

CAPT. HENDRIE AWARDED FOURTH STAR BY COUNCIL LAST NIGHT

HENDRIE NOW HAS CHANCE TO BECOME GREATEST ATHLETE

Advisory Council Plans Games for Ineligibles - Puzzled by Chinese Case

The recommendation that Robert E. Hendrie, captain of the cross country team, be awarded his fourth star, made by the M. I. T. A. A., was passed by the Advisory Council on Athletics at its meeting in the Engineer's Club last night. It seems very probable that Hendrie will win an additional star as the two miler on the track team next spring, and his five stars will then make him the greatest athlete in the history of Technology sport. No man now holds more than four stars.

In commenting on the award of a special "T" to Guild Holt, for exceptional improvement, Dr. Allan W. Rowe, intimated that he believed Holt was the logical man for the cross country captaincy of next fall. He is the only 1924 man receiving a straight "T," since Frank Bemis is a Sophomore.

A recommendation that R. H. Smith be given a "T," for his accomplishment as crew manager, was tabled until later in the year, on Smith's own request.

Among the other questions raised was that of keeping the ineligible athletes interested in athletics so that when they became eligible they would turn out for the teams. R. H. Smith suggested forming teams of these men, and while no definite action was taken it was the sense of the meeting that this should be done.

The council was in favor of promoting better feeling between Technology athletics and the Army and Navy men now at the Institute. It was felt that many of these men possess ability in sports and could, if interested, do much to solve the coaching problems. To have these amateurs in charge of teams is in line with the advisory council's preference for unpaid coaches.

One of the most interesting cases of the evening was brought up by Art Smith, captain of the track team, who wanted to know if two Chinese, now candidates, are eligible for the team. Both of them promise to be extremely valuable men and in fact the captain thought one of them a perfect specimen, able to beat anybody on the squad in almost all the events. One of the Chinese attended a sort of college in China, and Smith wondered if this made him ineligible. He is a Sophomore but this is his first year at the Institute. Dr. Rowe was unable to decide, and will ask Mr. A. T. Kirby, head of the I. C. A. A. to give him a ruling. It is confidently expected that Kirby's decision will be favorable.

Hendrie and Sanborn Get Stars and Bemis and Holt Straight T

The following business was transacted at the M. I. T. A. A. meeting yesterday afternoon:

The cross country report for the fall of 1922 submitted by George Swartz '24, manager of track, was accepted and the following recommendations were approved: A fourth star to R. E. Hendrie '23, by automatic award, a third star to E. E. Sanborn '23, by automatic award, a straight "T" to F. W. Bemis '25, by automatic award, a cTc to R. W. Parkinson '25, by automatic award, a cTc to W. L. Keplinger '25, by automatic award, and a straight "T" to G. R. Holt by special award.

The freshman field day football report was accepted, and the recommendations for the 1926 numerals were approved: J. LaV. Isert, D. L. Reed, R. E. Harrison, W. H. Callahan, B. J. Berman, F. M. Gorsuch, E. M. Manning, G. A. Bianchi, W. D. Johnson, B. T. DuPont, E. J. McGrew, A. B. Brand, W. M. Walworth, P. Jewell, J. E. Deignan, C. W. Maytrott, L. J. Darmstadt, manager.

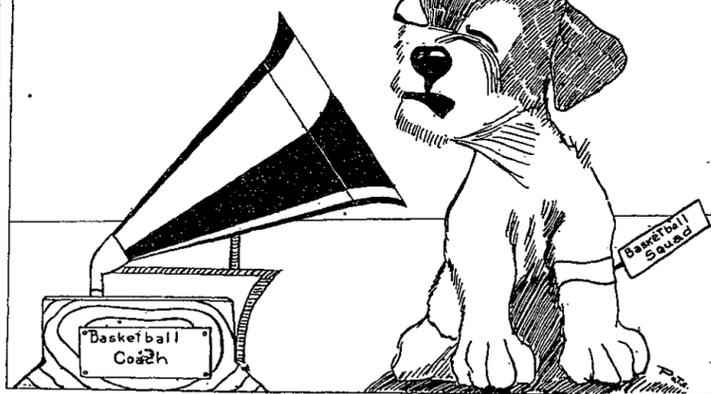
The Sophomore field day football team report was accepted and the following recommendations for the 1925 numerals were approved: H. A. Bauld, R. N. Palmer, A. O. Shepherd, S. Lankton, J. Kearns, A. J. Brockelman, F. C. Hastings, E. S. Johnston, P. Carrier, R. P. Price, E. W. Eager, Jr., E. R. Hayes, H. O. Lumb, E. Murphy, F. McGinnis, J. R. Lyons, manager.

