

## RED CROSS DRIVES FOR MEMBERSHIP

Canvass to Be Made in Main  
Lobby on Tuesday and  
Wednesday

### DORMS SOLICITED MONDAY

A Red Cross drive will be held under the auspices of the Intramural Committee starting Monday and lasting through Wednesday evening. On Monday the dormitories and fraternities will be canvassed by a committee comprised entirely of Seniors, while starting Tuesday morning the school at large will be canvassed in the corridors and the main lobby.

The committee which is in active charge of the campaign consists of E. S. Bates '24, F. R. Shaw '24, C. A. Frank, Jr., '24, L. P. Marsh '24, H. R. Greatwood '24, D. H. Keck '24, C. M. Phelps '24, A. M. Gault '24, T. F. Bundy '24, E. P. Dunleavy '24, and J. R. Trench '24, and P. H. Carrier '25. All contributions to this campaign will be turned over to the American Red Cross.

It is the desire of the committee in charge to make this campaign even more successful than the recent T. C. A. canvass. They hope that the student body will remember the fine work done by the American Red Cross in the recent Near East trouble.

### TAU BETA PI ADDRESSED BY PROFESSOR JACKSON

New Members to Be Elected at  
Next Meeting

Professor D. C. Jackson was the speaker at a meeting of Tau Beta Pi in the Faculty dining room of Walker last Wednesday evening. Professor Jackson, who is the head of the electrical engineering department and a graduate member of the fraternity, gave a short talk after the dinner.

After Professor Jackson's talk, action was taken on petitions to organize chapters of the fraternity at other universities. The men also discussed the qualifications of those eligible to become new members. These latter will be elected at the next meeting which will be within the next two or three weeks.

### NEW APPOINTMENT MADE TO JUNIOR COMMITTEE

At the last meeting of the class officers of the Class of 1924, Gilbert Cowan '24, was appointed to the Executive Committee to take the place of R. J. Hockstetter '24, who has left the Institute. At the same time George Parker '24, was appointed to the Committee in charge of the coming Junior dance. Cowan who was next on the list in the elections of last year was automatically appointed.

### TECHNIQUE 1924 WANTS INFORMAL PHOTOGRAPHS

Snapshots Submitted Returned If  
Requested

Another call for informal photographs for Technique 1924 has been issued by the photographic editor. These snapshots should be sent to the Technique office, room 308, Walker Memorial.

The pictures may be either single or group photographs. The following data is required on the back of each photograph sent in:—first, the class of the person or group in the photograph; and second, the name or nickname of the person, together with a group title, if the photograph is of more than three people. Those wishing their pictures returned must request this when the pictures are offered.

According to the management of the Technique 1924 photographic competition, which is still open, needs more men. They especially want Sophomores.

### NOTICE TO SENIORS

November 15 is the last day Seniors can have their pictures taken for Technique 1924. Only a few minutes are needed to make an appointment at the Technique office, room 308, Walker, and the taking of the picture also requires only a short time.

## 1926 NOMINATIONS CLOSE MONDAY NOON

Elections to Take Place on  
Thursday, November  
Eighteenth

### NOT ENOUGH MEN NAMED

Most of the freshmen class seems to have forgotten the notice printed in THE TECH of Friday, November 3, with regard to the fact that nominations for class officers must be in at room 10-100 before Monday, November 13, at 1 o'clock.

The officers to be elected are President, Vice-President, Secretary, Treasurer, two members of the Executive Committee at large and two Delegates to the Institute Committee. The elections for these officers will be held on Thursday, November 16, at a time and place to be announced later.

These nominations must be turned in on a certain form, a replica of which is in the T. C. A. handbook. It must bear the signatures of ten members of the class and that of the nominee.

### MOVIES ON MANUFACTURE OF WROUGHT IRON TODAY

Motion pictures on "The Manufacture of Wrought Iron" may be seen this morning between ten and eleven o'clock in room 5-330. These reels, which are loaned through the courtesy of the Reading Iron Co., are being shown under the auspices of the Division of Metallurgy, Department of Mining, Metallurgy, and Geology of the Institute. The sponsors say, "All those interested are cordially invited to be present."

### AERONAUTICAL SOCIETY WILL MEET WEDNESDAY

The Aeronautical Engineering Society will hold a smoker next Wednesday evening in room 5-330 at 7:30 o'clock.

The meeting will not be limited to members of the society, but will be open to all students, and the committee hopes that there will be a large attendance, as an interesting program has been arranged. Moving pictures of the Technology glider in action in France will be shown. O. C. Koppen '23, and H. C. Karcher '25, two of the three Institute men who flew the glider last summer, will speak. Some of the activities of the society for the coming year will be outlined.

Professor E. P. Warner '17, of the Aeronautical Department, who has made a thorough study of aviation abroad during the past summer, will speak of the subject of aeronautical developments in Europe, and his experiences while travelling there. Photographs taken by Professor Warner at the gliding contest in France will be on sale at the meeting.

