

TECHNOLOGY TIES BOSTON COLLEGE

Engineers Come from Behind Scoring Even Break in New England

DEAN TALBOT TALKS TO ALUMNI OF OHIO

Says That too Much Attention
is Paid to Mediocrity
at Institute

NO NEWS OF PRESIDENT

(Special to THE TECH)
CLEVELAND, O., May 18.—Dean H. P. Talbot '85, addressed the Technology Club of Northern Ohio this evening at the University Club. His message had as its purpose the bringing of Institute news to the gathering and to acquaint them with the changes which have been made during the past year in the Institute personnel.

In speaking of a new president for Technology, he stated that as yet there was no news as to whom he might be, and that as far as he knew no definite group has been chosen from which the final selection could be made. He urgently solicited the members of the club present to submit names of men they believe are the ones for the position, saying that suggestions would always be acceptable to the committee which is to make the final choice.

Dean States Real Problems

He paid tribute to the men recently lost to the Institute Faculty and made the reassuring statement that recent acquisitions are doing much to fill the vacancies. When asked if there is to be a policy of limiting the number of students attending the Institute he answered that there were no such plans at present, and that a smaller enrollment is to be looked for next year, due to the large graduating class of 800, and with possibly 600 entering next fall.

In regard to inferences as to the tendency of the Institute to become a graduate school, he said that there was no indication of a leaning in that direction at present, but that the real problem lay "how to do better for better men." He felt that the present system of education tends to pay too much attention to mediocrity, but ought to do more for the man who has it in him to get ahead without such attention, and that there are too many prods and pushes in the system of today.

Told of His Problems As Dean

Among other things, he spoke of the study that is being made by Mr. Everett Morse '85, Treasurer of the Corporation, and Mr. H. S. Ford, Busar, of the cost of education at Technology. In speaking of the Division of Industrial Cooperation and Research he stated that in renewing the existing contracts a more definite basis would be taken so that the field of research for each might be more clearly defined.

He also spoke of some of the numerous problems confronting him as Dean which he classed as a course in "educating the Dean." During his brief stay in Cleveland, Dean Talbot will be the guest of his relative, Newton D. Baker, former Secretary of War.

COLLEGES REPRESENTED BY MANY AT SILVER BAY

The campaign to secure delegates to the Silver Bay conference from the colleges in the east, is progressing well according to a report just received by the T. C. A. Most of the colleges have instituted a fund as has Technology to aid the delegates in procuring transportation and payment of expenses incurred at the conference. In addition to this, the New England Passenger Association of Railroads has announced that delegates will be able to travel on reduced rates. The expense has been reduced to fare-and-a-half for the round trip, which reduction shows the interest that is being taken by large organizations in the conference.

The men who have attended previous conferences are rendering invaluable service to their Christian Associations in the colleges by personally interviewing others and inducing them to join the delegations.

NEW BOARD TAKES OVER VOLUME FIVE

Voo Doo Starts Fifth Year as
One of Largest Publications
in Country

With the issue of the Architect's Number of Voo Doo, Thursday, Volume V officially makes its bow to the public. Plans for next year are already well under way, practically all the material for the first issue being on hand. The freshmen will receive special attention in this number. The new board starts its work in control of one of the largest college publications in the country, the circulation having increased 50 per cent in the



G. F. NESBITT '23
General Manager of Voo Doo

past year to 4400 copies for each addition.

Nesbitt General Manager

The new personnel of Voo Doo consists of the following: G. F. Nesbitt, Jr., '23, is General Manager. He has been with the paper since his freshman year and has held the positions of publicity manager, editor, and managing editor. Nesbitt prepared at John Hopkins University and comes from Washington, D. C. He is a member of Woopgaroo, Pi Delta Epsilon, Colonels, Osiris, and is a Course XV man. J. E. Brackett '23, Business Manager, is a Bostonian from Jamaica Plain. He also has been with Voo Doo since (Continued on Page 3)

NAVAL ARCHITECTS GO TO MARBLEHEAD

Annual Banquet Held Saturday
Evening

Within earshot of their favorite element and overlooking Marblehead Harbor, the Naval Architectural Society banqueted Saturday evening as the climax of the year's activities. The members of the society motored to Marblehead in the afternoon and visited several shipyards in the vicinity before going to the Adams House, where the dinner was served.

