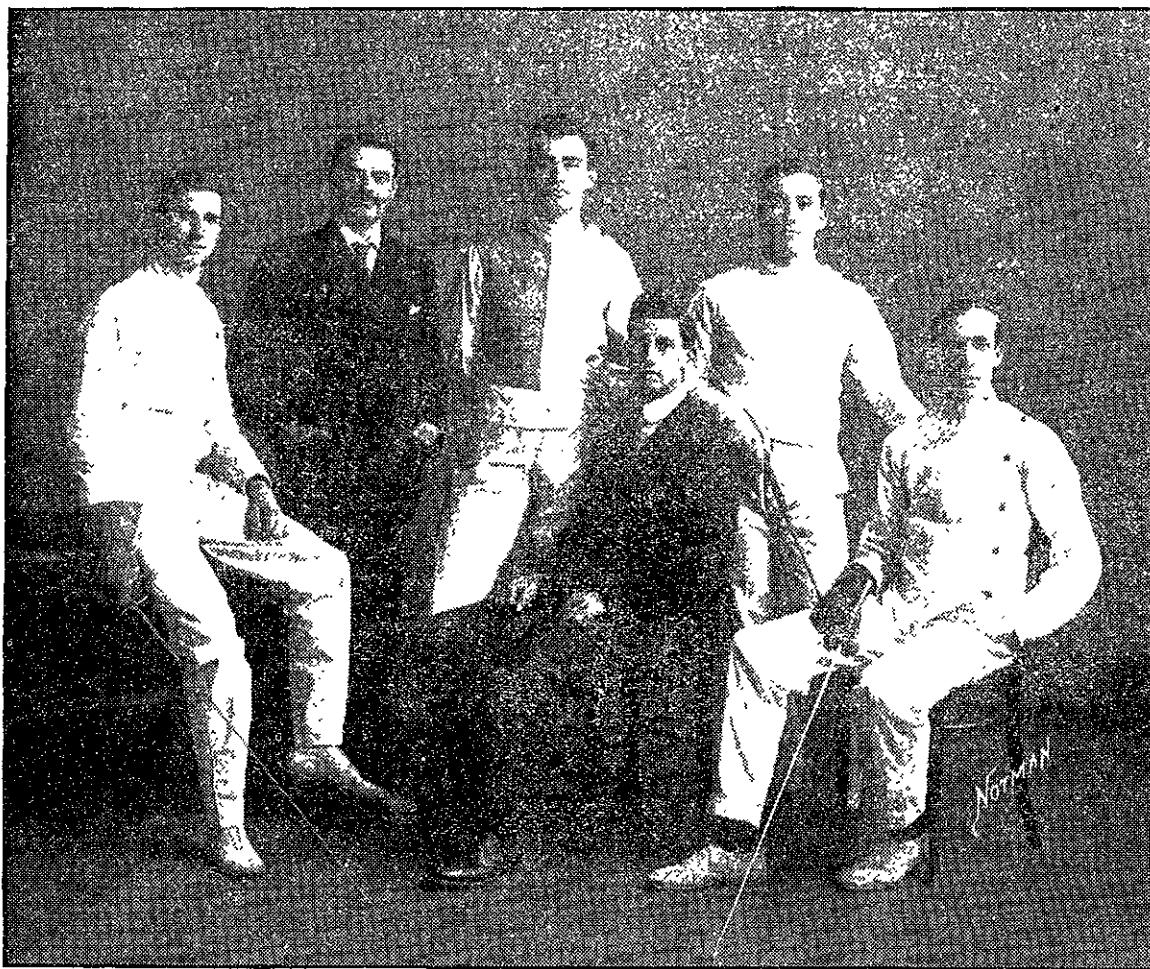


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FENCING TEAM ENTERED IN INTERCOLLEGIATE PRELIMINARIES TOMORROW.
From left to right—J. M. Nickerson, Coach Fournon, F. J. Lange, A. L. Moses, manager,
E. M. Loring, captain, V. C. Grubnau

FOR INTERCOLLEGIATE FENCING CHAMPIONSHIP.

ELIMINATION ROUND.

Tech Team in Fine Shape. Will Fight Tomorrow For Place in Finals.

Technology will enter a team in the preliminaries of the intercollegiate fencing championship which will be fought off at the Gym tomorrow evening. Yale and Harvard will be the other contestants. Two teams will qualify for the finals which are to be held in New York during the month of April.

The Tech team has been working hard all season under the direction of Lucien Fournon. During the course of the season they have been rather severely handicapped by lack of money and the lack of men, and also by the scarcity of outside meets.

The manager of the team has made several attempts to provide some such competition for the fencing team but success has not attended his efforts. Several of the meets that were arranged were unfortunately cancelled at the last minute without reason other than an unwillingness to compete. This was an unforeseen circumstance and can only be put down as unfortunate.

In spite of the disadvantages under which it had been laboring, the team has really done some very commendable work and it will go into the contest tomorrow in the best of form. The make-up of the Tech team will be E. M. Loring, (captain), V. C. Grubnau, F. J. Lange, and J. M. Nickerson (substitute).

NINE CROSS COUNTRY MEN OUT.

The Cross Country men covered about two and a half miles yesterday afternoon, running to Harvard Medical School and back by way of Huntington Avenue.

Nine men were on the run. They were R. Ellis 1909, W. B. Hargraves 1910, H. G. Jenks 1911, G. H. Magee 1910, W. C. West 1911, W. O. Whiting 1911, S. L. McAllen 1911, F. G. Smith 1911, B. C. Huber 1910.

LIST FOR CLASS DAY COMMITTEE ANNOUNCED.

ALL ELIGIBLE SENIORS.