The field day Sophomore crew report was accepted, and the following recommendations for the 1925 numerals were approved: A. Kullman, W. R. Blair, T. H. Butler, G. F. Geis, P. B. Goble, R. L. Harriman, D. R. Campbell, A. M. Prentiss, J. H. Hooks, A. A. Lauria, J. C. Dunbar, W. M. Jarman, manager.

The recommendations for Sophomore assistant managers for the swimming team: Malcolm G. Davis '24, R. A. Mitchell '24, and for freshman assistant managers for the swimming team: Paul S. Bauer '26, Louis J. Darmstadt '26, N. H. Miller '26, and S. B. Rose '26, was approved.

BASKETBALL TEAM IS NOW COACHLESS

"Listening for His Master's Voice."



—by PATS

Temporary Hockey Cut Made to Speed Preparation for B.U. Game on Friday

By Frank Barrett

In preparation for Friday night's hockey contest with Boston University on the arena ice, Captain Herb Hayden made a temporary division of the squad Monday so that practice might be carried on more advantageously by the men who seemed to be the first to get their skating legs under them in the opening practice.

The contest with the Boston University aggregation, which is the first hockey team ever put on the ice to represent that school, will be the first game to be played on the arena surface this year, and as such is attracting a good deal of attention to the rival outfits. Boston University, as a new team on the ice, cannot be counted on as either a winner or a slow team, for little is known regarding the material. However, there are some men on the squad who have distinguished themselves in other sports at B. U. as well as in hockey at other institutions, and Coach Brick O'Hare is right on the job when it comes to turning out good hockey teams. In addition to having several local athletes to start with, he also has a few men who have had experience in Canadian hockey, and should have little trouble in building a fast combination.

Coach Blacklock Back Today

Coach Blacklock, who was absent from the first two practices indulged in by the Institute skaters, on account of a death in his family, will probably be on hand this afternoon to straighten out the squad, and some hard work will have to be done by those men who have been asked to report.

Among the skaters who did well last year, and who were back at practice on Monday were Captain Herb Hayden, who has a grip on one of the wing positions, Jerry Dalton, who played center all last year, Flint Taylor, another fast forward of last year's six, who will probably hold down a defense post this winter, Denton Massey, the big goal tend of two years ago, MacNeil, of last year's team, who with Duvernet was considered to be one of the best defense pairs on the ice, and Johnson and Blandy, also of last year's squad. In addition Dave Peane, Con Flynn, and Balcom of the 1925 frosh team are back on the ice looking for varsity berths, as well as several other men who have had a year on the frosh teams of past seasons. On the whole, it seems that Coach Blacklock, when he returns, should be well satisfied with the aggregation he has to start with.

Puckchasers Busy Tonight

Practice will be held this evening from 6 to 7 o'clock at the arena, for the men whose names appear below, and with the Boston University game out of the way, and Coach Blacklock on the job, it is expected that the whole squad which came out at the first practice session will be on the ice again by the first of next week. Captain Hayden wants the men to understand that the cut made Monday night was nothing more than a temporary expedient for the sake of getting some organized work before the game, and hopes to see the entire squad out when the coach is on hand next week.

The men who are to report for practice this afternoon include the following: Hayden, Dalton, Massey, Taylor, MacNeil, Johnson, Blandy, Peane, Flynn, McPhee, Chickering, Balcom, Moulton, Thompson, Griffin, and MacPherson.

Alumnus Lauds Hendrie and Cross Country Team

The following letter, sent to Captain Robert Hendrie of the cross country team, should be of interest to every athlete at Technology. It indicates the attention paid to the success of sports here by a nation wide audience of alumni.

My dear Hendrie:

As an old alumnus who was not only interested in all kinds of track and cross country work at Technology, but who is also following every athletic move of the Institute with the keenest interest at the present time, I want to extend to you my congratulations for the wonderful season that you personally have had in all the races you have run, and for the magnificent record which the cross country team has made.

You men who are doing the work in the Institute now may sometimes feel that the alumni do not pay much attention to your results, but I can assure you that a season such as you have had brings a tremendous amount of satisfaction and enjoyment to a surprisingly large percentage of all Technology men all over the country. Again let me extend my sincere congratulations.

Very truly yours,
LAWRENCE ALLEN.

