

TECHNOLOGY RUNNERS AGAIN SPLASH OVER BELMONT COURSE

COACH TRAINS ENGINEERS IN CLAMBERING OVER NEW CROSS COUNTRY BARRIERS

The weather man seems to have a personal grudge against the Engineer harriers for again yesterday when the combined Varsity and freshman squads went to Belmont for the second practice run of the season a cold rain made the going bad just as it did on Saturday. In spite of handicaps the Varsity, in particular, is working hard to get in shape to meet Cornell a week from Saturday.

Harriers Try Hand at Hurdles
Under Coach Kanaly's direction three hurdles of different heights have been put up on Tech Field and Monday the entire squad was instructed in methods of timber topping. The form is rather different from that of Earl Thomson but the purpose is the same; to get over the barriers in the quickest possible time. Only the lowest hurdle can be cleared by a tired harrier running a six mile race. The middle height requires a hand vault while the tallest obstruction simply has to be climbed over.

Barriers in I. C. A. A. Course
The erection of the timbers is due to the fact that the I. C. A. A. A. has permanently incorporated them into the championship run and rumor has it also that Moakley will have a few barriers in the course he has picked for the Cornell-Technology run. The Van Courtland course has four hurdles in the three mile lap and since the race is two laps in length the harriers have to clear eight obstacles before they cross the line. The course at Cornell is only four miles so in all probability will not have more than five or six.

Kanally Picks Team Saturday
A four mile time trial, the results of which will practically decide the line up of the team to meet the Ithacans will be held Saturday and all candidates intending to try out for the team must be ready to be clocked. Coach Kanaly has not yet announced over what course the tryout will be run. Ten men will take the trip to Ithaca and the first seven finishing will count in the score, is an innovation from the usual five men scoring teams of the past but the running of larger teams as a fairer test of a college's real strength is coming into recognition this fall.

Coach Kanaly has long advocated the larger teams. It is through his efforts the annual Harvard-Technology dual race has been run by twelve men and last year by seventeen men from each college so that the adoption of the plan by more coaches and institutions this year is most agreeable to the Engineer leader. Under the new system he says Technology should have a better chance to overcome the handicap of individual stars usually



Gubby Holt



Leo Poor

competing against the Cardinal and Gray. With seven or more men making up the scoring total it will not be so easy for a college possessing one or two crack athletes to drag their team to a win by the efforts of these men alone rather than by the achievements of the team as a whole.

MOAKLEY DIVIDES CORNELL RUNNERS INTO TWO GROUPS

Ithacan Captain Hindered by Sickness—Course to Include Hurdles

CORNELL, Oct. 10.—The Varsity cross country candidates are working out steadily over the longer distances on Schoellkopf track. Coach Moakley held a series of time trials last week, sending the harriers through a six lap race after dividing his men into two squads, captained by Morrison and Gordon. This system of forming two groups was inaugurated last year when the team was divided into the N.P.'s and the R.E.'s led by N. P. and R. E. Brown, and its success in keeping up the interest and competitive spirit throughout practice sessions has resulted in its maintenance this fall.

Loss of Capt. Kirby a Severe Blow

E. B. Kirby '24, captain of the cross country team, has been unable to report in practice so far this season as serious ear trouble has kept him on the sick list. His loss is a severe one to Coach Moakley as veterans are very few in number and though a great many promising candidates are available Captain Kirby is needed to help fill the gaps left by the two Browns, Miske, and Irish in the wonderful aggregation which was built up last year.

Plan Course for Technology Race

Coach Moakley intends to run the Technology-Cornell cross country race on the twenty-first over a four mile route of almost flat going. Several hurdles of varying height will be incorporated in the course which will also include a fair percentage of road running as well. In laying out the course Coach Moakley will try to copy the type of the one at Van Courtland Park over which the I. C. A. A. A. Championships are run.

The Varsity candidates have been assigned to squads No. 1 and 2. Those men who have been placed in squad No. 1 are as follows: Bernart, Bonsal, Brockbauer, Bullen, Burnham, Corwith, Emerson, Glick, Gordon, Kirby, Kreisel, Le Cluse, Leussler, Marchand, Morrison, Rauch, Slockbower, Smith and Vandevort. Squad No. 2 consists of Harrington, Jenks, Overshine, Pozefsky, Pytherch, Spahn, Wilkin and Williams.

Soccer Coach Needs More Frosh Players

Coach Atahualpa has issued another call for soccer candidates, freshmen being the particular object of his attention. The varsity eleven has a large number of hard working candidates, many of whom are veterans of last year's team, but the yearling team is badly in need of new material. The candidates who have come out so far are progressing well, but it is imperative that a large squad practice consistently if a winning team is to be lined up. Freshmen coming out for soccer are excused from the routine of physical training, and are also getting intensive training in the only fall varsity sport, with the exception of cross country, which is recognized at the Institute. Attendance is to be taken strictly, and Coach Atahualpa is emphasizing the importance of keeping a clear record in this respect. Due to the many demands for space on the athletic field, a schedule has been made out, giving each man a specified time for training, and in order to keep the system moving, no absences can be allowed.

Enrollment is still open to freshmen, and candidates are asked to fill out schedule and eligibility cards, and to report at once.

Chinese Soccer Team to Open at Andover

The Chinese student soccer team, recently organized, brought about 20 men out to the first practice session held on Tech Field in last Saturday's rain and drizzle. Manager H. V. Tsui '22, has made arrangements for a large schedule, the first game of which will be played at Andover Academy this coming Saturday.