Names of Men Who are to go on Class Day Ballot.

Given below is a list of seniors that are to appear on the Class Day ballot. Anyone not on the list, and who considers himself eligible according to the constitution may present his claim in writing to the ballot committee before 1 P. M., Saturday, March 14 for consideration. Claims should be addressed to the committee and left at the Cage. The class constitution will be at the Cage until Saturday for signatures. The ballot committee is made up of L. Coffin, L. B. Hedge, and J. Pope.

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CHESS CLUB FORMULATES PLANS.

Intercollegiate Matches Coming.

The Chess Club met Wednesday and talked over plans for this term. The secretary was instructed to correspond with the chess clubs of Tufts, Brown, and other colleges in regard to playing matches. It was also decided to have each member play two games with every other member. In this way the best men will be picked for a team. All those who wish to become members or to play can leave their names at the Cage for the secretary.

The members are: president, A. B. Morrill 1909; vice-president and manager, B. R. Fuller 1909; secretary, S. F. Barnett 1909; N. B. Gregory 1908, F. S. Niles 1908, B. B. Holmes 1908, S. C. Lyon 1908, H. E. Weeks 1908, D. G. Haynes 1909, A. L. Stern 1910, F. K. Foster 1910, S. M. Schmidt 1911, C. R. Perry 1911, H. G. Jenks 1911, A. H. E. Kaufman 1911, T. B. Parker 1911, H. J. Baker 1911, H. M. Davis 1911, R. M. Barton 1911.

ADVANCE BY MERIT IN GOVERNMENT SERVICE.

OPPORTUNITIES IN PUBLIC WORK.

Frederick H. Newell Tells of Importance of Being a Tech Man.

That the government service is a good field for an engineer and that the idea that political influence plays any part in advancement is entirely fallacious, were the opinions expressed by Frederick H. Newell chief engineer of the U. S. Reclamation Service at the convocation Friday afternoon.

Mr. Newell in opening commended the government service to Tech men, saying that, although it might not pay as much as some corporate work, it had a standing and an independence that meant much to the men that went into it in the right way.

With regard to the engineering training Mr. Newell said in part:

"You are all looking ahead into the future and you are all interested in it for you want to see what it is that lies before you and what you will be able to do when you get out of college. I want to emphasize particularly the importance of being an Institute man. There is a certain commercial value in such a name gained at the Institute, not by book knowledge but by developing the ability to use what is at hand in the most advantageous and economical manner."

"The engineer is the man who knows how to accomplish something with the least expenditure of time, money, and energy. All business enterprises rest on the principle of the conservation of power, material, and capital. Toward this end the training of the engineer should tend."

In the course of his talk Mr. Newell spoke of the importance of keeping in touch with the Tech men who are in the engineering profession and strongly recommended that the fellows join the Technology Alumni Associations in the cities to which in the future they may go.

POLITICS RAMPANT IN THE SENIOR CLASS.

GENERAL TICKET MADE UP.

Movement for Course Representation on Class Day Committee.

Following the policy suggested several days ago by various course societies of having representation from every course on the Class Day committee various courses have held caucuses, nominated men, and combined on a ticket. While quietly planned the ticket has become pretty generally known among the seniors.

Courses V and X combined in a caucus, there being about 22 men present. For Course V, Raymond E. Drake and John S. Coye, B. S. were nominated, while Leavitt W. Thurlow and Harry S. Chandler were picked for Course X. The seniors from these courses pledged themselves, it is understood, to vote for these men in the class day committee elections.

In the caucus of electrical engineers the following men were nominated: Lafayette B. Hedge, Donald Bowman, Joseph G. Reid, A. B., and Harry F. Richardson. It is understood that this caucus was held without the knowledge of some seniors in that course. Those present at the caucus pledged themselves to vote for the nominees. It is also known that reciprocal relations exist between the Course V and X seniors and the electrical engineers.

In Course II the ticket was made up by passing around ballots to certain members and selecting six of the men securing the largest number of votes, on the ballot circulated Tuesday and Wednesday were the following: Winthrop D. Ford, Ferdinand J. Friedman, Bernard S. Leslie, William J. Pierce, Langdon Coffin and Henry W. Blackburn. It is known that Ford, Coffin and Blackburn are on the ticket without their knowledge. Leo Loeb was one of the chief leaders in the movement in the course.

Alexander H. Bradford was the representative of Course III on the ballot on Tuesday, but a movement was instituted yesterday to substitute Charles A. Gibbons Jr. in his stead. Gibbons upon being told of this substitution refused to have any part in the movement.

Joseph Pope is named from Course XIII. Raymond W. Parlin was down as representative from Course XI without his knowledge. He refused to have his name on the ticket, both on account of general principles and the fact that he

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THREE NEW TERM MEMBERS.

Corporation Selects Prominent Alumni.

Three alumni term members of the corporation were elected Wednesday at the quarterly meeting of that body. Those elected were J. W. Rollins, E. Morse, and A. T. Bradlee.

Mr. Rollins was graduated from the Institute in Course I. He is at present president of the Holbrook, Cabot and Rollins Corporation of Boston.

Everett Morse has been one of the most prominent of the alumni in recent years. He is a member of the Walker memorial gymnasium fund committee, and chairman of the Technology alumni fund committee. Last year he was president of the alumni association. He is president of the Morse and Whyte Company and the Simplex Electric Company of Boston. He was a graduate in Course III.

Arthur T. Bradlee, the third member elected, was graduated with the class of 1888 in Course II. He was a member of the executive committee of the Technology alumni association in 1893 and 1894 and vice-president in 1895. He was one of the founders of the Technology Club and has been a member of the council of the club since its foundation.

The Corporation approved the appointment of a committee on student welfare.