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SHOW ACTIVITIES BEGIN.

Will Appear Again at Providence — Better Show Promised than Ever Before.

Preliminary arrangements for the ninth Tech Show have already been made. The name has not yet been decided upon, for it has been found difficult to find a name as bright and successful as are the dialogue of the play and the lyrics. The author of this year's production is E. W. James '07, and James Francis has again been engaged to coach the Show. The work of setting the lyrics to music is now practically finished, and a call for candidates will probably be made in about ten days.

The vaudeville stunts, dancing and the like, which last year were practically abandoned, will this year be introduced again to a limited extent. Pantomime will also figure in the play, which will, of course, deal with college students in general and Tech students in particular.

The theatres and dates of the performances will be as follows: at the Colonial, Boston, on the afternoons of Thursday and Friday, April 25, and 26; at the Auditorium, Malden, Mass., on Friday evening, April 26; and at the Opera House, Providence, on Saturday evening, April 27th. The question of going to Providence was long and carefully considered, as it is a big undertaking to take the Show out of town, but it has been finally decided that last year's performance there has paved the way for an even more successful trip this year. The Show's friends at Providence are looking for it, and promise it another warm welcome there.

Candidates are wanted at once for the position of assistant business managers. The work of these men will consist chiefly in looking after the program and selling space in its columns to the advertisers. The experience is interesting and valuable. First and second year men are urged to come out for this position. Promotions to the higher offices in the Show are made on merit alone. A meeting will be held tomorrow in 34 Rogers at one o'clock, when men who wish to compete will be given further details.

This year a substantial cash prize will be awarded for the poster in the hope of getting one from the school, as it is a distinct reproach upon Tech to have it made outside of the Institute. The purpose of the poster is simply to advertise the Show and the one which best accomplishes that will be selected. As soon as a suitable name can be found for the Show, further notice in regard to this matter will be given.

Business Managers Wanted. — A meeting will be held in 34 Rogers tomorrow at 1 P.M. for the men who wish to try for the position of assistant business managers of Tech Show. Freshmen and Sophomores are urged by the Management to attend.

William Warren Garrett, '02, Course III, captain of the 1902 Track Team, died at San Antonio, Texas, Jan. 15, 1907.



BUILDINGS MAY GO.

B. & A. May Run Tracks Through Eng. C and Lowell Buildings.

That the Institute will lose in the near future two of its buildings is a very probable thing. The Boston and Albany railroad has petitioned the legislature to be allowed to lay tracks to the old Park Square station, and it seems likely that the petition will be favored, owing to the recent stir in Boston in favor of an increase in terminal facilities.

The plan of the Boston and Albany is to branch from the present two track system just beyond the Trinity Court station, cut across Trinity Place, through Engineering C and Lowell, across the open plot in front of Lowell and under Berkeley Street to the Park Square station. This plan would entail not only the demolition of Lowell and Engineering C but it is probable that a portion of the Pierce building might have to be torn down.

It is rumored that the railroad is negotiating with the Institute for the purchase of these buildings with their sites. It is also believed that the Institute has first option on the large tract of land in front of Lowell. The railroad will also be forced to purchase this before putting through the plan.

George Wigglesworth, treasurer of the Institute, as well as a num-

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FENCING BEGINS.

First Meet Tomorrow. Hard Schedule Being Arranged.

Tech's fencing season will open tomorrow evening with a dual meet at the Gym with the Springfield Training School. The plans for the rest of the season include a triangular meet between Tech, Cornell and Columbia, in New York, and one between Tech, Columbia and Yale at the Gym. A dual meet will also be held with Tufts sometime this month, and arrangements are being made for a triangular meet between Tech, Pennsylvania and Cornell in Boston.

Capt. Harold Bounetheau, '08, and E. M. Loring, '09, and one other man will represent Tech tomorrow evening. As Tech's strength is unknown this year, and this is the first year that the Training School has fenced in collegiate circles, the outcome of the meet is much in doubt. The Tech team is well balanced and is ready to put up a hard fight.

RELAY TEAM PICKED.

The final trials for the Relay Team were held yesterday afternoon the following men being picked: Blackburn, '08, Gram, '09, Todd, '08, and Gould, '07; and Moses, '09, substitute. The squad will go on the training table at once. Coach Mahan considers Holy Cross a tough proposition.

CALENDAR.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 8.

1.00 P.M. Chess Club Meeting in 26 Rogers.
4.00 P.M. Mandolin Club Rehearsal in 31 Rogers.
4.15 P.M. Glee Club Trials at the Y. M. C. A.
8.00 P.M. Architectural Society Smoker at the Union.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 9.

1.00 P.M. Meeting in 34 Rogers of Candidates for Positions of Tech Show Assistant Business Manager.
8.00 P.M. Fencing, Tech vs. Springfield Training School at the Gym.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 11.

1.00 P.M. Meeting of THE TECH Board in 30 Rogers.
1.00 P.M. Junior Class Meeting in Huntington Hall.
4.00 P.M. Banjo Club and Mandolin Club Rehearsal in Rogers.
4.15 P.M. Glee Club Rehearsal at the Union.

FACULTY NOTICES.

Tuitions. — Students are reminded that tuitions are payable on the first day of the term. Those who have not paid should give the matter their immediate attention.

Personal Hygiene. — A course of fifteen lectures and recitations on "The Care of Personal Health" will be given this term by Dr. P. G. Stiles, Instructor in Physiology and Personal Hygiene in the Biological Department, and formerly Instructor in the University and Bellevue Hospital Medical College of New York City. This course is intended to be immediately serviceable for engineers, chemists, architects, and others whose professional work is likely to bring them under unsanitary, tropical, or other unusual or unfavorable conditions and is open to all students of the Institute. The textbook used will be "The Human Mechanism: Its Physiology and Hygiene and the Sanitation of Its Surroundings," and a day and hour (probably 4-5 P.M.) will be chosen to suit as far as possible the convenience of the members of the class.

NOTICES.

Chess Club. — The Chess Club will meet in 26 Rogers at 1 P.M. today.

Architects. — The Architectural Society will hold a smoker at the Union Friday evening.

1908. — A Junior Class meeting will be held Monday, Feb. 11, at 1 P.M. in Huntington Hall. Several matters of importance will be brought up.

Texans Notice. — There will be a very important meeting of the Texas Club Friday evening at 7.30 in 16 Rogers and all Texans are urged to be present.

Frat. Men. — All fraternity men from colleges other than Tech will oblige *Technique* '08, by leaving their names, college, and fraternity at the Cage for McGuigan, '08.

Electrical Engineers. — The first meeting of the Electrical Engineering Society will be held Monday, Feb. 18, at 8 P.M. at the Union. Prof. Jackson will be the guest of honor.