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GYM EXHIBITION TO BE HELD LATE THIS WEEK.

TEAM IS IN GOOD FORM.

Tumbling, Club Swinging, Work on Long Horse, Horizontal Bar and Flying Rings Will Be Seen.

According to all present indications the gymnastic exhibition which will be given March 27 at the Gym, will be an exceptionally good one as many of last year's men are back and the new men are showing up strongly.

The program will consist of tumbling, Indian club swinging, and work on the long horse, side horse, horizontal bar, parallel bars and flying rings. Several other features will be added, such as fencing, boxing, and wrestling.

The tumbling this year should be of a high order, Byron, Howell, Coleman, and Wilson, who all made such a good showing last year and Cary, a new man very clever on the mat, are all in excellent form, making a strong combination. Courtney will swing clubs this year and those who have seen him before know him to be a clever performer.

On the high horizontal, the work of the team should stand out strongly. All the men who worked on this event last year are back and several new men are showing up very well. Howell, Schobinger, Gott, and Sargent, with several new men will work on this apparatus.

On the side horse Cary and a new man are doing some clever work. Darrows and Schobinger are billed for this event, and their work should be exceptionally good. On the flying rings, Darrow and Howell are even better than last year. Practically the whole team will work on the long horse.

All the men who expect to take part in this exhibition are urged to come to the Gym daily at 4.15, especially those of last year's team. The team will not be finally picked out for about ten days so there is still a chance for men to make the team before the exhibition comes off. Men are especially wanted for the parallel bars, side horse and flying rings. Good support is needed to keep the exhibition up to its high standard of other years.

NEW UNION FUND GROWS.

Ticket Sale For Hippodrome Reaches \$1000 Mark.

Over a thousand dollars has been taken in by The Tech management on the sale of Hippodrome tickets for Tech Day. Prominent alumni are constantly sending in for seats, and the undergraduate organizations have taken large blocks. The Technology Club has reserved two whole sections and a number of members of the alumni association will lead the cheers from a box directly in front of the arena. The classes of 1902, 1906, and 1907 will be present in force, having reserved 390 seats.

If the seat sale continues another week at the present rate, the entire audience will be composed of Technology enthusiasts, among whom are the girls of Dana Hall at Wellesley, which has reserved a large block of seats for the afternoon of Tech Day. The Union fund ought to assume proportions of double ciphers. Notwithstanding the sales it must be borne in mind that the house seats 4800, and a good many choice seats are untaken.

The Harvard Union has secured the show for Thursday, April 16, for a Harvard Day.

INTERCOLLEGIATE FENCING PRELIMINARIES SATURDAY.

THREE TEAMS WILL COMPETE.

Yale, Harvard and Tech will Fight Out First Round of the Championship.

Technology fences Yale and Harvard at the Gym Saturday night in the preliminaries of the National Intercollegiate Meet. The two best teams fence in the finals at New York in April. The bouts promise to be fast and closely contested.

All three teams are well matched, Yale being considered the hardest proposition Technology goes up against. The Institute team has been training hard all winter and should show up fairly well, in spite of the fact that there has been but one practice meet this season.

The line ups will probably be as follows:—Technology: E. M. Loring (capt.), F. J. Lange, V. C. Grubman, J.



F. J. LANGE.

W. Nickerson, Yale; Geo. C. Haas (capt.), Bryan H. Smith, Allen C. Staley, J. Caber Loree (sub.) Harvard; G. L. Cutting (capt.) B. M. Nussbaum, H. A. Erhard, L. Barroll (sub.)

Tickets are on sale at the Cage. Yale and Harvard have taken a large block of tickets for the meet.

QUAKER ALUMNI ELECT.

Tonight the Technology Club of Philadelphia are to have a dinner at the City Club, Philadelphia.

The following men have been elected officers:—Jere R. Daniell 1897, president; Frank H. Kusker 1897, vice-president; Percy E. Tillson 1906, secretary-treasurer; Clayton W. Pike 1889, Harry P. Codington 1895, Fred A. Hunnewell 1897, Edgar P. Trask 1899, Lewis A. Miller 1901, and H. LeRoy Walker 1905, executive committee.

HONOR MAN IN ROME.

Word has been received of the arrival at Rome of Ernest Farnum Lewis 1907, who was chosen by the executive committee of the American Academy in Rome to become its scholarship man.

Lewis graduated from Brown in June, 1905, and came to Tech in the fall, took his B.S. degree in the architectural department. While here he won the Rotch prize for excellent work as a regular student. Lewis represented the department of architecture at the commencement exercises.

The receiver of this scholarship is required to go to Rome for three years, his expense on the trip being paid, his lodging and studio provided for, and \$1000 a year being paid to him beside. No higher honor than this can be paid to an American student of architecture.

THIRTY CANDIDATES OUT FOR SPRING TRACK WORK.

INDOOR WORK AT GYM.

Most of the Veterans on Hand and Many New Men Show Up.

Many candidates answered the first call at the Gym yesterday afternoon for work preliminary to the start outdoors. Practice at the Field will begin very soon, possibly within a week. Men are at work preparing the field, levelling the track, and Coach Kanaly is anxiously awaiting mild weather. He expects to have an all around team rather than any individual champions.

