

PACK SHUBERT FOR 1921 PASSING SHOW IN GAY TECH NIGHT

**Hilarious Celebrators Hail
Willie Howard and Pretty
Chorus with Delight**

FURNISH GOOD LOCAL HUMOR

"The Passing Show of 1921" was greeted by the most hilarious audience of its run, when 2000 Technology students celebrated the annual Tech Night at the Shubert Theatre last Friday evening after Field Day. With a show that possessed all the qualities of a first-class musical comedy, even the usual lack of any plot, a chorus that was exceptionally easy to look at, good singing and dancing, Willie Howard and his company did their best to make the occasion joyful for the reveling engineers. Although the audience was boisterous, which made it difficult oftentimes to hear the actors, there was no disorderly conduct.

The crowd began to arrive early and each man was given a hat with his class numeral on it as he came in. Seniors and Sophomores were given gray headgear and the Juniors and freshmen got red ones. The theatre was nearly full when the curtain went up for the prologue.

The show started with a "throw-back" on "Little Old New York" introducing the James boys, the Smith brothers with adolescent whiskers, Lydia Pinkham, Gillette and others, and shifted in the fourth scene to the New York of 1921, after which "The Charm School" came into session. It was in this act that the Melette Sisters first came into the program and their vivacity and talent made the scene go great with the audience.

Willie Has Prohibition Camel

Willie Howard and his partner Eugene, with their Prohibition Camel set up the "Lenox Grill" on the Sahara Desert in the shade of a William Jennings Bryan Sphinx, and sold snake bite medicine at \$50. a smell.

Willie and Eugene again featured in the Chinese Mecca Scene Willie as (Continued on Page 4.)

T. C. A. CAMPAIGN IS TO END ON NEXT SATURDAY

**Canvass Will be Made at All
Fraternities**

The T. C. A. campaign is to end Saturday, November 12, as announced. To date the T. C. A. has received only \$1123.94 which is considerably less than the amount aimed for, which was \$2300.

There is still at the T. C. A. office \$1100.00 due students from the sale of books last month. It has been suggested by several students who have sold books through the association that the students profiting through the book exchange should share the expense of the exchange, namely \$60.00. The T. C. A. following this suggestion is sending a letter to each student who sold books through them asking that he contribute to the association his share in the expense of the book exchange. Such contributions are to be wholly voluntary.

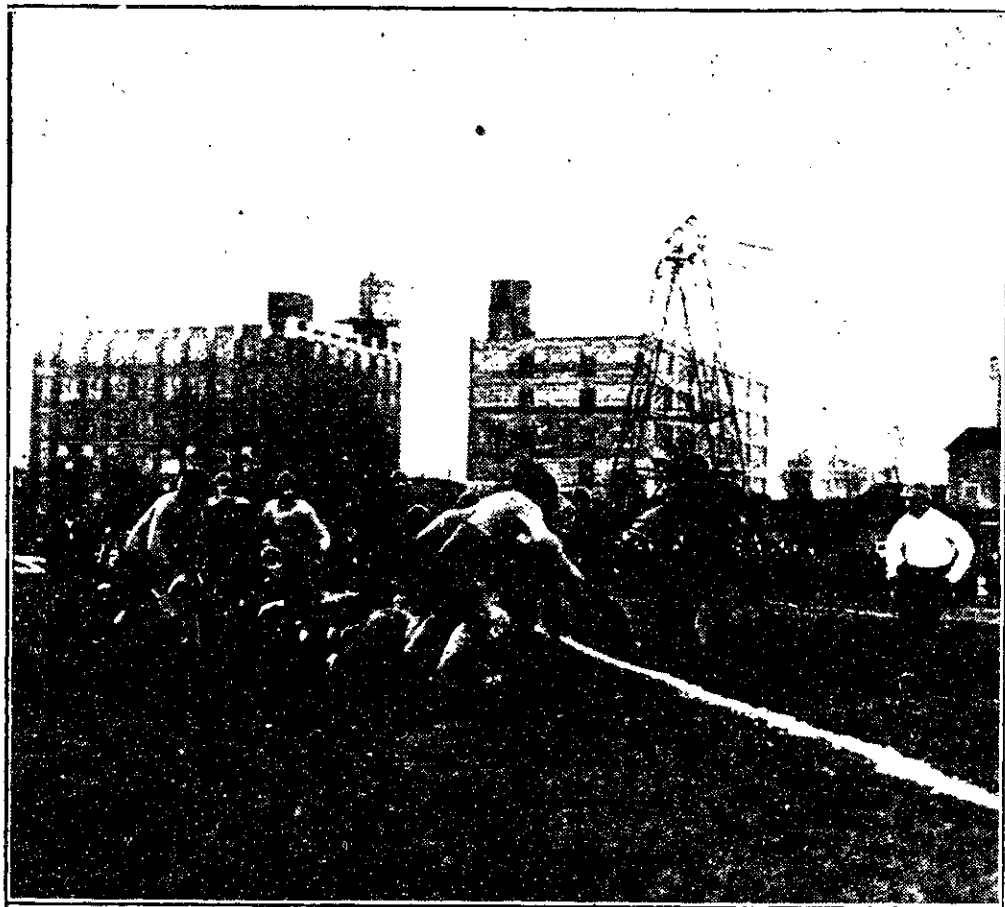
A committee of twenty-two with P. T. Coffin '21, is to speak before the twenty-two fraternities in behalf of the T. C. A. drive. Each of these men is a fraternity man but none will speak before his own house. The talk is to be given after dinner some evening this week. After the talk a pledge book will be passed around in which pledges may be made. The book will then be left with a member of the fraternity.

