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**THEIR LAST**

ONCE more five weeks of the term have rolled by, and once again the Seniors will forget their trials and tribulations, their reports and theses, and will banish care and sorrow for the beckoning call of Terpsichore.

The Senior Formal Dance will be held in Walker Memorial on November 16, in continuance of the policy inaugurated by the Class of 1923 of giving one dance during each of its four years at the Institute. The music and decorative scheme will be of Prom quality; supper will be served in the balconies. Everything, in short, that makes an affair of this sort enjoyable and pleasing, will be in evidence.

Distinctive in its features, this will be the last social function of the graduating class until Senior Week. The dance is for Seniors and Seniors only, hence it remains for the Class of 1923 to make the most of its opportunity for enjoyment. With the committee in charge, we hope that when the tickets go on sale tomorrow, they should all be sold while the grains in the lower part of Father Time's hour class can still be counted.

**FIELD DAY**

FIELD Day glories may fade, but to the winning class the victory will linger as a source of satisfaction not only in the defeat of their opponents but in the knowledge that their numerals shall not be among the missing on the Field Day cup. To the defeated teams there is extended the appreciation merited by a good loser as well as the hope of retrieval in next year's contest between '26 and '27.

It must also be said that whether in the ranks of victory or defeat, the supporters of the contesting teams vied with one another in the enthusiasm they displayed. Let us hope that this spirit evinced so strongly in the heat of competition shall show itself in the future activities of the classes.

**UPPERCLASS ATHLETICS**

THE interest shown in the extension of the class crews to the Junior and Senior classes is proof of the success of the policy of Athletics for All. Many men who wish to remain in athletics after their second year, are unable to make the varsity squads, and can take part in sports only when their classes are represented by teams. In basketball, unless a man is of varsity calibre he must drop out of the sport after his freshman year. The additional gymnasium facilities resulting from the use of the hangar would facilitate the establishment of basketball squads in the upper classes. Annual interclass tournaments in all the sports would provide healthful recreation and a keener class spirit which would do much to boost Technology. A start has been made in crew. Let the policy be extended to all branches of sport.

**ENGINEER UNIT STUDENTS HOLD SMOKER TOMORROW**

The Engineer Unit Association will hold a smoker tomorrow night in the north hall of Walker. The purpose is to elect officers and to vote on forming a Technology student chapter of the American Society of Engineers. This society is an organization of officers in the Corps of Engineers and also in the Reserve Corps.

As the meeting is intended to be also a social affair a variety of entertainment is offered. There will be music by the Engineer Symphony Orchestra, and by the Agony Quartet, which has been reduced to a trio for the occasion. The Pathetic Weekly, a collection of timely topics by architectural students, will be shown.

**WEDNESDAY SET FOR MUSIC AND LYRIC WRITERS SMOKER**

Tech Show 1923 will hold its Music and Lyric Writers' Smoker in the east lounge of Walker Memorial Wednesday at 8 o'clock. This smoker is intended for all men who are interested in writing music and lyrics for this year's Show. It does not include men who intend to try out for the cast, ballet, or chorus.

Frank Gage '22, who has written a great deal of music and lyrics for past shows, will be the main speaker of the evening, and will explain the matter to those who are interested. The management states that it is important for all those who expect to do any writing for the Show to be present.

**CORPORATION XV TO HEAR ADDRESS ON HIGH PRICES**

**I. S. Paull Speaks at Smoker Tomorrow in Walker**

Professor D. R. Dewey, head of the Department of Economics at the Institute, and I. S. Paull, Secretary of the Congressional Joint Commission on Agricultural Inquiry, will be the speakers at a smoker given by Corporation XV in the main hall of Walker tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock.

The commission of which Mr. Paull is secretary originated about 18 months ago out of the demand of the farm bloc for an investigation of the large difference in prices paid by the consumer and those secured by the farmers. Mr. Paull's address will be the same as that delivered recently before the Massachusetts Retail Merchant's Association, in which he discusses by the aid of charts the information obtained by the commission.

**LUNCHEON OF FACULTY CLUB SET FOR TOMORROW**

**Dr. E. P. Mathewson to Speak on Education**

Dr. E. P. Mathewson will be the speaker at the first luncheon meeting of the Faculty Club, which will be held tomorrow, in north hall, Walker Memorial, at 12 o'clock. The subject of Dr. Mathewson's talk will be "Hints to technical educators from my experience with recent graduates." Dr. Mathewson is unusually well fitted to talk on this subject, as he is general manager of the Anaconda Copper Company and the British American Nickel Corporation, besides being connected with several other large concerns.

