

"GOOD OLD DAYS" ARE BACK WITH NICKLE FILLING GAP IN NET

Technology Crew Schedule Nearly Complete; Opens with Navy Race

With the opening of what promises to be one of the most important seasons in the history of crew at the Institute but a short time away, Manager Hungerford and his assistants have been showing considerable activity, with the result that the Navy race, at Annapolis, April 28, is definitely on the program for the Engineer oarsmen. The Columbia contest, May 12, at New York, is practically a certainty and the negotiations with Syracuse for May 5 are in the final stages.

After considerable speculation and doubt about the sudden change of schedule by the Harvard crew management the dope has settled down to this: that Coach Mueller felt their usual schedule to be too full, so the natural thing to do was to keep only those big annual contests which are considered most important and drop the rest. That is what was done and as the crimson's schedule now stands, the only races for the varsity are one with Annapolis and Princeton, one with Cornell and one with Yale.

Second Eight Meets Crimson
However, the cardinal and gray second crew will meet the crimson second eight on the Charles, May 12, over the mile and seven-eighths course, and on the same day the 150 pound eights will show their speed over the shorter Henley distance. A contest between the second frosh oarsmen and the second and third frosh from up the river is scheduled for May 23 and will cover the mile and five-sixteenths Henley.

May Go To Henley
At the meeting of the American Rowing Association last fall at which Technology was made a member, the representatives from Penn were particularly anxious to have the Engineer oarsmen at the Henley, on the Schuylkill, at Philadelphia, May 26, but at that time it did not seem probable that the finances allotted the Institute management would stand the strain of this trip in addition to the rest of the schedule. As things now stand, Manager Hungerford says he'll send a crew if it's possible, but cannot tell for some time just how the situation will be.

Acquire More Equipment
Rowing equipment at the boat house has taken a big jump since the house became the property of the Institute and a still bigger improvement is expected this spring. There are at present six rowing machines for practice and two more are due at any time now, to complete the set of eight. Another set for the oarsmen to use in practice may be on hand also, but its appearance is not sure. New oars for the varsity have been secured and with these and the new shell that has been purchased from the Worcester Recreation Association the first eight should be well fixed.

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The Crew Schedule

Varsity

April 28—Navy at Annapolis.
May 5—Syracuse at Syracuse, and second eights, tentative.
May 12—Harvard at Cambridge, second and 150 pound eights.
May 19—Columbia at New York, first and second eights.
May 26—Henley at Philadelphia, tentative.

Freshman

April 28—Lynn English Hight at Cambridge.
May 5—Yale and Pennsylvania at Derby.
May 23—Harvard at Cambridge, second and third eights.
May 26—Huntington School at Cambridge.

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Pat Manning is busy getting the shells that are already on the boat house racks in the best of shape after the strenuous season some of them have just passed through.

BASKETBALL TEAM VISITS N. H. STATE TOMORROW NIGHT

Stiff Opposition from Andover Expected by Cardinal and Gray Cubs

Tomorrow the varsity basketball team travels to Durham to play the New Hampshire State University five. After the victory over Tufts, Wednesday, the Technology five can be depended upon to give a good account of itself against any hard fighting team. According to the reports from up state, New Hampshire is expecting to turn out a good basketball outfit this season. This is the first trip the Engineer squad has taken and every man will be right on the mark to keep the record clean.

Although the team showed up fairly well in the Northeastern game, it displayed nothing of the form that the Institute passers exhibited against Tufts. If the squad members are able to develop further the team and passing that they possessed Wednesday, a record will be made throughout the season that will be hard to beat. Coach West deserves credit for the way he has developed the men in the short time he has held the position as coach. He has the backing of every man on the squad which means more in developing a team than can easily be estimated.

Freshmen Play Andover

Captain Timmerman will lead the freshman team against Andover Academy, at Andover, tomorrow night. A very stiff game is expected, since the record of this year's academy five shows no falling off from the usual high calibre.