### ORDER ANNOUNCED FOR TONIGHT'S DORM DANCE

Musical Clubs' 10 Piece Jazz Band  
to Play

Twelve dances are listed on the program for tonight's Dorm Dance, with an intermission following the sixth. The eleventh dance is called a "Review Request" and the number played for that dance will be a repetition of the piece which proved most popular during the evening.

The order of dances is as follows: 1. Send Back My Honey Man, 2. Soothing Georgetown, 3. Why Should I Cry Over You, 4. My Rambler Rose, 5. Tomorrow, 6. Homesick, 7. Nobody Lied, 8. Blue, 9. Hot Lips, 10. Neath the South Sea Moon, 11. Review Requests, 12. Are You Playing Fair.

Refreshments Will Be Served  
The music will be furnished by the Musical Clubs' 10 piece Jazz Band. Several novelties are promised by the committee. Although the tickets are selling very rapidly, there are still some left. These may be obtained only from the committee, which is composed of the following men: E. H. Miller '23, chairman, R. T. Lassiter '24, H. M. Tracy '24, M. L. Ilfeld '24.

The patronesses for the occasion are: Mrs. L. M. Passano, Mrs. R. T. Pendleton, and Mrs. J. R. Jack. Refreshments will be served from tables in the main hall during the intermission. Five men from the dormitories will act as ushers. They are: F. D. Ahern '23, A. D. Carothers '25, A. L. French '26, K. A. Kinch '23, J. S. Pi-land '24.

## NOVEMBER VOO DOO OUT MIDDLE OF NEXT WEEK

The Thanksgiving issue of the Voo Doo will probably be put on sale Wednesday or Thursday of next week. The cover design for this issue is very appropriate being in red and black. When this number is put on sale next week a subscription campaign will be started in the main lobby where a booth will be set up. The Voo Doo is offering the remaining seven numbers as an outside subscription for one dollar and a half.

The Girls' Number is making good progress. Many cover designs have been received from Wellesley, Vassar, Smith and the University of Maryland. A great deal of art material has also been sent in but hardly any of the literary work has as yet been received.

### NO MEMBERSHIP DRIVE FOR T. C. A. THIS YEAR

Contrary to the original plans of the Technology Christian Association there will be no official membership campaign organized this year. In former years both a finance campaign and a membership drive have been held, or worked into a single canvass, but the Cabinet has decided that this year no drive for members will be made.

However, any student who wishes may become a member by signing up at the Association office; there is no charge for membership. Regarding membership, the Handbook reads as follows: "All students and members of the Institute who are in sympathy with the objects of the Association and wish to co-operate in promoting them are eligible for membership."

### MECHANICALS TO GIVE THERMITE EXHIBITION

American Welding Society Will  
Co-operate

An exhibition of thermite welding is to take place in room 5-330 next Friday at 8 o'clock. It is being held under the auspices of the Mechanical Engineering Society and the Boston Section of the American Welding Society.

This meeting is being held for the purpose of stimulating interest among engineers of this section in welding and its latest developments. A man will come from New York to demonstrate the process. Prominent speakers, as well as movies and music, will form a part of the program.

## SENIORS HAVE FINAL CHANCE TO GET TICKETS

Remainder Go on Limited Sale  
in Main Lobby Today,  
Committee Says

The Committee in charge of the Senior Hop scheduled for Thursday, November 16, announces that there are still some tickets available to upperclassmen for the party. After the sale last Wednesday, there were still enough tickets left so that it was worth while giving those Seniors who had not already obtained theirs a chance to do so at once, and so the tickets are to be placed on sale again today at noon, in the main lobby.

The music for the occasion will be Bert Loew's Prom Orchestra, which played for the Junior Promenade last year. Tables for supper may be reserved at the time the tickets are bought. The supper is to be served on the balconies and in the north hall dining room and the Faculty dining room. Special decorations are being prepared which the committee expects will eclipse anything before attempted along these lines.

Announce List of Matrons  
The names of the matrons for the dance have been announced by the committee. They are: Mrs. R. C. MacLaurin, Mrs. Walter Massey, Mrs. H. P. Talbot and Mrs. H. G. Pearson. The Senior Hop Committee is composed of Denton Massey '23, E. A. Adams '23, H. C. Barrett '23, F. A. Kinch '23, and Hall Kirkham '23.

### PLANS ARE FINISHED TO WATCH MAJESTIC DOCKED

Plans have been completed by the Naval Architecture Society for the viewing of the dry-docking of the White Star liner, the Majestic, in South Boston, November 16, at 8 o'clock in the morning. The dock here is the only one on the Atlantic seaboard capable of holding this vessel, which is the very latest in steamships. Practically all the members of the society are expecting to attend.

## AUTHOR OF THIS YEAR'S TECH SHOW ANNOUNCED AT SMOKER

"The Sun Temple" by Thomas Boeke '24 Is  
Selected for Production in New York,  
Northampton, and Boston

### NO CHARACTER CONNECTED WITH INSTITUTE

At the Music and Lyric Writers' smoker held Wednesday evening in Walker Memorial, Tech Show announced that Thomas Boeke '24, is the author of this year's production. The name of the book is "The Sun Temple."

