

M. C. BRUSH '01 OF HOG ISLAND FAME TO TALK TONIGHT

Worked Summers and Made Way
from Bottom of Indus-
trial Ladder

ACTIVE AND WELL LIKED
WHEN HERE AS STUDENT

"Most Wonderful Spirit of Any
Man I Ever Saw" Says
Professor

Tonight at 7:45 in the Main Hall, Walker, M. C. Brush '01, is going to speak at the smoker of the Combined Professional Societies. His subject is "The Engineer in Industry." All undergraduates are invited to attend.

Mr. Brush's last address to the students here was in 1920 when he gave a talk on Hog Island of which he was the head.

Some of the faculty members who were instructing here at the time when Brush was a student have given varying accounts of him at that time. When one of the members of the Physics department was asked about his ability as a student he said, "Oh, yes, he was a good student but if anything was doing he was always into it. He was surely a live wire and into all kinds of activities. After he had our courses in Physics he got out of our clutches so I didn't have him very much."

Worked in Summers

The secretary at time said, "He was a very likable chap but sometimes he had a little trouble with the inner workings of the Institute." A member of the Course II replied, "He had the most wonderful spirit I ever saw in a" (Continued on Page 4)

PLANS FOR SENIOR WEEK ARE STARTED

Minor Committees Appointed and
Tentative Program for
Week Drawn Up

C. C. Taylor was chosen chairman, F. G. Harmon secretary, and E. A. Adams treasurer, at a meeting of the Senior Class Day Committee held in the Alumni and Faculty room yesterday evening at 5 o'clock. The organization of the Committee was outlined and the following committees appointed to take charge of the numerous events during Senior Week. Class Day Committee:—Schuyler Hazard, E. H. Schmitz and K. C. Kingsley. Senior Prom Committee:—E. H. Schmitz, A. D. Smith and B. P. Lane. Senior Picnic Committee:—E. J. Thimmie, H. L. Hayden, and H. W. Dexter. Senior Banquet Committee:—S. V. Chamberlain, A. R. Holden and H. B. Gray. Pops Concert Committee:—C. A. Brantingham, W. B. Scofield and A. L. Johnson II. Baccalaureate Sermon Committee:—Hall Kirkham, G. A. Rowen and L. S. MacLane. Tea Dance Committee:—K. C. Kingsley, J. Henderson and R. L. Hershey; and a new committee, the Reception Committee:—W. B. Scofield.

The tentative order of events during Senior Week is Wednesday, June 6; Tea Dance and Pops Concert; Thursday, June 7, Senior Picnic; Friday June 8, Prom; Saturday, June 9, Class Day; Sunday, June 10, Baccalaureate Sermon; Monday, June 11, Class Banquet, and on Tuesday, June 12, Graduation Exercises and Reception.

Professor Tells Alumni to Come up to Date

Professor Tyler, head of the faculty club, whose wit interspersed the more serious talk of the joint meeting of the Alumni Council and the Faculty Club, was not too sparing in his knocks at some of the alumni present. His remark that "some of you fellows who have been out for 10, 20, or 30 years, and are now beginning to clamor for improvements in the school ought to look around, because some of the things you are hollering for have been in effect for the last 10 years," was received in hearty spirit by the alumni many of whom realized the pertinence of the old Doctor's remark.

R. O. T. C. Men to Salute President, Dean and Heads of Departments

By order of Col. F. W. Phisterer all students in the R. O. T. C. at Technology are required to salute the president, dean, heads of their respective departments, and army officers when passing them on Institute grounds. This order does not require saluting inside Institute buildings or on the street, and applies to all men in uniform as well as students. This order has not been a customary one in past years.

HONOR COMMITTEE JUDGES QUIZZ CASE

Verdict Kept Strictly Secret—
Even Head of Course Is
Uninformed

The Course X Senior Committee on the Honor System definitely proved its power to act as well as advise Monday afternoon, when, behind closed doors, it sat in judgment on the case of a student reported to have violated its rules. All details of the matter including the name of the man and the finding of the court are kept strictly secret, not even being made known to Dr. Lewis unless a verdict of guilty is brought in by the committee.