The 1926 quintet is to be equipped with uniforms at the expense of the class. This decision was reached yesterday afternoon, and measurements will be rushed through so that the players may be outfitted sometime next week. Harvard '26 will be played next Wednesday night in the New Gym.

The Cub's War Cry

By Marie

Whene'er with rush and clatter,
The Tufts' attack bored swiftly in,
Above the din and patter,
Burst the battle song of Cub.
It started Jumbo into fits,
And set the stands a-yowling,
Struck terror into foreign wits,
Loosed floods of Techite howling.

Wrestlers Open Season Against Union Tonight

Coach Cyclone Burns Picks Team of Veterans for Technology

B. Y. M. C. U OUTFIT AN UNKNOWN QUALITY

Bruner, Tuttle, Weatherly, Pike, Hereford, Kenneth, and Greer Will Fight

Technology's wrestling team opens its season against the Boston Y. M. C. U. mat men in the New Gym at 8 o'clock this evening. The Union has a reputation for scrappy teams, and should give Coach Cyclone Burns' newly picked lineup a very stiff test.

It was not until the final trials, Wednesday afternoon, that the coach picked the Engineers who will fight tonight. They are: 115 pound, Harry Bruner; 125-pound, Tommy Tuttle; 135 pound, Vaughn Weatherly; 145-pound, Herm Pike; 155 pound, Captain Rock Hereford; 175 pound, Walt Kennett; unlimited, Greer.

The Boston team is rather an unknown quantity, using different men at different times. Last winter the Union mat men defeated Technology in an interesting and close series of battles in the Walker gym. While they will be up against more experienced men, the Engineers, several of whom hold New England college titles, will be hard boys to down. The contests should give the coach a good idea of what he can expect in inter-collegiate competition.

Bruner Wins Place

Harry Bruner defeated Coyle in his final bout on Wednesday. It took the New England titlist 7 minutes and 15 seconds to pin his opponent to the mat. It was real fighting all the way.

Tommy Tuttle, who has just come back to the squad, and who is another New England champ, defeated Kurtin in his final match. He secured a fall in 7 minutes and 10 seconds and was in his usual good form.

Vaughn Weatherly, who was a member of the varsity all last winter, has won the 135 pound post again this year.

Herm Pike, last year's manager, is a hard scrapper and good wrestler and will fill the famous George Buttler's shoes in the 145 division very well. Buttler was another of the Technology title holders.

Capt. Hereford Beats Sheppard

Using an arm and leg hold, Captain Rock Hereford eliminated A. D. Sheppard, last year's freshman captain, in 5 minutes and 7 seconds and won his right to fight tonight. He is back and in good shape after some trouble with mat disease.

Walt Kennett, the 175 pound man, is one of the stiffest men to put down on the squad. He is always in there battling his hardest, and has strength and skill to go with his willingness.

Greer, of last winter's frosh squad, defeated Heath, a member of the varsity lineup a year ago. There was no all, the decision being given on a substantial time advantage.

DORM SPORTS

The Nichols and Atkinson basketball teams engaged in a vigorous practice scrimmage in the New Gym last evening in preparation for the coming dorm league battles. No score was kept. Above 15 members of the two halls got into action. There is now a total of 40 dormitory players out for positions on the various teams.

On Wednesday night there were two tiff hours of drill for the Holman and Nichols teams. This evening tunkle is assigned the New Gym and its athletics will get the first chance to show their stuff.

Among the men now signed up are the following: Atkinson—Bill Delehanty, Joe Young, Tapley, Frank Hassler, Bailey, Hecht, Horgan, Piland and Toehewessell. Runkle—Bill McLane, Al Perry, Hall, Ran Giles, Joe Wickham, Harry Kurzman, Bill Corraale, MacMillan.

Riding Major Sport at Vassar

Vassar College is planning to make horseback riding one of its major sports. A special track will be built and exhibitions of drills, hurdling and jumping will be arranged.