The author, who is a member of Course VI, comes from Hubbard, Iowa. He prepared for college at the High School there. While in high school, he was a member of the board of editors of the year book. He entered the Institute in his Sophomore year. He is a member of the Electrical Engineering Society, though he has not gone out for other activities to any great extent while here.



THOMAS BOEKE '24  
Author of "The Sun Temple"

### T. E. N. WANTS BACK 50 NOVEMBER ISSUE COPIES

Banquet at Boston University Club  
December 6

The Tech Engineering News has oversold in its November issue. Now, for office use and in order to fill some contracts, the management desires to purchase back some 50 or more copies at 15 cents per copy.

A T. E. N. banquet is planned to take place on December 6, at the Boston University Club. All members of the staff and all candidates are invited to partake of the meal without charge. Certain members of the Corporation, whose names will be announced later, will be present. Some faculty men and the heads of some of the activities are also to be included among the guests.

### LECTURES BEING HELD ON DEMOCRATIC THEORY

Schedule Includes Many Noted  
Men for Speakers

A series of lectures in connection with the second-year course in English and History (E H 21) is being given at the Institute. The general theme of all the lectures is the "Interpretations of Democratic Theory." During the past two weeks two of the lectures have been held. The next lecture comes today and tomorrow, and will be on the subject "Democratic Theory and Religion." This lecture will be delivered by the Reverend W. L. Sperry, Dean of Harvard Theological School. The lectures on Friday are in 5-330 at 12 o'clock; on Saturday in 5-330 at 10 o'clock and in 2-330 at 12 o'clock.

The following schedule is in order: November 17 and 18, Andrew J. Peters, Ex-Mayor of Boston, "Democratic Theory and Municipal Government." November 24 and 25, F. L. Hoffman, Dean of Advanced Course, Babson Institute, "Democratic Theory and the Government of Industry." December 1 and 2, R. L. O'Brien, Editor Boston Herald, "Democracy and the Press." December 8 and 9, James P. Munroe '32, former Vice-Chairman of the Federal Board for Vocational Education, "Democratic Theory and Internationalism."

All interested are invited to attend.

Scene Laid in Mexico  
The author claims "The man who writes the book plays only a minor part in the production. It is the men who write the music and lyrics, the players, and the management who play the greatest part in making a successful Show." Almost for the first time in the history of Tech Show, no character in the Show has anything to do with Technology. However, there is one man who is a Sophomore at some other institution of learning. A synopsis of the play follows.

The play is based on the adventures of a young man who inadvisedly leaves college and goes to Mexico to seek his fortune. He happens upon a battle, and being found on the losers' side of the street he is sentenced to death. He escapes and flees to the mountains.

There he achieves great success as the leader of a band of outlaws, but he misses civilized society and when he hears that a party of young people on an outing is visiting the oil territory near the coast, he decides to visit them. He disguises himself as a bull-fighter, and has an enjoyable time, falling in love with the daughter of the owner of extensive oil properties.

All's Well That Ends Well

The next day the party goes on a sightseeing trip to the mountains, and the bandit chief falls on them with his troop and captures them. He furnishes them varied entertainment, but that evening the whole party is again captured by a tribe of Aztec Indians, who think that they are just the thing for some ceremonial sacrifices.

A timid scholar with the party proves himself a hero by bringing a rescue party just in time. Things look bad for the bandit chief, but news arrives that a rebellion which he has supported against the central government has succeeded, placing him in a position of great power and authority. The parents of the girl he loves consent that she should marry him, and he decides to return to his home to finish his college career.

### DR. STRATTON WILL NOT ATTEND ALUMNI MEETING

The Alumni Council will hold its first meeting of the year in Walker Memorial on Monday, November 27. The October meeting was postponed in hopes that Dr. Samuel W. Stratton might be able to be present at the initial gathering. It was learned, however, that he would be unable to attend unless the time for the meeting was set about the last part of December. The Council decided that this was too late to be expedient.

## CALENDAR

- Friday, November 10  
8:00—Form dance, main hall, Walker.
- Saturday, November 11  
1:30—Chauncey Hall Club orchestra rehearsal, room 10-250.
- Tuesday, November 14  
1:00—Unitarian Students' meeting, Faculty and Alumni room.
- Wednesday, November 15  
7:30—Aeronautical Engineering Society smoker, room 5-330.
- Thursday, November 16  
3:00—Senior Class dance, main hall.
- Friday, November 17  
8:00—Catholic Club dance, main hall.  
8:00—Joint meeting of Mechanical Engineering Society and Boston Branch of American Welding Society, room 5-330.
- Sunday, November 19  
7:30—Cosmopolitan Club meeting, north hall.
- Tuesday, November 21  
7:30—Corporation XV smoker, Faculty Dining room.
- Wednesday, November 22  
7:30—Chemical Society smoker, main hall.