

SPIRITUALISTS INVADE CHEMISTRY DEPARTMENT

For the first time since the founding of the chemistry department, spirits, other than the alcoholic type, have been put to practical use in its laboratories. Inspired by the work of Oliver Lodge, a senior in Course X who happens to be a devotee of the "sliding triangle," relieved his overworked brain by asking it for the proper chemical with which to remove the undesired odor from benzol. With trembling legs the ouija triangle spelled out "ANHYDROUS COPPER SULPHATE" and IT WORKED.

Faculty Bans "Weejee"

This startlingly successful experiment should pave the way for many such in the future labors of the Institute. It is reported that the faculty are about to issue orders preventing students from taking their pet ouijas into the final examinations, which undoubtedly will prove a great disappointment to many men. However, next year the ouija will occupy an important place, and students are advised to register early to prevent overcrowding in Professor Lipka's lectures on "the proper manipulation of the most important factor in present technical education."

Probably no other meet has ever been held under similar conditions. It rained sufficiently for the water to be three and four inches deep over all the cinder path; in fact some of the athletes declared they had difficulty in distinguishing the straightaway from the Charles River. This, however, was probably just their little joke, for the officials were on hand to point out the course, and part of the grandstand projected above the surface.

Technology's Friday Showing Poor

Naturally under the adverse conditions no records were broken. Yet the times for several of the events were fast. Particularly was this true of the quarter mile, when Jake Driscoll romped home in 52.25 seconds, and the two-mile run, when Brown of Williams was clocked in 10 minutes and 25 seconds.

After the trials on Friday, chances for the Institute team looked decidedly dubious. The Providence boys qualified 15 entrants for the finals, while only 12 Cardinal and Gray men were able to go along with the field. But the rain must have proved a tonic, for, figuratively, they girded on their water wings, went forth to a damp, slippery battle and grabbed four firsts, three seconds, a

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ELECT CAPTAIN

Sidney M. Biddell '22 Will Pilot Swimming Team

S. M. Biddell '22 was unanimously elected captain of next year's varsity swimming team at the third annual banquet held at Riverbank Court Hotel. C. D. Greene '21 was nominated for this position, but withdrew, leaving Sid the only candidate for the position. The question of securing a coach for next year was discussed. Herb Holmes of Brookline was suggested as a possibility, but it was decided that it would be better to have a man who is good at handling large squads to coach the team. For this reason Alex Sutherland will probably be asked to tutor the team, provided he can devote a reasonable amount of time to the task.

Plan Erection of Pool

It is hoped that by next year the Technology and Harvard swimming teams will be able to have exclusive use of the Y. M. C. A. pool on three days a week. Dr. Rockwell, who was the principal speaker of the evening, stated that the advisory council was

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CALENDAR

- Tuesday, May 25
5.00—Freshman Parade, Drill Ground.
5.00—M. I. T. A. A. Faculty and Alumni Room, Walker.
6.00—Class of 1900 Dinner, Faculty Dining Room, Walker.
6.00—Class of 1918 Dinner, North Hall, Walker.
Wednesday, May 26
8.00—Combined Professional Societies, North Hall, Walker.
Thursday, May 27
6.00—Catholic Club Dinner, North Hall, Walker.
6.45—California Club Dinner, Hotel Napoli.
Friday, May 28
2.00—I. C. A. A. A. A. Trials, Philadelphia.
Saturday, May 29
2.00—I. C. A. A. A. Finals, Philadelphia.
2.00—Stamp Club, Room 2-300.
8.00—Dorm Dance, North Hall, Walker.

NEW DORMITORIES FOR 500 BY 1921 IS LATEST PLAN

New Group To Be Erected in Rear of Walker Memorial—Buildings Will House 70 Men Each and Will Be Up-to-Date in All Respects

COMPLETE SYSTEM WILL ACCOMMODATE 2200

New dormitories to accommodate 500 students will be erected in the rear of Walker Memorial by the fall of 1921, according to a decision reached by the committee on the housing of men at the Institute, when it met recently to discuss the matter. Buildings are planned to furnish lodging for 2,200 men, but it is very doubtful whether all of the work contemplated will be begun at once. Enlargement of the present Walker Memorial was also considered as more dormitories will mean a larger number of men using the recreation center.

With a site in the northeastern corner of the Institute grounds, a number of buildings accommodating about 70 men each will be erected and each separated from the other, contrary to the plan of the present house. The committee stated that no encroachment on the athletic field or baseball diamond would be effected, but the group will be confined to the picked site. An advantage over the present system, a reception room in every house, was incorporated, from the suggestions given by the present dormitory men. For the same reason, running water will be on tap in every room and closets will be installed in the suites, displacing the wardrobes now in use.

The committee will continue its active work, next year, and a campaign for funds is scheduled for solicitation among the Alumni during next year.

CLEOFAN ELECTS OFFICERS

As a result of yesterday's elections the officers for Cleofan for next year will be: Cornelia M. Nelson '21, president; Florence W. Stiles, vice-president; Martha Eisenman '22, secretary; and Marjorie Pierce '22, treasurer.

VOODOO CELEBRATES

Makes Merry at Dinner Given in Riverbank Court

Fond farewell was bid to the retiring board of Voodoo, and the board that is to control its destinies, for good or evil for the coming year, was ushered in at the final dinner of the year given in Riverbank Court. The festivities started at 7 o'clock upon the arrival of about 30 of the male and female aspirants for the favor of Phosphorus.

After the dinner, the toastmaster and retiring editor-in-chief, R. R. Ridgway '20, introduced the speakers of the evening, said orators all being members of the departing and newly elected boards. Each told in turn of the progress that his department had made, or expected to make. Plans were discussed to push the Voodoo to the largest of all the college magazines in circulation. Also, the feasibility of running all issues next year the size of the "Prom Number" of last month was considered.

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