ENGINEER FIVE HANDS TUFTS 23-13 DEFEAT IN ONE SIDED OPENING GAME ON NEW FLOOR

Mike Miller Scores Six Field Goals, Leading Technology Attack on Jumbo—Coach West's Team Shows Improved Form

Exhibiting a fast and smoothly working attack in addition to a defense which proved practically impenetrable during the greater part of the game, the Technology basketball five easily defeated Tufts by the score of 23-13 Wednesday evening in the initial contest played on the new gym floor. The Engineers outplayed the Jumbo basketballers in all departments of the game, and showed an exceptional improvement in form over the contest with Northeastern. The work of the cardinal and gray forwards in cooperation with their team mates gave the crowd that witnessed the contest, an exhibition of some fine team work and passing.

The visiting five scored only one goal from the floor during the first half, and it was not until the latter part of the second half that the Tufts forwards managed to break through the Technology defense and score three baskets. The fact that the score was 13-5 at the first half showed how completely the Engineers defense was able to hold down the visiting team's scoring machinery.

While the combination play and passing was the best the Institute five has shown this season, a lot of the credit for the victory goes to Miller who put up a great brand of basketball as one of the forwards. In addition to scoring 12 points by goals from the floor, and four fouls from the free through line, he played a classy floor game and proved to be one of the fastest men on the offense. He broke through the Tufts guards time and again and rarely missed caging a shot.

Engineers Start Scoring Early

The improvement in the Engineer's work appeared at the very start of the game. Not long after the opening whistle, their attack began in earnest and after working the ball up the floor with fast passing, Miller caged the first Institute goal from the floor. Cook followed with a pretty shot, and the Technology scoring system was well under way.

Both teams were able to carry the ball up to their baskets, but the Tufts forwards did not seem to have the ability to break through the defense as Coach West's team did. Although they played together well, they were forced to take long shots in order to have any goals from the floor as Captain Cook and Cub Hubbard proved to be a stone wall defense.

The passing and floor work of the Engineers gave great promise for the coming games. Coleman, at center, was indispensable to the cardinal and gray team plays, in addition to getting a good majority of the tip-offs, he helped to pile up the score by his ability to judge where it was most necessary to pass the ball. In the second half Storb went into one of forward positions, and caged a neat goal from the floor from behind the free throw line. Cook can always be depended upon to come through with some counters and shoot two goals from the floor.

Tufts' Lead of Short Duration

Tufts drew first blood soon after the whistle blew. Evans, the Tufts' left

	Floor	Foul	Points
Sawyer rf	1	0	2
Storb rf	0	0	0
Miller lf	6	5	17
Davis lf	0	0	0
Coleman c	0	0	0
Johnston c	0	0	0
Hubbard rg	0	0	0
Walterkirchen rg	0	0	0
Capt. Cook lg	2	0	4
Eager lg	0	0	0
Totals	9	5	23

	Floor	Foul	Points
Evans rf	1	4	6
Henderson rf	0	0	0
Mathoney lf	0	1	1
Henderson lf	0	0	0
Rounds c	1	0	2
McMinigal c	2	0	4
Rogers rg	0	0	0
Tillinghast rg	0	0	0
Bogostan lg	0	0	0
Burrows lg	0	0	0
Totals	4	5	13

forward, dropped two free throws through the basket. Technology was awarded a free throw and Miller caged the shot, making the score 2-1 Tufts. Both outfits had their defense working well, and for a time the play consisted in each side getting the ball and working down the floor only to lose it under their basket.

Another foul brought the count to two apiece. Right at this point the Engineer's attack started. After a neat exhibition of passing, Miller scored the first goal, quickly followed by a count from Capt. Cook. Evans shot a goal from the floor for Tufts, this being the only one made by the visitors during the first half. Two point shots by Miller and Cook, again, brought the score up to 11-4 in Technology's favor.

The superiority of Coach West's men became especially apparent at this point. Not only were the guards keeping the visiting team out of shooting range, but the offense bewildered Tufts with its quick work. Another goal by Miller and a foul by Evans caused the count to stand at 13-5 at the end of the first period.

At the opening of the second half the plays consisted of a series of attempts by each side to break the other.

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