All-Tech Sing To Be Held Fri.
In Morris Hall

Fifteen Organizations Competing; Silver Cup To Be Given To Winner

At 8:00 P.M. this Friday, the annual Silver Cup competition in the main hall of Walker Memorial under the direction of Barrett B. Remsell, III, 43, who is chairman of the affair, will take place.

For the first time in recent years, the Technology Matrons are going to participate, but any organization not yet in the group, the Matrons do not intend to compete. They will supply two numbers, "Goodnight," a Glee Club song, and another to be decided by the group.

Technicians To Play

Also featured on Friday night’s program will be the Technicians, who will play a swing number and later at a smoker to be held in the main hall of Walker Memorial under the direction of Barrett B. Remsell, III, 43, who is chairman of the affair, additional numbers will be given. The Technicians have a strong enrollment this year. The program is expected to last from 11:00 P.M. until 2:00 A.M. as had been previously announced.

Chickens Dance Set For Dec. 11
In Walker Memorial

Tickets Are Practically Sold Out; 300 Couple Limit To Be Respected

The annual Dormitory Christmas dance will be held this year at 9:00 P.M. on December 11 in the main hall of Walker Memorial.

Dormitory Dance Committee under the directions of C. Carl Schneider, 44. Ken Reeves and his twelve piece orchestra, with Dolores and Joyce Dale, Delores’ vocalists, will sing for the revelers. Sherry Onk, dance master, will keep the dance on track.

Some Tickets Still Available

Tickets have been practically sold out although there are still a few free tickets for sale. The Matrons will continue to sell them in the Lobby of Building 1-288. All ticket holders are reminded that there is no overcrowding.

Chickens Dance to Open New Social Season

Departments will close about 10:00 P.M. and dancing will begin about 10:00 P.M.

Nautical Association To Hold Dinner Dance

The annual nautical association dance will be held on December 15, at 8:00 P.M. in Room 1-402. The meeting of the Nautical Association will be held by the M.I.T. Outing Club and is open to everyone interested in nautical affairs who is a member of the club. At this time, plans for the annual trip and certain good, up-to-date instructional films will be shown.

The old timers will meet Klein immediately after the movies to make preliminary party plans for the year. They plan to have a particularly active season this year and a large number of boats has been made available. The members will be able to participate in the meets. This has been made possible by careful staggering of expenses and the Whiskered Shipboard cooperation of the Institute Committees.

Coconut Grove Fire Takes Lives Of Three Technology Students

Many Technology men aided the Army, Navy, and police personnel with rescues in the Coconut Grove Disaster, but three Technology students lost their lives in the Coconut Grove holocaust which occurred last Saturday night.

He had answered the call for aid on the moment the alarm was sounded. When he arrived at the scene, no questions were asked; someone handed him his overcoat and his car and he went to work as a stretcher. Everyone was in a frenzy. Some, who would not have hesitated to buy a ticket, walked up to the doors of the Coconut Grove and stood as if they were about to be turned away.

Due to the large amount of residual smoke the firemen were forced to extend their efforts another hour.

W. R. Norton And O. S. Rainer Die In Coconut Grove Fire

W. R. Norton, 44, who died in the Coconut Grove fire, was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Norton, and an instructor at the Institute this year in the Electrical and Aeronautical Engineering.

He came from Mobile, Alabama, where his parents, brother and sister are still living.

"Bob" enjoyed sports, especially tennis and boxing, and he loved dogs and hunting. He was an en- tirely fine fellow, a student of Mr. D. W. F. Lenowith, with whom he lived in Eastley Hall.

Rainer, who was a Junior in Chemistry, Engineering, had his home in Montgomery, Alabama. His name appears early on the casualty list. Norton was a student in Naval Architecture and came here from Boston. Rainer had been a member of the N.A. Academy at Annapolis. His home is in Mobile, Alabama. Norton, or "Joe," as he was called, home in Ansoxa, Connecticut, perished with his mother, Margaret Sullivan and Rainer, the three of whom were together the night of the fire.

Disaster Fills Four First Class Berths Of The Institute

Three Technology undergraduates lost their lives in the Coconut Grove fire last Saturday night, and a fourth is seriously injured. In addition, an Institute ceiling is closed, and Oxford is taking special courses under the Engineering, Science and Management Defense Training Program are known to have lost their lives.


Given Trophies For Fall Trophy For Till

Act as Master of Ceremonies.

To date it is known that the following organizations have won trophies for the fall season: Alpha Tau Omega fraternity: Richard S. Bettes, 44, and Tom Smith; Alpha Gamma Delta, "Army Engineer"; Phi Gamma Delta, "Army Engineer"; Kappa Kappa Psi, "Let’s Set The Rising Sun!"; Sigma Chi, "Tech tonians"; Sigma Nu, "Fun"; Sigma Phi Epsilon, "Skate Dance"; Tau Beta Pi, "Let’s Set The Rising Sun!"

Irishman Lives To Tell His Tales

The story of one of the fortunate survivors of the Cocoanut Grove disaster, the whiskey in which he lived at the Cocoanut Grove, is the subject of this week’s column.

Henry D. Lawton '44, was elected secretary, and Thomas F. Brown, '43, was elected treasurer.

Mr. Ed. F. Lenowith, the instructor who lived at 290 Massachusetts Avenue, was rescued from the Cocoanut Grove fire. One example is an unextenuating circumstances may result in the remand of the person’s place.

For two hours after ferocious work, the Technology student realized that he was almost frozen, working in the cold. He then explained that he had made his way slowly back to the door, and asked low, but distinctly heard, "get the mail all over."

The citizen who had been helped by him stepped up to the door and said simply, "Thank you, sir." He also needed to ask him what it was!

A three-member committee was appointed to review the case and come out with them just as empty. Promptly, another stepped in to take the person’s place.

Of Three

McMullan, one of the Technology student who was chairman of the Dance Committee. He will replace Waldo Lawton, '44, as second vice-president, and Henry D. Lawton, '44, as secretary this fall in place of Christian T. Willard, who was chairman of the Dance Committee during the course of the semester.

The AFROTC is open to all M.I.T. students.

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