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PRICE THREE CENTS.

SEAT APPLICATIONS OUT.

Tech Show Management to Use Last Year's Method of Distribution.

The Tech Show Management has sent out application blanks for seats for this year's performance at the Colonial Theatre, April 26 and 27. The distribution is to be under the same rules that were adopted for last year's distribution, as it was found that these rules gave every one an equal chance and prevented any one person from securing a large number of seats.

The price of tickets this year will be the same as in previous years, and all particulars will be given on the applications. All applications must be in before 5 o'clock Thursday, April 12, and should be addressed to J. D. Whittemore, Business Manager. The rules governing the distribution are as follows:

1. Any member of the Faculty, any graduate or undergraduate and any person interested in the Tech Show may make application for four seats.

2. An application for more than four seats except by a member of the Faculty or by a Patron or Patroness will not be accepted. Members of the Faculty, Patrons and Patronesses may apply for more than four seats. (This does not hold for out of town performances.)

3. The seats applied for may all be for one performance, or may be divided in any manner between the two.

4. Each applicant is responsible for the tickets allotted him. Any Tech man whose tickets are found in the hands of a speculator will thereafter be denied the right of securing tickets by application.

5. Those desiring seats together may pin their applications together. The several applications so united must not call for more than eight seats in all and will be rated with the lowest class represented.

6. The distribution of tickets will be by lot in the following order (See Section 11.):

(a) Patrons and Patronesses. (b) Senior Class and the Faculty. (c) Members of the Show not Seniors. (d) Junior Class. (e) Officers of Instruction, not members of the Faculty. (f) Sophomore Class. (g) Freshman Class. (h) Graduates. (i) All others.

7. Special students will be classed in accordance with the number of years they have been in attendance at the Institute, when not rated in any definite class. Grad students rank as Seniors.

8. Applications must be made upon application blanks furnished by the Management.

9. Tickets paid for by check upon application will be sent by mail immediately upon allotment. Tickets will be sent by registered mail if the registration fee of 8 cents accompanies application.

10. Tickets not paid for will be reserved until 5 P.M. Monday, April 23, after which they will be sold as soon as opportunity offers.

11. All applications must be in before 5 o'clock Thursday, April 12. Late applications will be filled as received if the ticket supply holds out.

Notice will be sent when seats are ready for delivery.

MR. KENISON TO SPEAK.

Mr. E. Kenison of the Instructing Staff will address the Thursday meeting of the Christian Association. His subject will be "Evolution or Revolution?"

SPRING TRAINING TO BEGIN.

Track Team Candidates to Report at Tech Field Tomorrow.

Spring Training for the Track Team and candidates is to begin tomorrow at the Technology Field. New men are greatly needed in all events and especially in the shot-put, discus throw, and running broad jump. The Annual Handicap Spring Meet is only two weeks off and every candidate will have to do thorough training in order to be in good condition.

REVIEW OF QUARTERLY.

The March issue of the *Technology Quarterly*, somewhat delayed, has made its appearance on the library shelf. Besides containing the proceedings of the Society of Arts, it has four principal articles, two of special interest to teachers and two interesting to the biologist.

Professors Bigelow and Johnson discuss questions of teaching in their respective lines. Prof. Bigelow's paper relates to language teaching with special reference to pronunciation and conversation. The tone of the article is thoroughly modern and utilitarian.

Professor Johnson contributes an article on applied geology and its place in the technical school. The sum of usefulness of geology to the engineer lies in the greater familiarity it secures to him with the locality in which he works. By knowing the country he meets his problem in better form than if the engineering features alone are known. The issue closes with two articles on bacteria, and a number of book reviews.

HARE AND HOUNDS START SEASON.

The first Hare and Hounds chase of the season will be held on Saturday, April 7, from the Reading Y. M. C. A. The trail will be about four and a half miles long, and a good shower bath can be had at the finish.

As this is the first run of the season a very easy pace will be set, and no one need be afraid of their ability to keep up. The party will go to Reading on the 2.15 train from the North Station, track 7. Round trip fare, 25 cents.

GYM TEAM TO EXHIBIT.

The Gymnastic Team will give its second annual exhibition at the Gym on April 13. Although many of the good men of last year's team graduated last June, the meet promises to be a very interesting affair as the men on the team have been working hard all winter and the new men are showing up nicely. The events will be: high horizontal bar, parallel bars, long and side horses, buck, horizontal ladder, tumbling, and a boxing bout.

OLYMPIC STARS SAIL.

American Team Leaves for Athens.—Will Train on Ship.

The American athletes who are to compete at Athens in the Olympic games sailed from New York at 11 o'clock yesterday morning on the steamship *Barbarossa*. The first landing place will be at Naples, Italy, from which port another steamer will convey the men to the Greek coast six days before the games start.