According to a member of the committee the Honor System is actively functioning and taking an important part in the affairs of the course entirely without faculty supervision. Put into effect during the recent final exams the attitude of the students was favorable toward it, he declared. The usual proctors were in attendance during the examinations, however, as no provision had been made with the faculty for their withdrawal.

To Be Extended to Juniors

The case at issue Monday afternoon was concerned with a reported violation of the honor code during a quiz. In the quizzes the members of the instructing staff remain in the room but make no effort to keep watch on the men who are left to their honor. The attitude of the committee, as expressed by the member referred to, is to be as lenient with offenders as possible in the case of extenuating circumstances but under no considerations to countenance deliberate violation of honor.

It is planned to extend the scope of the system to the Juniors of the Course, but as yet nothing definite has been decided. The probable means of bringing the 1924 men into the fold will be the same as were used in settling the matter for the Seniors, a vote of the class followed, if in the affirmative, by an election of a committee to take charge.

SET UP SMALL HATCHERY TO STUDY FISH CULTURE

A miniature trout hatchery is being set up in room 10-419 in connection with the lectures on Fish Culture that are being given there this week. At the opening of the course on Monday, A. H. Dinsmore who is giving the lectures for the week outlined the work he expected to cover.

WHAT IT'S ALL ABOUT

There is at present a strong agitation in favor of reconstructing the top floor of Walker Memorial to replace the gymnasium and locker rooms by two stories given over wholly to student recreation. These two stories are to contain 28 offices for undergraduate activities besides reading and lounge rooms.

The plan as presented is sponsored by the Alumni Council for the alumni and a committee of the heads of activities and the chairman of the combined professional societies for the undergraduates. It will be presented to the Corporation for approval and action at an early date.

Dr. Stratton has declared himself in favor of the change when it ap-

pears to be feasible. The chief difficulties are not to determine the final merit of the plan but whether or not the present is the right time for its inauguration.

The crowded conditions of athletics with the need for a new permanent gymnasium if Walker be dismantled; the cost of the work when money is urgently needed for the more important subject of dormitories; and the fact that no immediate urgent demand for the change is existent counsel delay.

On the other hand the original plan for Walker was that of a purely student recreation building with athletics taken care of elsewhere, and it is to carry out this design and provide for an extension of undergraduate activities at Technology that gave the move its inception.

Dr. S. W. Stratton Favors Changing Walker Gym to Offices "Eventually"

Dorms Refuse to Elect—Want to See New Constitution

Balk at Being under Institute
Committee—Two Halls
Nominate

Attempts made in the various halls of the Dormitories last night by the Seniors to nominate three Juniors in each hall to run for house chairman in the annual elections which are scheduled to take place next Friday, met with fifty-fifty success as two of the halls refused to nominate any candidates until the new Dormitory Constitution has been ratified by the Dormitory Association. The other two halls nominated their candidates.

In Atkinson the men nominated were:—F. L. Gemmer, F. J. Hecht and J. L. Piland. In Nichols the men are Blaylock Atherton, M. L. Hfeld, and G. C. Reinhardt. These men are all Juniors and an election will be held next Friday to choose the chairman for each of these halls.

Sentiment Divided

In Runkle hall the Seniors adopted the following resolution:—"Moved that the Seniors of Runkle hall request that the new Dormitory Constitution be published and ratified by the Dormitory Association before any elections be held." The Seniors in Holman hall adopted a resolution quite similar to that in Runkle. It is as follows:—"Moved that the elections be tabled until the Constitution has been ratified by the Dormitory Association."

Sentiment in the Dormitories seemed to be divided on the question as some wished to go ahead with the elections; while others are anxious to be shown the Constitution before any action is taken.