Plunge and 220 Dash Dropped by Official Swim Conference

NEW YORK, Dec. 4 — Radical changes have been made in the program of events of the Intercollegiate Swimming Association for 1923. They were determined upon Saturday night at a meeting of the executive committee held at the Yale Club. Three new events, the purpose of which is better to prepare collegiate swimmers for international competition, have been added; while the plunge for distance and the 220-yard swim have been dropped. The added events will be the 150-yard back stroke, the 200-yard breast stroke and the 440-yard, free style.

The dropping of the plunge and of the furlong was made necessary by the addition of the three new competitions. The 440-yard event was chosen in preference to the furlong because it closely approximates the 400-meter distance used in the Olympic Games.

A new type of standardized springboard was also adopted at the meeting, and the colleges of the league will be required to install it according to certain definite specifications.

The individual intercollegiate championships will be held at Princeton University on March 23 and 24. Heretofore it has been the custom to run off the preliminaries in the afternoon and the finals in the evening of the same day. This year, however, the preliminaries will take place on Friday night and the finals on Saturday night. The executive committee will meet again on the first Sunday in March to select officials for the meet.

FISTIC CANDIDATES SLAMMING BAG AND EACH OTHER HARD

Nap Boutlier's Charges Already Developing Damaging Ability

By Nick Cohen

Even with examinations a week away, competition for the various positions on the varsity and frosh boxing teams has started in real earnest. Almost any afternoon around 5 o'clock one can spot seven or eight candidates for fistic honors pounding away at the battle-scarred punching bag or at each other. The swivel of the bag is already showing signs of giving way after continuous rough handling by "Iron Man" Ed Moll and "Shifty" Lew Phillips.

Cohon, the two berth contender, is certainly making the fur fly whenever he lets loose with both hands. Cohon is also making great headway in the wrestling game, covering the 135 pound berth for the Engineer frosh last season, and has high hopes of making the varsity in the same class. With Lew Phillips possibly moving up to the 158 pound class, Cohon could cover the lower weight very well.

Ed Moll in Good Shape

Ed Moll is bound to make things hum in the 158 pound tourney. Ed's right is developing in a way to augur evil things in store for his future opponents while continuous work-outs with Shifty Lew and Coach Boutlier has rendered his body pretty well impervious to tough punishment. Chatelaine, who showed signs of great promise last year in the capacity of the frosh team captain, has been up a few times to put the gloves on but not as often as he should. Chatelaine had a rather neat hook and those of the Institute's opponents of last year who will covet the Beavers' crown this season, will miss him quite a lot if he doesn't show up.

Al Lindsey, the Engineers' hope in the 115 pound class is coming along well and save for his old habit of keeping his head well under cover, shows signs of work-outs. Red Sayre's fiery thatch hasn't been viewed for quite a while. Red was a strong contender in the heavyweight class and will without a doubt be on deck after Christmas.

Elimination meets for varsity boxing candidates will be held during the second week of January. At that time all men, who do not show themselves to be varsity material, will be dropped, and the coach will devote especial attention to working the most promising men into shape for the first meet.

New Men to Come Now

Due to the oncoming exams the attendance at the boxing room in the afternoons has been dropping off lately. Coach Boutlier wishes to announce that in the remaining two weeks is the best possible time for all candidates to see him. He won't have so many men to work with and will be able to give more individual attention to those who do show up. The coach will be in the boxing room all day on each of the following dates: Thursday, December 7, Wednesday, December 13, and Saturday, December 16. Also he can be located in the boxing room almost every afternoon from 3:30 to 6 o'clock.

There will be also after Christmas an elimination tournament for freshmen. The winner in each weight will be given a suitable medal. The freshman schedule has not been entirely arranged but at present includes a meet with Yale frosh besides several with the local schools.



This week is the last week of work before the two relays are tentatively selected. There is a large amount of material to pick the teams from and good combinations should be developed.

The vacancies left on the mile relay by the graduation of all of last year's members has resulted in some hot competition. Captain Art Smith is the pick of the field, but there promises to be some good times turned in, in the fight for the other three places.

Last Saturday called forth a wealth of material for the dashes. The sprinters are in good form and will wind up the term's work with time trials this Saturday.

Walt Metcalf Ratified as Manager of Baseball

The election of Walt Metcalf to the position of baseball manager was ratified at the A. A. meeting yesterday afternoon. The duties of his office will be more or less up to Metcalf, since his position is a new one, and will be in a large part original organization. This will be the first time in years that there will be four class teams here. The new manager is preparing a preliminary survey of the situation which may be made public in Friday's paper.

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