There will be a second Faculty Club luncheon the following week. A talk on the Near East will be given at this meeting.

**HORACE T. CAHILL TO ADDRESS SPEAKERS CLUB**

Mr. Horace T. Cahill, a practicing attorney and lawyer of Boston, will address the Speakers Club at their meeting next Thursday at 5 o'clock in the Faculty and Alumni room. His subject will be "Public Speaking as a Requirement for Successful Engineers." President Billings will introduce the speaker and, if time permits, will present the subject, "Giving Credit to Activities in Granting a Degree" which will be discussed according to the usual custom of the club. The President urges all members to attend this important meeting.

**NOTICES**

**FOR UNDERGRADUATES**

The Night Editor in charge of the next issue of THE TECH is G. F. Ashworth '24, telephone Win. 609-J. All matters concerning the issue should be referred to him.

Men making pledges during recitation and laboratory periods in the Technology Christian Association's financial campaign are asked to pay same this week, if possible, at the T. C. A. office.

The meeting of Stylus scheduled for today at 5 o'clock in THE TECH news room has been postponed until tomorrow at 5 o'clock in the same place.

There will be a rehearsal of Tech Show Orchestra today in the north hall of Walker Memorial at 5 o'clock.

**T. C. A. ARRANGES FOREIGN STUDENT MEETING TUESDAY**

The Foreign Student Department of the Technology Christian Association has arranged for six members of the Committee on Friendly Relations Among Foreign Students to talk at a meeting of the foreign students at Technology on Wednesday at 5 o'clock in north hall of Walker. Letters of invitation from H. O. Tappan '23, head of the department, have been sent to 241 students.

The speakers are: Mr. C. D. Hurrey, Mr. Elmer Yelton, Mr. P. V. Shaw, Dr. Y. Y. Tsu, Mr. H. Kawshiwagi, and Mr. A. R. Wires '19. Mr. Hurrey is an American who is at present General Secretary of the World's Student Federation having headquarters at Geneva, Switzerland. Mr. Yelton and Mr. Shaw are also Americans, the latter having spent several years in South America with Latin American Students. Dr. Tsu is from China, Mr. Kawshiwagi is from Japan, and Mr. Wires is a Russian, a graduate of Technology in the Class of 1919.

As the finance campaign of the Association has closed, the Treasurer, J. J. Parsons '24, is sending letters of thanks to all the groups who contributed in the drive.

Within a few hours of the end of the finance campaign it was announced that the quota set had been reached, but the final figure of \$2226.58 in cash and pledges was not announced till Saturday.

The following table shows the results of the work of each group in the finance drive:

Sources	Cash Pledged
Book Exchange	\$ 13.40
Cabinet	95.00
Dormitories	133.00
Fraternities	419.25
Free Lances	277.70
Freshman Section Leaders	119.00
Lobby	174.21
Miscellaneous	109.03
Speakers' Club	341.24
Tea Dance	101.00
Totals	\$1782.83
Grand Total	\$443.75
	\$2226.58

**AT THE THEATRES**

**BOSTON OPERA HOUSE:** San Carlo Co. Mon., "Aida." Tues., "Rigoletto."

**PLYMOUTH:** "Field of Ermine." A problematic romantic comedy with Nance O'Neil.

**FINE ARTS THEATRE:** "The Beggar's Opera." A new company direct from London.

**SHUBERT:** "Make It Snappy." Eddie Cantor in a real peppy revue.

**WILBUR:** "The Bat." A mystery play with many thrills.

**SELWYN:** "Shuffle Along." Jazzland with Jazz as the national anthem.

**TREMONT:** "Little Nellie Kelly." Musical play. A favorite.

**HOLLIS:** "The Czarina." Doris Keane at her best.

**ST. JAMES:** "Seventeen." An old favorite.

**SYMPHONY HALL:** Nov. 10. John McCormack in an evening of songs.

**COLONIAL:** "The Music Box." One of the hits of the town.

**FENWAY:** "Remembrance," by Rupert Hughes, and the "Splendid Lie."

**M. I. T. OUTING CLUB ELECTS NEW MEMBERS**

The officers of the M. I. T. Outing Club report a large turnout at the meeting for new members held in the Faculty and Alumni room, Walker Memorial, last Wednesday. There will be a business meeting of the club in the same place next Wednesday, at 5 o'clock. Election of permanent officers will be held.

**ORGANIZE TAU BETA PI CHAPTER AT INSTITUTE**

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Juniors in the spring. Engineers who have attained distinction may be elected as honorary members and instructors and professors as graduate or honorary members.

