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1905 DINNER.

Last Undergraduate Class Dinner will be held at Tech Union Tomorrow Night.

The Senior Class will hold their Annual Class Dinner at Tech Union at 6.30 P.M., Thursday, March 2. All members of the class are urged to attend and make this last gathering a memorable one. The proposed stunt for Class Day and the renovation of the Frieze will be discussed. Mr. Bourne, '95, will be present to give some interesting facts regarding the Frieze. Tickets may be obtained from any officer of the class.

Hazing to be a Misdemeanor.

If the Legislature of the State of Pennsylvania acts affirmatively, and there is said to be a strong favorable sentiment that way, a bill offered by Mr. Bough, of Lancaster, will abolish hazing and relieve the faculties of all the colleges of much responsibility. His bill reads:

"That if any person or persons shall maliciously inflict on any other person any grievous bodily harm by what is commonly known as hazing, either with or without any weapon or instrument, while attending or going to or coming from any of the common schools, colleges, universities or any other institution of learning, he or she shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and, upon conviction, be sentenced to pay a fine not exceeding \$500 or undergo an imprisonment for not exceeding six months, or both."

1906 Technique.

All fraternity men who have no chapter of their fraternity at the Institute will please leave their full name, chapter and college at the cage for the Society editor of Technique.

This information must be in at once for appearance in this year's book.

Members of the 1906 Football Team who played on Field Day, will meet on Rogers steps, Saturday at 1 P.M., for team picture. Bring full football outfit and class sweater.

The Basket Ball team will play Holy Cross College this evening.

CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETY.

The Society Appropriates \$1,000 for Scholarships.

The Board of Directors of the Co-operative Society at its meeting Saturday, appropriated \$1,000 for scholarship purposes. Thirteen, seventy-five dollar scholarships and one twenty-five dollar scholarship were awarded. The report shows an unusually successful year, which is due, to a great extent, to the increased support which the students have been giving.

The Society is trying to do its work as well as it can under prevailing conditions. It asks for the support of the student body, and it is only by increased support that the Society will be able to make the showing which it should next year at this time.

Each successive year for the last seven years, an increase of scholarship appropriation has been made. The membership has been on the increase, and the sales at the Co-operative booths in the Engineering Bldg's have also increased.

As it is through these booths and membership tickets that the Society is chiefly able to carry on its work, the student body cannot be urged too much, to lend their aid. As soon as the Society gains the support of all the students, it can do its work effectively.

The following is the informal report to February 25, 1905.

April 1, 1904.	
On hand, Home Savings Bank,	\$480.15
Interest, Home Savings Bank,	8.52
November 20, 1904.	
From Membership Tickets,	
1904-1905,	259.00
Profits from sales, Advt's in	
Affiliated Lists	627.11
October.	
Interest, Home Savings Bank,	8.54
	\$1,383.32

Paid F. Wood, Printer,	
Affiliated List,	\$20.00
Tickets,	2.25
	22.25
5 per cent, 1.11	
	\$21.14

Electros, signatures,	1.00
Circulars,	4.50
Technique Insert.	5.00
Scholarships 18, at	75.00
1, at	15.00
	\$1,000.00

	1,000.00
Balance,	351.68
	\$1,383.32

FORESTRY IN MASSACHUSETTS

State Forester Makes His Annual Report.

The first annual report of the State Forester, covering the work of the five months ending December 31, 1904, has been submitted to the General Court. In the report the several lines of work taken up by the Forester's office are outlined, among which is the course of lectures to be given each year at the Massachusetts Agricultural College at Amherst. The aim of these lectures is to teach the students such branches of the science of forestry as will be of practical value to them in their farming work. The report also contains a recommendation that something be done to suppress the gypsy and browntail moths which threaten to destroy a considerable portion of the forests in the state. The report may be had by applying to the State Forester, State House, Boston, Mass.

The Nobel Prizes.

Great surprise has been manifested because no American has been awarded a Nobel prize. These prizes are awarded to those men who have made the most marked advance during the year in sciences, in literature and in the cause of peace. The sciences embrace Physics, Chemistry and Physiology. The prizes consist of money, a diploma and a Nobel gold medal, and are awarded each year at Stockholm. One reason why no American has received a prize, is that the candidates must be recommended by the Academies of their respective countries. Where there is no such institution, as in the United States, there can be no candidates recommended, unless a new ruling is adopted.

Lecture by Prof. J. F. Kemp.

Professor James Furman Kemp of Columbia University will give a lecture, Wednesday afternoon, March 8, at 4.00 P.M., in Room 11, Eng. B., on "Contact Metamorphism and the Production of Ore Deposits." Prof. Kemp, who is one of the leading geologists in this country, is an authority on these subjects. His talk should prove of great value to all students of mining.

CALENDAR.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 1.

- 4.00 P.M. Lecture on "Electricity in Mining," by Mr. T. W. Sprague, 2 Rogers.
- 4.00 P.M. Tech Show Rehearsal. Principals. Tech Union.
- 4.00 P.M. Lecture by Prof. J. R. Kemp on "Contact Metamorphism and the Production of Ore Deposits." 11 Eng. B.
- 8.00 P.M. Basket Ball. Technology vs. Holy Cross. Second Team vs. South Boston H.S. Exeter St. Gym.

THURSDAY, MARCH 2.

- 1.10 P.M. All men interested in forming a Maine Club meet in 26 Rogers.
- 4.00 P.M. Tech Show Rehearsal. Ballet. Tech Union.
- 6.30 P.M. Senior Class Dinner. Tech Union.

FRIDAY, MARCH 3.

- 4.00 P.M. Lecture on "Electricity in Mining," by Mr. T. W. Sprague, 2 Rogers.
- 4.15 P.M. Meeting of men interested in discussion of playrights and current plays. Room 11, Rogers. Further notice in Friday's TECH.
- 6.00 P.M. Newton High School Club. Dinner at Tech Union.

FACULTY NOTICES.

Corrected tabular views, embodying changes already published, have been posted on the bulletin boards in all buildings.

NOTICES.

A course of four lectures on "Electricity in Mining," by Mr. T. W. Sprague, will be given in Room 2, Rogers, from 4 to 5 P.M., March 1, 3, 8 and 10. Mr. Sprague graduated in the class of 1887, and has made a specialty of electrical work for mines. These lectures are intended primarily for Course III, but others interested are invited to attend.

There will be a meeting of the Board of Editors of THE TECH, Volume XXIII, in 30 Rogers, at 1 P.M., today. All members of last year's editorial staff are requested to be present.

1907 Technique Electoral Committee ballots may be obtained before 9 A.M. and between 1 and 2 P.M. every day this week. Ballots must be handed in at the Cage before Saturday for Richardson.