Those men out for the weight events will practice in the lot in front of the Lowell Building, on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. The following men showed up at the Gym yesterday: L. G. Glazier 1911, F. D. Stewart 1910, W. J. Seligman 1911, P. Hart 1910, H. Lockett 1910, T. W. Orr 1908, H. R. Elwell 1910, G. B. Cummings 1910, A. A. Gould 1910, W. T. MacCreddie 1911, W. C. Salisbury 1911, C. Schobinger 1908, F. F. Bell 1910, J. F. McCarthy 1909, E. Stuart 1910, C. P. Eldred 1911, W. N. Drew 1910, L. O. Mills 1910, W. Morrison 1908, L. C. Cooley 1911, R. H. Gould 1911, H. A. Rapelye 1908, H. G. Jenks 1911, F. C. Dolke 1911, C. P. Kerr 1911, J. H. Walcott 1911, K. D. Fernstrom 1910, J. D. Mackenzie 1911, D. R. Stevens 1911, H. L. Clark 1909, H. H. Howland 1908, L. A. Loomis 1908, W. C. West 1911, S. M. Niles 1911 and R. A. D. Preston 1910.

NEW YORK AT THE UNION.

Empire State Boys Dine.

At the meeting of the New York State Club at the Union Monday evening it was decided to put an insert for the club in Technique 1908. Owing to the fact that almost all the officers of the club had left the Institute or otherwise disappeared, new elections were made. As a result C. J. Belden 1909 was elected president; L. A. Freedman 1908, vice-president; P. D. Terry 1910, secretary; H. W. Dun, Jr. 1908, treasurer; H. E. Batsford 1908 and W. I. Griffin 1908 were elected to the executive committee.

Many new men were elected to membership. The following men were at the dinner: H. W. Dun, Jr. 1908, W. D. Green 1909, H. O. Stewart 1909, C. J. Belden 1909, J. P. Constable 1911, W. I. Griffin 1908, L. A. Freedman 1908, F. A. Dewey 1909, P. D. Terry 1910, J. M. Fitzwater 1910, J. Scheuer 1910, H. E. Batsford 1908, B. R. Fuller 1909, A. V. de Forest 1911, E. Kloborg, D. M. Giles 1911, C. H. Spiehler 1908, D. C. McMurtrie 1910, G. E. Batcheller 1910, M. Coffin 1911, G. T. Palmer 1909, S. H. Cornell 1911, E. Nicholson 1910, R. Mack 1910, J. G. Tripp 1910, G. T. Gannsey 1911.

The next meeting and dinner of the club was set for Monday, April 6, and the annual dinner and business meeting will be held Monday, May 4.

PRINCIPALS BEGIN TO SING.

Singing as well as speaking is now occupying the time of the Tech Show principals. They have learned their parts and have had a rehearsal of the songs of the first act. These sound pretty bare without the chorus, except a duet by Hield and Moses and a trio by Catching, Malcolm and Kennison which give some idea of what the songs will sound like in the final performance.

The chorus is at present hard at work learning its steps. It has quite a complicated dance in connection with one of the songs, "The M. I. T. Professor" which ought to be a winner when are still working under Mrs. Francis performed in costume. The dancers and they will have a good deal to say about the success of the Show when the time comes.

CONVOCATION TO BE HELD THIS AFTERNOON.

F. H. NEWELL 1887 TO SPEAK.

Is Chief of Reclamation Service of United States.

Frederick H. Newell 1887, chief of the United States Reclamation Service, who is considered by many as among the five most successful Tech graduates, will address a convocation of the student body this afternoon at 2 o'clock in Huntington Hall.

Mr. Newell has been working on the irrigation of the great deserts in the West, having complete charge of the engineering problems. This work has reached tremendous proportions and is of great importance in the development of the resources of the country. It will probably be the subject of this afternoon's address.

INTER-COURSE CROSS COUNTRY.

Arrangements Complete for Race to be Held April 4.

Final arrangements for the inter-course cross country have been made. The race will be held April 4 over the Tech-Harvard course, a distance of 4-1-4 miles.

The courses have been divided as follows with the names of the men who have been appointed captains of the various groups:—Courses I and XI, J. F. McCarthy 1909; course II, G. H. Magee 1909; course III, B. C. Huber 1910; course IV, C. S. Clapp 1908; courses V and X, J. N. Stephenson 1909; course VI, L. O. Mills 1910; all other courses united with Captain Ellis.

This is the best division that could be devised in order to place every body. Any man who would like to run should speak to his captain at once. As there is no limit to the number of men who can run in this race every man who has been on any hare and hound run or would like to start distance running is afforded an excellent chance to make a beginning. The first four men in each course to finish will score for their course.

Freshmen and sophomores are particularly urged to come out for this race as an idea can then be formed of the chances for a successful race between these classes on April 25.

Preparation for this race will consist of the Tuesday and Thursday runs from the Gym and the Saturday hare and hounds runs. The hare and hounds run this week will be held from the Waban School at Waban. Train time will be announced in Friday's Tech.

CENTRAL BRANCH BEGINS.

At the first meeting of the central branch of the Class of 1906, the nomination committee reported the following as officers; sec., A. T. Heywood, assist. sec., U. J. Nicholas, trustees of permanent fund, C. L. Anson, M. A. Coe, H. C. Henrieci; executive com., R. R. Patch, E. C. Simpson, H. S. Whiting.

G. A. Haynes 1909 told of the plans for the New Union and the Hippodrome. C. C. Webb 1910 followed with a short outline of the troubles confronting the Tech Show this year together with the remedy proposed for future years.

NO MORE READINGS.

Owing to the fact that the students in the civil and sanitary engineering departments are exceptionally busy this year, Prof. Swain has decided not to give any more readings this year.

These readings, given on subjects of interest to the students, particularly of the civil and sanitary engineering departments, will be greatly missed by all who have ever attended them.

CONVOCATION TODAY AT 2 P.M.