Two new appointments have been made to the T. C. A. cabinet. C. H. Hubbard '22 has been appointed Director of the Meetings and Albert Calvert '21 has been re-appointed Director of Foreign Students Work.

CLEOFAN WILL MEET TODAY

Members of the Cleofan will meet in the Margaret Cheney room today at 5 o'clock for tea. There will be a short business meeting before the tea and plans for future activities will be discussed.

GLIMPSE OF THE ONLY FROSH VICTORY



Ray Leonard 1925's Right Half-Back Rounding The End

M. E. SOCIETY PLANS SMOKER

The Mechanical Engineering Society will meet in the main hall of Walker at 8 o'clock on Thursday, November 17, to puff Pall Malls and hear a talk by C. J. Hogue, manager of the West Coast Forest Products Company. Mr. Hogue will talk on the lumbering industry and will show pictures of lumbering operations in the mountains of the western coast. Professor Hayward says that Mr. Hogue is a most interesting speaker, in fact, he went so far as to say that although he has heard the talk once before he intends to hear it again.

LATE HOURS TO PREVAIL AT ARMISTICE DANCE

One of the features of the Armistice dance Friday night is that it is one of the rare occasions when the royal stamp of approval is placed upon early morning dancing. The dance will start at 9 o'clock and for the next five hours Bert Lowe's eight will reign supreme.

The dance is to be formal, although all ex-service men are requested to wear their uniforms. There will be fifteen program dances in addition to several extras during dinner, which will come at 11:30 o'clock. The main hall of Walker Memorial will be the scene of action.

The list of patrons and patronesses, as announced by the dance committee, consists of: Dean and Mrs. Talbot, Mrs. Edward Cunningham, Professor and Mrs. Edward Miller, Mrs. R. P. Bigelow, and Mr. and Mrs. Everett Morse. The dance is under the auspices of the British Empire Club.

Tickets for the dance may be obtained today in the main lobby, where they will be on sale from 9 to 12 o'clock. The price for both dance and dinner is \$3.00 per couple. All over expenses will be given to the T. A. C. in support of athletics at the Institute.

CHEMIST INDUSTRIAL PIVOT SAYS CARTER INK OFFICIAL

The importance of the chemist in the modern day industry was the keynote of the talk by Chief Chemist Smith of the Carter Ink Co. in the visit of the Chemical Society to that plant Thursday. Believing that the chemist is the "goat" when goods are not up to specifications and so he is really the responsible person for the quality of such materials, Mr. Smith emphasized to the visitors their place in the industry.