Y. W. Liu, former captain of the Championship Team of China, has been elected captain of the student team here, and expects to develop a fast aggregation with the assistance of such players as H. Y. Tsui, a veteran of the Institute team and of the North China Intercollegiate Team, Arthur Sun, captain of last year's frosh team, and also a large number of men who have gained fame and experience at other institutions in the United States and China.

Downpour Continues to Keep Class Football Warriors Idle

The freshman and Sophomore gridiron warriors drew another day of rest when old Jupe Pluvius got on the job and soaked the field with a drenching rain. This untimely downpour will cost the frosh team some stiff workouts on the succeeding days of this week as their first contest is carded for Saturday. The freshmen are under the additional handicap that they have not worked together before. The men are in the hands of capable coaches and in view of this fact it is not thought the shortened workouts will hamper their chances in the Saturday game.

The Sophomores naturally have the best of the argument as most of their material played on the frosh team last

year and consequently are far more advanced than the yearlings. This with five workouts to their credit this fall would point to the verification of the hope that the Sophomores will have a smoothly running machine by the end of the week.

Saturday of this week the Sophomore eleven will match formations against the Brown University second team, and since the game will take place on the Institute field, the team will be looking for the support of the school for their first game. The frosh go to Medford Hills Saturday for a game with the Tufts '26 team at the Tufts Oval, and are expecting to get in some intensive preparation before that.

All practice sessions begin promptly at 4 o'clock on Tech Field.

Eight Freshman Crews among 100 Class Rowing Candidates

Although the moist weather has put a considerable damper on the football, track, and tug of war squads, it has not noticeably affected the large numbers of men turning out for crew. Over a hundred oarsmen are reporting daily up the river, the frosh turning out about seven or eight crews, and the upperclassmen about two crews apiece.

Professor F. S. Dellenbaugh, who has had charge of the yearling men, has had his hands full in looking after the large turnouts, but is enthusiastic over the manner in which the frosh have answered to the call to show their class spirit before Field Day. The larger part of the men are green to the rowing game, but Head Coach Stevens is looking for fast development, and expects to be able to pluck some good material out of the aggregation before long.

Frosh Need More Coxswains

While the turnout of frosh has been encouraging, the lack of candidates for coxswain has been noticeable, and excellent opportunities still are open for the position. Freshman assistant managers are also needed, and candidates are asked to report to Manager Hungerford at the boat house any afternoon after 4 o'clock.

The crews have been treated to only light workouts thus far, the principal aim being to get the men acquainted with the shells and to harden them in gradually. The stroke being taught is not greatly different from that used last year. The work has been very much improved by the return of the launch Wolf, owned by Mr. H. A. Morss '93, which arrived too late to be of great assistance last season.

The Soph crew is fortunate in having practically the whole of last year's aggregation to start with, but the Juniors are up against the job of filling the places of Ed Thomas and Azel Ames, both of whom are missing from the boat this year. Ed Dunlaevy is not certain as to whether or not he will be able to stay with the crew, and he will be greatly missed if he decides against it. Dick Eaton, Greatwood, this year's Varsity captain, Homer Davis, Rousseau, Don Murdock, and Reid, last year's cox, are all back again, and the presence of Rock Hereford is expected to add a good deal of strength.

The Senior crew, possessing as it does five Varsity veterans, seems to have the edge on the other classes. Don Sayre, Valentine, Joe Nowell, Brill, and Bobby Kean are all used to the work and to pulling together, and have unearthed several other possible stars, including Richards, Thomas, P. C. Smith, and a few more. Thus, while '23 cannot come up to the other classes in force of numbers out for the sport, they nevertheless should have an excellent chance to come out on top in the class pull.

The idea of having the frosh tug-of-war team pull the pole all the way out of the ground seems to be gaining favor as a means of encouraging the yearlings on the first day. One wonders if Mike Hoar didn't get orders to 'loosen 'er up a bit before the frosh come out."

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Field Day Tug of War Outfits Take Kinks Out of Rope

The freshman and Sophomore candidates for tug-of-war began serious practice Monday afternoon on the athletic field. Both teams started in with hard work and this will be kept up till the last day. More candidates are needed for the teams. Real work can be done only when at least 50 men are out for each team. This means that the Sophs need about 15 more men, and the frosh must have 35 huskies. In the future the men will show up in old clothes for practice.

The Sophs have a large number of last year's men on hand, and a few new faces also turned up. Captain Drew was with his crew and after a short talk with the men, 20 minutes were spent in working. Coach Art Davenport put the men through some strenuous setting up exercises and on Wednesday the Sophs will start drill with the rope. Manager Eddie Kussmaul wants to see all last year's men back with some other new men.

The frosh got the jump on their opponents by using the rope the first night. Lefty Walker and his assistants showed them the fundamentals of the game. The yearlings were quick to learn and after leaning on the rope twice pulled the pole clean out of the ground. Walker now will have to have more men so that two teams can be picked. Several candidates are wanted for manager of the frosh squad and the management wants to state that the manager receives his numerals on Field Day the same as the men on the team. Practice will be held every evening at 5 o'clock.

Candidates are wanted by both the Sophs and frosh for coxswains. A good coxswain is as necessary as the other men and anyone having good qualities in this line should report