The only training until landing will be what can be indulged in on shipboard, such as skipping the rope, dumb bell exercises and starting for sprints. The final training of the Americans will be done on the battle ground in the shadow of the Parthenon. The team is most representative of American athletics and should make a good showing.

ARCHITECTS COMPETE.

A twelve hour *en loge* composition was held in the architectural drawing rooms last Saturday for the traveling scholarship offered by the New York Beaux Arts Society. The drawings of the four Tech men entered were hung in the architectural exhibition hall on Monday prior to their being sent to New York, where they will be judged with the sixteen drawings from other schools. They are plans of a large music hall to be placed in the center of a public square and are entirely original for no books were allowed in the room during the competition.

ALUMNUS IS PROMOTED.

George W. Kittredge, '77, formerly chief engineer of the Big Four railroad system, has just accepted the position of head of the engineering department of the New York Central. He entered the railroad service in 1880, and has since been connected with the Pittsburg, Cincinnati, and St. Paul, and the Big Four systems. He was president of the American Engineering and Maintenance of Way Association from 1902 to 1903.

CROSS COUNTRY NOMINATIONS.

There will be a meeting of the Cross Country Association in 26 Rogers on Friday for the election of officers. The following are the nominations: President, Gimson, '08, Allen, '07; Secretary, Allen, '07, Ames, '08, Clapp, '08; Captain, Callaway, '08, Gimson, '08; Manager, Starkweather, '07; Chase Captain, Clapp, '08, Hunter, '08.

The following men at the Institute are entitled to wear the cTc: Adams, '06, Beam, '07, Callaway, '08, Clapp, '08, Clapp, '06, Howard, '06, Gimson, '08, MacGregor, '07, Meyers, '06, Starkweather, '07, Ruggles, '06, Thompson, '07. Six of the men have also been awarded the T.

CALENDAR.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 4.

- 4.00 P.M. Rehearsal of Tech Show Chorus at the Tech Union.
- 4.00 P.M. Glee Club Rehearsal at the Boston Y. M. C. A.
- 4.00 P.M. Meeting of Gym Team at the Gym.
- 4.15 P.M. Geological Journal Club Meeting in 14 Pierce.
- 5.00 P.M. *Technique '08* Electoral Committee Meeting in 26 Rogers.
- 6.30 P.M. Senior Class Dinner at the Union.

THURSDAY, APRIL 5.

- 1.00 P.M. Sophomore Class Meeting in Huntington Hall.
- 1.30 P.M. Weekly Meeting of the Y. M. C. A. in the Parish Hall of Trinity Church.
- 1.30 P.M. Chess Match, Tech vs. Dartmouth, at the Tech Union.
- 4.00 P.M. Rehearsal of Tech Show Principals at the Tech Union.
- 4.00 P.M. Glee Club Rehearsal at the Boston Y. M. C. A.
- 4.00 P.M. Banjo Club Rehearsal in 33 Rogers.
- 8.00 P.M. Last of Series of Lowell Institute Lectures by Prof. Putnam, in Huntington Hall.

FRIDAY, APRIL 6.

- 1.00 P.M. Cross Country Association Meeting in 26 Rogers.
- 4.00 P.M. Tech Show Chorus Rehearsal at the Tech Union.
- 4.00 P.M. Mandolin Club Rehearsal in 31 Rogers.
- 5.00 P.M. *Technique '08* Electoral Committee Meeting in 26 Rogers.
- 7.30 P.M. Mining Engineering Society Smoker at the Union. Address by Prof. Richards.
- 8.00 P.M. Civic Club Meeting in 16 Rogers.

NOTICES.

Sophomores.—The Sophomore Class will hold a meeting Thursday, at 1 P.M., in Huntington Hall.

Convocation.—The next convocation will be held April 16, at which President Faunce of Brown will meet the student body.

Gym Team.—All men expecting to take part in the gymnastic meet must report at the Gym today at 4 P.M. It is important that every one should come out.

Seniors.—The last informal Senior dinner will be held this evening at 6.30 at the Union. The speakers will be Profs. Dewey, Clifford, and Miller, Messrs. Homer, Albers, Rand, and Blackstein.

Geo. Journal Club.—The Geological Journal Club's regular meeting will be held today at 4.15 P.M., in 14 Pierce. Topics: "Desert Regions of the World;" "Geology and Water Resources of Long Island."

Civic Club.—There will be a meeting of the Civic Club in 16 Rogers on Friday evening at eight o'clock. Subject: "Resolved, that the Defects in American Municipal Government are due to our Republican form of Government."