The men were taken through the entire plant of the Company where they witnessed all the processes of manufacture and shipping of the multifold articles that comprise the Carter output. Starting from the mixing of the ingredients of ink, mucilage, typewriter ribbons, rubber stamps and other articles the chemists traced these things through the different stages of manufacture to their completion to a finished product and thence to the shipping and packing rooms for export.

They were much impressed by the orderly system prevailing in the layouts of the plants and the great number of purely mechanical processes that were employed. They also expressed their satisfaction in the courtesy shown by the company employees.

MEMBERS OF FIELD DAY TEAMS BANQUET

**Hold Dinner in North Hall
Where Coach Kanaly
Speaks**

The annual Field Day banquet was held Saturday evening in the north hall of Walker and witnessed the burying of the hatchet of the Sophomore and freshman teams in a happy get-together.

The banquet was attended by over 150 men and Dr. Rockwell '86, congratulated the members on the unprecedented turnout for the Field Day activities. He saw in this gathering a new and better era for the healthy and honorable sports in the Institute. Reminiscently he described the change in athletics from the time he was a student to the present when every man in the faculty and alumni was backing the promotion of Institute sports.

Following the dinner which was pronounced by many to be excellent and a worthy reward for their labors on the athletic field the captains of the various teams spoke and all expressed their appreciation of the faithful support and constant advice tendered by the coaches who, the captains said, were in the main responsible for tiding them over their "dark days" when their hopes were low.

The traditional Field Day cup was (Continued on Page 4.)

MANY SLOW TIMES AT HANDICAP TRACK MEET

**Combination of Tech Night
and Gale of Wind Hard
on Speedsters**

The most exciting moment of the afternoon was when A. D. Smith and W. L. Smith, both Juniors, fought for first place in the 440 yard dash. The first Smith had a slight handicap over the second but they were together all the way around the turn and about a foot apart at the tape. Throughout the whole course of the meet there was an extremely high wind which swept down the track. This, coupled with the celebration on Friday night, explains the prevailing slow times.

Tyson Nimick '24 was the high point winner with firsts in the shotput and discus. A. R. Tonon '22 was second with a first in the hammer and a second in the shotput.

The meet started at 3:00 o'clock sharp. It was run off fast to avoid the darkness, and the last event was finished before five o'clock.

Few Entries in Field Events

There were plenty of contestants out for the track events but the field events received but few entries. The lack of entrants was especially noticeable in the weight events and the polevault. Perhaps men were scared (Continued on Page 3.)

SOPHOMORES EARN PLACE WITH FIELD DAY VICTORS

**Frosh Take Sophomores Over in Football Battle
—Tug-of-War Is Also Hard Fought**

The 9-4 Sophomore victory on Field Day was attended by one of the largest crowds that ever witnessed a contest on Tech Field. The grandstands were packed with strangely enthusiastic erstwhile brown-baggers, with a strong flavoring of femininity in the center section. The two upper classes were well represented; there were in the neighborhood of 400 Sophomores present and about half as many freshmen. The only counters scored by the yearlings in the annual battle were in the hardest fought event of the afternoon, the football game. Here the '25 squad clearly showed its supremacy. The tug-of-war was in doubt until the last pull and the relay was well fought all the way; so with the exception of crew the teams were all very evenly matched.

SHOW HOLDS SMOKER FOR MUSIC AND LYRIC WRITERS

The annual Tech Show Music and Lyric smoker is to be held this year on Tuesday, November the eighth, at eight o'clock in the East Lounge of Walker Memorial. This event should be attended by all men who can write either music or verses. An outline of all the data necessary will be given the fellows at this time together with the type of music which is most desired. The men will be paired off so that the co-writers of each piece can work together from the beginning and, in this way, obtain the best possible results. Freshmen in particular should be sure to arrange their plans so as to include this smoker as they are the ones who will need to find out the most about the plans. As in previous years, all music and lyric writers will be taken on the Show trip.