The object of the fraternity, as stated in its constitution, is "to mark in a fitting manner those who have conferred honor upon their Alma Mater by a high grade of scholarship as undergraduates or by their attainments as alumni and to foster a spirit of liberal culture in the engineering schools of America." The organization aims to benefit the schools at which chapters are located and to this end members are encouraged to participate in all phases of undergraduate activities.

Maclaurin a Former Member

There were thirty members elected to the Institute chapter last night but due to graduates, thirteen undergraduate members, all Seniors, remain. These are D. A. Yount, presi-

dent, A. K. Whitaker, secretary, A. A. Kenney, treasurer, R. H. Frazier, corresponding secretary, H. E. Koch, C. J. Koch, V. M. Hare, J. E. Burchard, J. A. Stratton, G. T. Gilman, H. C. L. Miller, Jr. Among the more prominent men connected with the Institute who are members of the fraternity are: Dr. S. W. Stratton, Professors W. S. Franklin, D. C. Jackson, and Edward Mueller. Ex-President R. C. Maclaurin was also a member.

**SOPHOMORES BLOCK RUSH HOUR TRAFFIC**

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"Here they come!" arose. All Sophomores in the vicinity adjourned to the bridge, to witness their crew go by with a safe lead. At this point, Izzy Bell appeared on the scene. After some hesitation, the men present lined up, with the Senior Band in the lead, Izzy's Guard of Honor, and Izzy herself next, and the class in the rear. They marched to the stands, followed by the supporters of 1926.

On arrival at the field, it was discovered that a 1925 banner was draped on the wall of the Riverside Boiler Works, while a 1926 one was fastened to the fire escape on the back of the Carr Fastener Co. They remained unmolested for a while. A number of freshmen made valiant attempts to fly their colors from the roof adjacent to the boiler works. A spirited encounter took place, in which the freshmen were finally defeated. During and after this argument, the first year men made several trys at the 1925 flag on the boiler works. It was torn by means of a hook operated from the window below. It was replaced and again destroyed. A number of paper ones were put up, each undergoing trial by fire. They burned. This series lasted nearly all the afternoon.

Finally a number of Sophomores plucked up courage enough to face the gang which was guarding the 1926 banner on the fire escape. They were finally victorious, the cardboard being dropped to the street where it was made way with by the second year men. To the surprise of everyone, no one was killed in this fight. Another battle, long and hot, was waged behind the hanger, with no one winning.

After the football game, the second year men lined up and started a snake dance around the field, progressing from there to the Harvard Bridge. They made their way leisurely across the bridge, very effectively blocking all traffic for half an hour. The line was finally broken by a mounted policeman, who charged it bravely, without regard for his own safety. It reformed, and advanced along Massachusetts Avenue, but now holding to one side of the street, permitting part of the rush hour traffic to get by. The procession turned down Commonwealth Avenue and dignifiedly made its way to Arlington Street, where it turned over to Boylston Street and the Rogers Building. There the men assembled on the steps, gave a few yells and disbanded. Thus ended the afternoon.

At about 7:30 o'clock the crowd began to gather in the lobby of the Shubert Theatre. Most of the men had arrived by the time the curtain rose, shortly after 8 o'clock. The performance looked good, but nothing could be heard. As soon as the show was over, a second snake dance was organized. This one made its way to Boylston Street, and up that street to the Lenox Hotel. A number of the men went into the Grill Room, and had a late supper. The remainder made merry on the surrounding streets. Towards the end, the crowd became rather noisy, and the Boston Police force felt called upon to take several of them into custody. It is rumored that during the night these guests of the city were served light refreshments consisting of Neapolitan Ice Cream and crab meat sandwiches.

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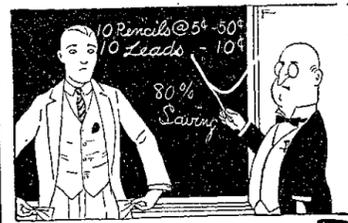
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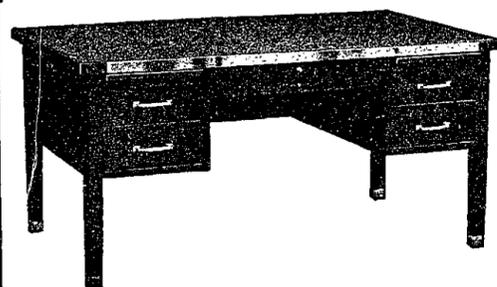
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