

REGIONAL REPORTS

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Hartford District

The Hartford District Committee was organized October 30, 1919, with G. U. G. Holman as Chairman. Committee meetings were frequently held and from the start, each man



GEORGE U. G. HOLMAN '89

had a series of prospect cards and pledge cards with request to report pledges at once.

On December 3 a get-together dinner was held at the Hartford Club with a dozen prominent local non Technology men as guests. Later in the same evening an open meeting was conducted with H. P. Maxim '86, President of the Technology Club of Hartford, as chairman.

Messrs. Otto Kahn, Coleman du Pont '84, Everett Morss '85 and Dr. MacLaurin were the speakers.

On January 2, Hartford stood: "81 out of 131 Technology men, sixty-two per cent, \$15,524."

The personnel of the Committee consisted of: Hiram Maxim '86,

George W. Baker '32, Clarence E. Whitney, '31, George Mylchreest '10, A. H. Wensel '17, R. J. Ross '06, C. R. Nason '90, H. H. Burdick '97, F. C. Moore '91, F. I. Davis '92, E. J. Loring '95, F. E. Stern '14, Allyne C. Litchfield '17, E. W. Pelton '03, E. L. Warren '08, S. E. Horten '30, J. W. Nickerson '09, A. D. Boss '90, Ralph E. Thurston '02, R. W. Millard '09, E. Le Roy Brainerd '02 and Harry E. Prentice '13.

Rhode Island District

The Committee of the Technology Club of Rhode Island which handled the Providence district was headed by Thayer P. Gates '02, as Regional Chairman and Howard C. Fisher '09 as Secretary. Zenas W. Bliss '89, was one of the men who was an active worker on the campaign.

The other members of the committee were Roland H. Ballou '04, William C. Dart '91, Clarence L. Hussey '08, Chester T. Horey '01, Frank L. Pierce '89 and Kenneth F. Wood '94.



ZENAS W. BLISS '89

San Antonio District

Alfred G. Ranney '13, chairman of the San Antonio committee was aided by Willard L. Simpson '06 and Alonzo Mutersbaugh '13. A luncheon with nine Technology men present was the basis of the campaign, at which considerable enthusiasm was aroused and the bulk of the subscriptions obtained.

Delaware District

The Delaware Committee was headed by Joseph Bancroft '97, Chairman; assisted by H. S. Bailey '05, Frank S. MacGregor '07, and Walter Page '98.

In starting, the procedure used by this committee in raising the fund was to get as complete a list as possible of the Technology men in Delaware. This was done by having printed a list of the names and addresses of all the Technology men in the district, either through Institute records or from personal knowledge of the members of the Committee, and mailing a copy of the list to every man on it, requesting him to check up the list and advise the Committee of any names of Technology men that had been omitted. This added many new names.

Publicity Well Done

A copy of the Institute appeal, a separate letter drafted by the Committee, and pledge cards with self-addressed envelope were mailed to every man on the list. At the same time arrangements were made for a dinner meeting and the Committee was fortunate enough to have at the meeting as guests, Dr. MacLaurin and Elisha Lee '92. The notice of the dinner was published in all of the newspapers throughout the State. Invitations were sent to every one on the list, and in the press announcements an invitation was sent to all Technology men in Delaware, whether they received a special invitation or not. This resulted in obtaining one or two more names, making the final list eighty-two names.

At the dinner at which about sixty were present, after talks by Doctor MacLaurin and Mr. Lee the Committee distributed pledge cards, and no person was allowed to leave the room until the pledge cards had been filled out, either with a statement that he had already contributed, would not contribute, or pledge. Several men who had already contributed, increased the amount of their contribution. After the dinner the list was checked up and those people who had not made any contribution were individually solicited by members of the Committee.

The records in the hands of the Chairman, to date, which are not complete, show that seventy-six contributions have been received.

Minnesota District

H. E. Young '06, headed the General Committee for Minnesota with headquarters in Minneapolis. G. H. Goodell '92 was at the head of the St. Paul Committee.

The work in this district was done by personal solicitation from former Technology men. All other prospects on the list were assigned to some committeeman.

The complete list of the general committee from Minnesota is as follows: Harold E. Young '06, Chairman;



H. E. YOUNG '06

Jesse W. Shuman '97, William H. Bovey '94, Harry W. Jones '82, Theodore A. Fogue '88, Harvey M. Hickok '03, Walter G. Zimmerman '98, William R. Peyton '90, Frederic H. Bass '01, Bernard Blum '04, Willis R. Salisbury '12, Clarence J. Brown '09. The special committee for St. Paul consisted of Clifford C. Hield '10, Mark G. Magnuson '04, Harold E. Young '06, Carroll D. Steele '08, John A. Willard '09, George H. Goodell '92, Chairman.



DONALD N. FRAZIER '11

Virginia District

Donald N. Frazier '11, headed the Virginia Committee and rounded up the Alumni in that State by means of personal letters and interviews wherever possible.

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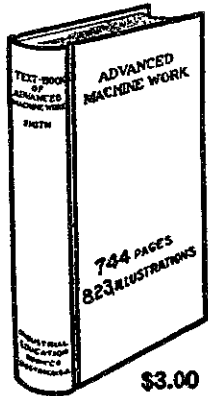
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