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IN CHARGE OF THIS ISSUE

Ingram Lee.....H. S. Rubens

Monday, December 12, 1921

FIVE-YEAR UNDERGRADUATE COURSES

Every year there is circulated through the student body the rumor that Technology is either to become a graduate school or that the course of study is to be lengthened to five years...

The rumor of a five-year undergraduate course, based on the belief that various departments feel that a student should have one or more terms extra of the courses offered...

Only too well do we take cognizance of the fact that a great mass of the men in Technology today are former students and graduates of other colleges and universities...

The English Department feels that the average engineer needs more of the cultural side of life and the Economics Department cannot but feel that the vital part economics plays in

the business side of engineering must also be considered. We are no longer prone to look upon the engineer as the driver of a locomotive or the drafting room artisan but more as the motive factor controlling the vast domains of transportation and industry.

One of the most prominent men at Technology once said that he had obtained more gratifying results, more real pleasure in the smattering of art he had picked up, than he did in his chosen profession.

If a man has the means and time, he should not hesitate to spend an extra year or so in acquiring the fine arts. Such being the case, it would be better for him to attend some other institution where he will broaden his acquaintances, drink in the characteristics of a new environment...

SOCIABILITY

Do you ever think of the value of sociability from the economic standpoint? Some of us do, no doubt, but most of us look at social contact as a thing of transient worth, and not of permanent value.

The only thing that causes a man to avoid the companionship of other men is self-love. A man that is perfectly developed mentally does not need the association of other men's minds.

Association with our fellows brings about an interchange of ideas where-in our own are modified or amplified, as the case may be, to a degree more closely approaching the truth.

How many of us make an attempt to thoroughly understand human nature? Not many. Yet when you come to think of it, isn't that the most important part of your education?

The sum of human experience tells us that there is one best way to follow and that is know your fellow man by talking to him. Take every interesting individual that you meet and by avoiding the commonplace get his views on life from all possible angles...

The officers of the freshman class will have their picture taken at Notman's tomorrow at 1:15 o'clock. All officers are requested to be present. Men desiring to substitute sports for physical training during the second term must sign up in room 335, Walker, before 12 o'clock, December 13.

secure in your thorough knowledge of them and you will know human nature.

THE TECH takes pleasure in announcing the election of Robert B. Bamford as Sporting Editor, the elections of R. M. Homberg and E. W. Reynolds as Night Editors, and the elections of Bernard Lewis and M. A. MacDuffie to the News Staff.



The Lounger has heard some gossip which originated in the vicinity of the Emma Rogers Room. It is to the effect that the co-eds are anxious to have monkey drill. The information leaked out when four of the Frosh variety of the species petitioned for the use of some gym.

The Lounger lit his pipe last night and settled back to his easy chair to enjoy the Christmas Life. Not that there was anything unusual about reading Life, but on the Christmas page (25) there was an article on paper towels.

The paper towel trouble is well known around this place especially to The Lounger. He has many times grabbed the roll by the hanging end and hauled with all his strength with the mere result of getting half a towel.

The Lounger did locate one which was run by air in the locker room near the super's office. This one was quite nice, only the lights grew rather dim when it was used some times. He finds that it is now located in the medico's office.

NOTICES

FOR UNDERGRADUATES

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AT THE THEATRES

COLONIAL: 8:15. "Tip Top." Fred Stone in his own musical show. Music and dancing better than usual.

PLYMOUTH: 8:20. "The Bad Man." Holbrook Blinn as that humorous bandit Pancho Lopez. Great Show.

HOLLIS: 8:20. "Mr. Pim Passes By." Delightful comedy. Mild English humor at its best.

TREMONT: 8:15. "Only 38." Refreshingly clean show direct from its New York run.

WILBUR: 8:20. "The Nightcap." Melodramatic crime with a touch of farce.

MAJESTIC: 8:00. Shubert vaudeville with Brendell & Burt as headliners.

KEITH'S: 8:00. Usual vaudeville with Juliet and Harold Langdon topping the bill.

SELWYN: "The White Peacock." Mme. Olga Petrova.

SHUBERT: Closed till Dec. 26.

SYMPHONY HALL: Dec. 13, at 8:15. Concert by Harvard Glee Club assisted by Sophie Breslau, Contralto Met. Opera Co. Dec. 15, at 8:15. Vocal recital by Mme. Louise Homer, prima donna Metropolitan Opera Co.

COPLEY: "The Private Secretary." Amusing English comedy played annually by the Jewett Players.

ST. JAMES: "The Acquittal." Intense melodrama and mystery.

FENWAY: "Exit The Vamp." Ethel Clayton. "The Fighter," Conway Tearle.

SIMMONS MUSICAL CLUB DANCE WILL BE FORMAL

It was decided at a meeting of the joint committee last Thursday that the dance and concert to be given in Walker on February 3 by the Simmons Combined Musical Club will be formal. The entertainment is to begin at 8 o'clock and last until 10, when the dancing will commence.

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