**Beaver Swimmers Defeated By Crimson**

On Wednesday, Dec. 17 of last year, the Freshman swimming team went down to defeat with the Crimson outscoring them 41-36. This leaves their record at one win and two defeats.

**Highlights**

Some highlights of the event took place in the 200 yard free style when Quinn Holgate did the course within one second of the Tech record for that event.

In the backstroke event Bogan took second and third place, respectively.

The diving event was spectacular to see. Cryer, with only six weeks experience has attained a record of two first places and one third, Holgate, who took first place in the Technology event now holds a record of two 1st and one 3rd place.

Following is a summary of the race:


100 yard Breast Stroke--Whipple, 1st, Langendorf (freestyle). Time (2:45.0).

150 yard Individual Medley--Solem, 1st, Reynder (H), 2nd, Cryer, 3rd, Cryer, 4th. Winning time: 2:10.7.

200 yard Freestyle--Solem, 1st, (1:46.3) Roberts, 4th. Winning time: 1:52.3.

25 flat stroke, Langendorf; (breast stroke), Langendorf (freestyle). Time (0:25.3).


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**New Coarse**

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Social Studies to organize a committee to consider both plans and modifications of them, and recommend them to the Faculty Committee, it is hoped, by the end of this academic year, on the following points:

A.-Weather or not there should be a Course XXI.

B.-If in favor of Course XXI, specific proposals to the nature of the curricular, of the additional faculty and facilities required, and presumably the additional budget that might be required.

This committee has been established by Dean John E. Burchard with the following composition: Professors Thomas B. Shriver and C. Richard Birkhahn from the School of Economics, Professor Ralph Freeman and E. Cary Brown from the Department of Economics, and Professors Howard Bartlett, John Blum, and Neal Hartley form the Department of English and History.

**College Students Drinking Habits Subject of Yale Investigation**

Robert Scudden, research associate at Yale University's Laboratory of applied Physiology, has released preliminary results of a five-year study into the drinking habits of the students of American universities and colleges. He declared, "We hope the study will help create a better understanding of student behavior on the part of persons affected by such activities, as residents of the college town, alumni, and parents."

The Yale survey covered 27 institutions learning throughout the country. Seventeen thousand students were questioned as to their drinking habits and their attitudes toward drinking. Mr. Scudden found that the probability of a college student attacking the bottle with any undue vigor depends greatly upon the drinking practices of his parents. Ninety per cent of the men and 88 percent of the women whose parents drink are themselves imbibles, whereas only half of the men and a fifth of the women whose parents abstain from drinking practice themselves drink. Of all the women who drink, 65 per cent of them began before they entered college.

Among college men beer was proven to be the most frequently consumed beverage. Seventy per cent of those interviewed stated that the main beverage was that toward which they most often drank. Only 41 per cent of the women admitted to the frequent use of beer. Many of those who do drink beer expressed the opinion that could they afford other types of thirst quenchers they would gladly do so. Almost one half of the men would prefer hard liquors, but only a fifth can afford them. Wine also found a large following—especially among the coeds.

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