Soccer Squad Commences Drills With Twenty-Five Men; Six Games Slated

The soccer squad, under Coach John F. Craig, held its first official day of practice yesterday with a turnout of about twenty-five men. After a thirty-minute session indoors, the squad adjourned to the soccer field, southeast of the track, where two teams were formed for a scrimmage contest.

Six Games Scheduled

The intercollegiate schedule now shows a total of six games for the Tech booters, who will engage Brown here in the season's inaugural September 22. Also on the list of opponents are the Davisville, R. I., Sea Bees, whom Tech will meet twice, Tufts, Coast Guard, and Harvard. The campaign will wind up in November with the Crimson contest.

In yesterday's scrimmage the rival teams were piloted by Dibos and Etchenique. Playing a major role on the squad are foreign students. John Gunnarson is soccer manager, while Justin Perlman is assistant manager.

M.I.T. Tankmen To Meet Williams, Brown And R.P.I.

Although only three meets are scheduled so far, the Tech swimmers look forward to a full season this winter. The confirmed meets are with Brown on December eighth, Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute on January ninth, and Williams on February second.

Arrangements for meets are also being made with Bowdoin, Wesleyan, and the Coast Guard Academy, but dates for these are still subject to change. As usual the season will be closed with the New England Intercollegiate Swimming Association meet, scheduled to be held on February ninth.

Practice Begins November 5

Regular practice is to start on November fifth, the first day of next term. However, Coach Smith intends to have practice on strokes the first three weeks of next month for civilian freshmen who have never been on the team.

A. I. E. E. Plans Inspection Tour

An inspection trip of the Boston Police radio system will be made today by members of the student chapter of the American Institute of Electrical Engineers.

The group, which will consist of about thirty, will meet at the Radio Station on Berkshire Street at 4:00 P.M. Members wishing to go on this trip are requested to sign up at the Electrical Engineering headquarters in Room 4-242.

Future activities of the chapter include a picnic for members and dates to be held at Riverside Park on Sunday, September 16. Faculty members will be invited. Full details regarding the picnic will be posted at the beginning of next week.

Netsters Playing Brown Saturday

The Tech netmen face a formidable opponent Saturday when they take on Brown on the Harvard courts. Bad weather prevented the scheduled M.I.T.-Davisville Sea Bee match last week, since two days of rain had left the Rhode Island courts too damp for play.

Successive week ends find the squad travelling to Providence for a return match with Brown, and then to Davisville for the postponed Sea Bee match.

Tech Math Society Sponsors Contest

The Mathematical Society will sponsor a math contest for freshmen tomorrow from 2:00 P.M. to 5:00 P.M. in Room 2-245. The contest will consist of exercises in algebra, geometry, and trigonometry, which will be chosen to test the contestants ingenuity and ability to analyze mathematical problems. A total of $20 in cash prizes is to go to the highest contestants, to be divided according to the grades received. The Society suggests that contestants come equipped with ruler, pencils, and plenty of aspirin. All embryonic mathematicians should leave their names at the Mathematics Department Headquarters, Room 2-261 today.

Dorm Dance

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dorm men will be eligible to attend. The dance will start promptly at 8:00 P.M. and will continue until midnight.

The arrangements are being currently made by the Dormitory Dance Committee, headed by Norman N. Holland, 2-47.

Tech To Row in Riverside Races

Varsity, J. V., Frosh In Sunday Regatta

Three M.I.T. crews will participate this Sunday in the Riverside Boat Club "Old Timers" Regatta on the Charles River. This event, which involves a number of boat clubs in nineteen races and which will run throughout the afternoon, marks the first competition of the season for Tech except for the Field Day race. The varsity, junior varsity, and freshman teams have been entered in three different events.

The frosh team, the first to see action, will row in the seventh event of the afternoon at 3:00 o'clock against the W. H. Nichols Boat Club. Thirty minutes later, in the ninth race, the junior varsity will face the Shrewsbury Rowing Club. A four-team match at 3:30 o'clock, the seventeenth event, will find the Tech boat, competing against Shrewsbury, Riverside, and a crew from Philadelphia. The course, five-eights of a mile long, will extend from Weeks Bridge to a point opposite the Riverside raft.

Since efforts to engage such college crews as Cornell, Columbia, and Navy for the fall season have failed, Sunday's races will likely be the only crew cooperation of the campaign.

Tech Sailors See Action Here And At Coast Guard

The Tech sailors will be occupied on two fronts this Sunday, for a dual meet will be held on the Charles and Lehigh Brite, the top skippers, will represent M.I.T. in the Star Class Championship at the Coast Guard Academy. The dual contest, in which four men will sail for each team, is scheduled with the Merchant Marine Academy of Kings Point.

In the Star competition last year Chuck Bloomer finished second for Tech, runner-up to Williams. On the following week end the team will sail in the Oberg Trophy Regatta, open only to the colleges of the Boston area.

Furgeson Speaks At Chapel Rev. Earl R. Furgeson, pastor of the Harvard-Epworth Methodist Church, will speak next Wednesday, September 12, at the weekly T. C. A. Chapel Service. The services, which are non-denominational, are held in the Emma Rogers Room, Room 10-340, from Noon until 12:15 P.M.

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