Interesting Talk by Shipbuilder Mr. H. E. Gould, General Superintendent of the Fore River Shipyards, as the speaker of the evening, told many yarns of the shipbuilding trade; he emphasized particularly the need of executives who could organize and handle men in the industry. He looked forward to a great change in the methods of shipbuilding organizations in the near future. Professor J. R. Jack, head of the Department of Naval Architecture, was the toastmaster.

PROF. CAVALIER TO ADDRESS STUDENTS

It is a matter of interest to all students who contemplate taking courses of study in foreign universities this summer to know that Professor Jacques Cavalier, Exchange Professor from the University of Toulouse, will meet them in room 10-275 on Tuesday at 5 o'clock. He will discuss the various phases and advantages of study abroad, and answer any questions the students wish to ask him concerning this important step in their academic career.

SENIOR TICKETS GO ON SALE THIS NOON

Blanket Tickets for All Men
on Waiting List to Be
Ready Soon

PICNIC PLANS REVISED

Purchasers of blanket tickets are assured the choice of seats for Pops night when they go on sale this noon from 12 until 1:30 o'clock. Tickets for the Senior picnic, class dinner and tea dance will be available to all men today without restriction and tomorrow Pops tickets will be placed on general sale with the others. Prices on individual tickets are: tea dance, \$1.75; picnic, \$2.50; dinner, \$2.50, and Pops, \$1.50.

All of the 300 blanket tickets placed on sale last week were sold and 20 men entered their names on the waiting list. By making special arrangements it has been possible to fill the orders of these men and they will soon be able to obtain their tickets. Because of the success of the blanket ticket sale no Prom tickets will be obtainable as the Somerset ball room has a capacity of only about 325 couples.

Picnickers to Parade Through Boston

Plans of the picnic committee have been slightly altered to permit a short parade through the business section of the city. The four "Toonerville Trolleys" will stop at Tremont street on their way to the wharf and the Seniors will proceed on foot through Tremont and side streets to Washington where they will embark for the short ride to the boat.

If details can be settled the slide rule which has reposed for many moons on the wall in a Building One class room will be allowed to slip and slide with the hilarious Seniors on their trip to Pemberton.

It is predicted that a few of the more popular instructors will receive a testimonial of the Senior's affection when they are hung in effigy. The committee refuses to confirm a report that engine laboratory instructors are in line for honors.

TECHNOLOGY COURT TEAM TIES WILLIAMS

Amherst Victorious, by 4-2
Score, in First Match
of Week End Trip

N. E. TITLE MATCHES BEGIN

The Technology tennis players lost their match with Amherst on Friday afternoon by a 4-2 score and tied Williams on Saturday, 3-3. Roger Carver was unable to make the trip.

(Special to THE TECH)

WILLIAMSTOWN, May 20.—The Williams tennis team managed to tie the Technology combination this afternoon, by a score of 3-3. Williams won the third and fourth singles and the first doubles matches. Technology coming through in the first and second single and the second doubles.

Prescott, of Williams, who did so well against Sanders, Dartmouth expert who is New England singles champion, last week bowed to Captain Scott in three sets, 6-1, 2-6, 7-5. Tremaine alternately drove and lobbed his way to victory over Ewing, Williams, by the score of 9-7, 7-5. The third and fourth singles went to Williams. Rouse beat Hobbs, 6-3, 6-2, and Cook defeated Tressel, 6-2, 6-2.

In the first doubles match Scott and Tressel did not show up so well at first, but in the second set they led, 4-2. Rouse and Prescott then showed steadier playing and took the set, 6-4. Tremaine and Hobbs added another victim to their long string in the second set. (Continued on Page 4.)

FOUR COLLEGES WITHIN STRIKING DISTANCE OF DEADLOCKED LEADERS IN THRILLING INTERCOLLEGIATES

Captain Yard Chittick and Bob Hershey Race to
First and Third Places over Low Hurdles,
Wiping out Seven Point B. C. Lead

By G. C. Reinhardt

Keeping just a few strides ahead of Brown, Bates, and Williams, but always confining their strictest attention to each other, Technology and Boston College battled to a 24-24 tie for the track and field championship of New England at Worcester, Saturday afternoon. The Maroon and Gold held the lead throughout the meet and the start of the next to the last event, the low hurdles, found the Institute in the ruck by seven points, trailing both Brown and B. C. A wonderful race by Captain Chittick made up five of the necessary points and when Bob Hershey followed Wing of Amherst across the tape in third place the contest was deadlocked, for neither of the leaders had any entrants among those who were still competing in the pole vault. The Bruin team showed considerable strength in the century and broad jump and annexed second honors with a score of 19.