Changes Made Public Here for First Time

One of the biggest changes in the new Dormitory Constitution is that the Dormitory Committee is made subordinate to the Institute Committee while heretofore such has not been the case. This change was brought about by the Institute Committee as the new constitution was (Continued from page 1)

FACULTY AND ALUMNI STRONG FOR NEW DORMS

Plans of New Dwellings for
Students Shown—Also
New Gym

DECLARE ACTIVITIES
NEED LARGER OFFICES

Method of Financing Change
in Walker Not Yet
Considered

The subject of Technology's needs in the matter of dormitory and gymnasium expansion was the target of one of the liveliest discussions that has marked Alumni Council meetings for many months, when Monday night's joint meeting of the Council and the Faculty Club brought out every possible angle of opinion from the leaders of the creative fold at the Institute. It is safe to say that the matters under discussion are more vitally concerned with the lives of the majority of the students than are any other subjects possible, and it is with great interest that the student-body is awaiting the results.

That one of the greatest and most immediate needs of the Institute is the erection of an adequate dormitory system, was the consensus of opinion of the men who addressed the gathering. That the present over-crowding of activities in Walker Memorial necessitates prompt attention was another salient point which went on its way without dispute; the only question is how far it will get on its way.

Says Expansion Necessary

Dr. A. W. Rowe '01, speaking on the necessity of alleviating the crowded conditions in Walker Memorial, favored strongly the plan of removing from the upper floor the gymnasium in order that the space could be used for activity offices. Dr. Rowe said, "Expansion of all undergraduate activities is inevitable and desirable. We must provide room for the expansion, and we must also keep all of these activities in Walker Memorial, which was designed as the home of the activities."

Dr. Rowe was later backed up in his recommendations by Dr. S. W. Stratton, who said, "The members of the executive committee are all" (Continued on Page 4.)

1 X M BEATS MARCONI IN SHORT WAVE TEST

Send Successfully on 13 Meters—
All Massachusetts "Hams"
Come Here Saturday

Rivaling Marconi himself in his short wave radio experiments last year, actual transmission on continuous waves has been accomplished on a wave length of only 13 meters at the M. I. T. Radio Society station. With specially constructed tubes Marconi only worked down as far as 20 meters, while a radiation of 1.5 amperes was obtained on 13 meters with a standard 250 watt tube at 1XM.

The annual First District Amateur Convention will be held in Walker, Saturday afternoon and evening. Hiram Percy Maxim, president of the A. R. R. L., K. E. Warner, and others prominent in the amateur world will speak during the evening.

CALENDAR

Wednesday, March 28
7:45—Combined Professional Societies meeting, main hall, Walker.

Thursday, March 29
5:00—Meeting of the Executive Committee of the Finance Committee, in the Institute Committee Office.
8:00—Joint meeting of Institute of Radio Engineers, Harvard Radio Club, the C. W. Club, and M. I. T. Radio Society, room 5-330.
8:00—Math Club meeting, west lounge of Walker.

Friday, March 30
5:00—Meeting of the present cabinet of the T. C. A., front office of the T. C. A.

Saturday, March 31
1:00—Annual First District radio convention and show, Walker Gym.
1:00—New York City Club meeting, Faculty and Alumni room, Walker.
7:45—Outing Club meets at North Station Information Bureau.
6:00—Amateur banquet, main hall, Walker Memorial.

Junior Week Events

Thursday, April 19

2:00—Technique Rush, Great Court.
3:00—Distribution of Techniques in Main Lobby.
3:15—Corporation Tea Dance, Main Hall, Walker Memorial.
8:15—General Public Performance of Tech Show, Boston Opera House.
8:15—Musical Clubs Spring Concert and Dance, Hotel Somerset.

Friday, April 20

10:00—Interclass Track Meet, Tech Field.
2:15—Undergraduate Performance of Tech Show, Boston Opera House.
8:15—Alumni Performance of Tech Show, Boston Opera House.
9:00—Junior Prom, Copley Plaza.

Saturday, April 21

2:15 and 8:15—Smith Performances of Tech Show, Northampton.

Dr. Stratton and C. W. Aiken Think Tech Show '23 Good

At the Alumni Council meeting on Monday night, C. W. Aiken '21, said, "The Tech Show in New York this year was the best show I have ever seen." He especially praised the work of Frank Gage and urged all those present at the meeting to attend the Boston showings.

Dr. Stratton said, "I was in New York at the time of the show but was not able to attend, however. I think the show did more to advertise Technology in New York than anything in a long time."