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Kanaly Wants Varsity and Field Day Candidates

The return of almost the entire varsity squad and addition of promising material from last year's freshman team indicate that Frank Kanaly's charges of the cinder path will have a very successful season.

Coach Kanaly requests that all candidates for varsity track and cross-country teams and also those who wish to try out for Sophomore and freshmen relay teams, which will take part in the Field Day games, report at the track house daily from 2 till 6 o'clock.

Some interest has already been shown out for the last few days with the harriers. Kanaly said that he had been surprised at the number shown and Captain Billy MacMahon of freshmen who have already reported for the relay team. The youngsters have their work cut out to beat the 1923 team, since practically all the men who ran last year have returned to college.

Other Teams Away Early

Technology's future opponents in cross country have been fortunate in getting away to an earlier start than has been possible here. At Harvard, where the Institute has a dual run scheduled, the runners have already been out on their Belmont course. The dual run will be held over this course. The Crimson squad is due for its first cut this week sometime.

Williams has lost Captain H. H. Brown, her star of last season, through graduation. Brown was a favorite in last year's New England Intercollegiate run at Franklin Park but Billy MacMahon, wearing the Cardinal and Gray nosed him out of third place at the finish. Brown had a big spring, however, in the distance runs, cleaning up in the college meets and going overseas with the United States Olympic team.

Crofts will lead the Williams harriers this season. This bespectacled youth trailed Brown in last year's New England Intercollegiate run. Williams has a dual run scheduled with Wesleyan at Williamstown, Nov. 13.

Out at Syracuse, whence came last year's championship cross-country team, Coach Tom Keane has excellent prospects for another big season. The team will be captained by Johnny Simmons, 1919 junior national and intercollegiate champion harrier and a member of America's squad of hill and dalers at Antwerp this summer. Lou Watson, also an Olympic choice and a member of last year's championship team, will be back again this fall. Other men who will figure for Syracuse over the long grind are Fellman, Rose, Fleck, and Campbell, all members of last year's team.

BELGIAN STUDENTS HERE ON EXCHANGE FELLOWSHIPS

Twenty-three Belgian graduate students who are to enter various American universities under a fellowship exchange plan worked out by the Educational Foundation of the Commission for Relief in Belgium, have already entered the institutions chosen by them. Of these two have entered Technology, Andre Deschamps for research in chemistry and Charles Manneback to specialize on electrical machinery and the manufacture of scientific instruments. Charles T. Van Dusen, a graduate student here in mechanical engineering, will represent the Institute abroad. Twenty-one other American students were also chosen representing ten universities.

T. A. C. MEMBERSHIP DRIVES OPENS TODAY

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out for the Harvard-Technology track meet.

This year athletic prospects at the Institute are particularly bright in every sport and it has been predicted by several dopesters that Technology will probably have a better athletic season than ever before.

This year the T. A. C. will have complete charge of Field Day.

FIFTY-SEVENTH YEAR COMMENCES WITH 3528 STUDENTS REGISTERED

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so many students are enrolled for courses in science and engineering.

All Colleges Overcrowded

A marked increase in registration is to be noted in the figures of all the colleges and universities of the country. Columbia, probably the biggest university in the world, opened its doors with 31,000 students enrolled, in spite of the higher tuition fees

and the increased cost of living thousands of would-be freshmen were turned away from many of the New England Colleges.

Boston University reports 8,000 a large proportion of which is composed of women students. There will also be 400 ex-service men taking courses under Federal supervision. Holy Cross opened with 800, the largest registration in its history. The University of Maine is finding difficulty in housing its 1300 men registered there this year. Dartmouth with 1900 has exceeded last year's total by 200. Boston College had to utilize every available facility at its disposal to make room for the 800 students registered this year. Dean Anthony of the Tufts Engineering School said his department was filled to capacity since this summer with 425 students. Both Amherst and Wesleyan have

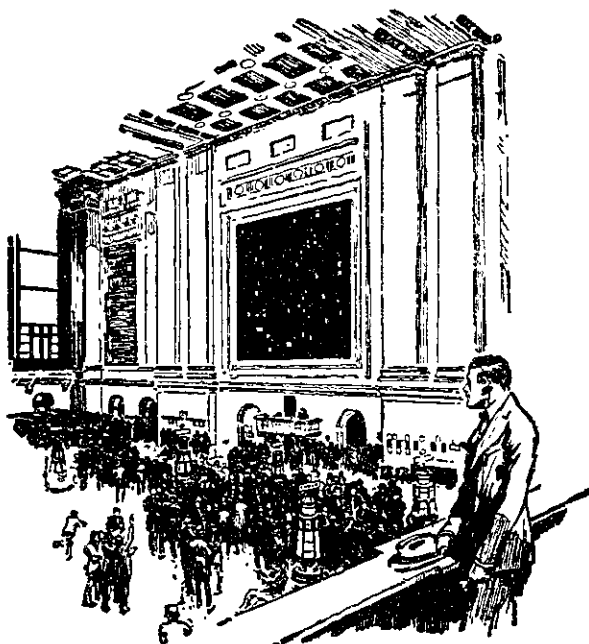
limited their freshmen classes, the former to 180 the latter to 170 members.

Our esteemed rival, Harvard, ran well beyond 5000 this year. The feature of this year's opening is the new Harvard Graduate School of Education, established last Spring with a two million dollar endowment for the training of teachers. The Harvard Engineering School, re-established last year after the merger with Technology was declared void, has incorporated in its curriculum a plan of industrial co-operation somewhat similar to the co-operative electrical engineering course here at the Institute. Students will spend part of their Junior year working in industrial plants.

The entering class at Yale this fall numbers about 900, thereby breaking all records for freshman classes at Yale.

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