CALIFORNIA CLUB BANQUETS TOMORROW

Prominent Men to Address
Members—Followed by
Business Meeting

The California Club will hold its last banquet of the year tomorrow evening at 6:30 o'clock in the Louis Cafe on Avery Street. Plans are being made to have several prominent speakers address the members of the club. Mr. M. R. Copithorne of the English Department, has definitely promised to give a talk to the men, and it is hoped that Mr. C. W. Pipkin will also be present and give a speech.

In addition to the banquet, there will also be a business meeting. At this meeting officers for the coming year will be elected and there will be a general discussion of the plans for next year's activities.

DR. BUSH TO ADDRESS ELECTRICAL BANQUET

Annual Dinner Will Be Served
In Walker Tomorrow Night

Dr. Vannevar Bush, acting director of the Research Laboratory of the Electrical Engineering Department, will be the principle speaker at the annual banquet of the Electrical Engineering Society. The dinner will be held at 6 o'clock tomorrow evening in the north hall of the Walker Memorial. Dr. Bush's subject has not been announced, but the men in charge promise that it will be of interest to members of Course VI.

In addition to Dr. Bush's talk, entertainment will be provided by two Seniors in the Electrical Courses. F. D. Gage '22, will sing and play a number of instruments, and L. D. Price '22, will play the violin. The names of next year's officers, who were elected a few days ago will be announced in a novel manner at this banquet.

The affair is open not only to Course VI men, but to all students at the Institute. The price of the tickets for members of the society is \$1.25 per plate, and for non-members, \$1.50 per plate.

ARCHITECTURAL SOCIETY HOLDS ANNUAL ELECTION

The Architectural Society held its annual election of officers last Friday. The following men will serve for the coming academic year: president, P. R. Brown '23; vice president, J. W. Beretta '23; secretary, G. W. Burrows '24; treasurer, C. J. Oberwarth '24. Members of the executive committee elected are: J. A. Henderson '23, H. F. Baldwin '22, W. R. Amon '22.

The 36th annual championship meet of the N. E. I. C. A. A. found no one college preeminent and though Technology and Boston College outclassed the rest of the field the margin was so slight that four other teams took most of the time. Twenty-four points each went to the Institute and B. C., Brown rated 19, Bates 18, Williams 17½, and Amherst 16. It was kept competition furnished by these four runners up that kept the issue in doubt until the very end and which, combined with a series of unforeseen breaks made the contest as exciting a one as any in the history of the Association.

Cup's Six Year Stay Here Breaks Record

By retaining possession of the Championship trophy the Institute track men made a new record in the annals of the Association. Never before has the cup been retained by any college for more than five years but now, although forced to share the honor with B. C., Technology is still undefeated and hence retains the trophy another year. And it is safe to say that none of the teams which won for the Institute in the five successive years of victory worked harder for or more fully deserved their laurels than did Captain Chittick's aggregation. More than once success seemed almost impossible but the fighting spirit was there which brought Coach Kanaly's charges through at the finish, if not victorious, at least still undefeated.

Engineers Qualify Seventeen Athletes

In the trials Friday the Engineers qualified 17 men while the best efforts of B. C. got only 12 athletes the right to compete on Saturday. But the Newtonians had individual stars whose point winning abilities were known and the outlook was far from rosy for Technology. The failure of Sheldon, Merrill, Nimick and Boli in their events boded no good for the chances of the Cardinal and Gray. The one hopeful sign was their strength in the distance events, the mile and two mile for which no trials were held and whose entries were not counted in these totals.

The start of the meet Saturday was most discouraging, however. Russ Ambach, the only Beaver who lived through the trials in the high hurdles was eliminated in the semi-finals (Continued on Page 2)

CALENDAR

Monday, May 22
6:30—Alumni Council dinner, Faculty dining room, Walker.
Tuesday, May 23
6:30—E. Society banquet, north hall, Walker.
Wednesday, May 24
8:00—Lowell Institute dance, main hall, Walker.
Thursday, May 25
6:00—Faculty Club meeting, Faculty and Alumni room, Walker.
Friday, May 26
7:30—Hexalpha Society smoker, north hall, Walker.
8:00—Vectors Dance, main hall, Walker.