DARING JUNIORS TAKE DOWN SOPHOMORE FLAG

**Nail '23 and '25 Banners to Top
of Institute Flagmasts**

The only flag that the Sophomores were able to raise after an entire night of effort last Thursday, was taken down by a daring Junior who pulled himself out 40 feet on the thin wire cable stretched between the transmission towers at the east side of Tech Field, on which the second year flag was hung, and cut the banner down. The Juniors and freshmen also made some constructive move, for when the sun came up Friday morning, the '23 and '25 flags were found nailed to the tops of the two Institute flagpoles, scoring a complete shutout on 1924. Major Smith took the last trick however, for with the assistance of two steeplejacks and a corps of painters, removed all signs of the flags before breakfast, and covered over the big red 1925 that had been painted on the rifle range facing Tech Field.

Sophs Lose on First Move

The Sophomores started things early Thursday night by trying to put their flag on one of the poles in the great court. They were thwarted by the presence of Major Smith and his assistants, who had led the flag ropes safely into the windows of room 370 in buildings 3 and 4. Failing in this they tried the parade ground flagpole but were kept from this by freshmen until the night watchmen arrived who emphatically declared that no flag was to go up the poles and stayed on the job to see that their orders were regarded.

Notwithstanding this interference by the watchman, the '23 flag went up on the Tech Field flagpole, and the (Continued on Page 4.)

MIKE WINS ANNUAL RACE

The usual handicap race between Mike Hoar and W. C. Hull was run between the halves of the football game Friday. The distance was 100 yards, with Mike's handicap at 29 yds. Both men did their best to "beat the gun" and a number of false starts resulted, before the two finally got away. Mike won by a good two yards in spite of Hull's best efforts. Hull's time was 10.35 seconds so that Mike had to give his best to win the purse and the glory. After his victory he was carried down the track before the stands in triumph on the shoulders of two of the cheer leaders.

Soph Crew Wins By Length And A Quarter

Experience, weight and endurance all told in the final heat of the freshman and Sophomore crews in their contest on Field Day. The '24 oarsmen were comparatively fresh after leading the frosh across the finish line with a length and a quarter to spare.

Having lost the toss for position the Sophomores took up their position at the starting line on the windward side of the course. Getting underway in the sheltered and calm waters of the upper end of the basin the two boats were about even for the first of the mile course.

Sophs Have Strong Finish

At this point however the slower but more powerful stroke of the '24 oarsmen enabled them to gain a slight advantage which they held to Harvard Bridge. Starting to sprint at this point they further increased their lead over the cubs.

Though the frosh held their more experienced rivals for the greater portion of the race, they were unable to go the pace over the finishing stretch and trailed by a length and a quarter at the end.

The race was started and referred by Coach Bill Haines of the Crimson varsity crew. The judges were Dr. R. H. Howe, Herbert Haines, A. W. Stevens and W. S. Youngman, all of whom are connected with rowing at Harvard.

The time of 5 minutes 40 seconds, though two seconds below the Field Day record, was good when consideration is taken of the choppy water at the end of the course.

The Sophomores also won the preliminary tilt which was run off between the second crews, winning by a margin of two and a half lengths.

Both Teams Battle Hard In Tug-Of-War

The Sophomore tug-of-war team, after winning the first pull and being rushed off its feet in the second, came back strong in the third effort, yanking the freshmen over the line after two minutes of back-breaking work.

The first test was very even with '24 gaining by inches. The frosh worked together but didn't have quite (Continued on Page 4.)

CALENDAR

- Monday, November 7, 1921
 - 5:00—Publicity Managers' meeting, Faculty and Alumni room, Walker.
- Tuesday, November 8, 1921
 - 7:30—Music and Lyric writer's smoker in east lounge, Walker.
 - 7:30—Naval Architecture Society smoker, Faculty and Alumni room, Walker.
- Friday, November 11, 1921
 - 6:00—Students' Hospitality Committee Dinner, north hall, Walker.
 - 6:30—Class of '11 Dinner, Grill Room, Walker.
 - 9:00—Armistice Dance under auspices of British Empire Club, main hall, Walker.
- Saturday, November 12, 1921
 - 1:30—N. E. I. C. C. Franklin Field.
 - 6:30—Athletic Insignia Award Dinner, Engineers Club, Commonwealth Ave.
- Thursday, November 17, 1921
 - 7:30—Mechanical Engineering Society Smoker, north hall, Walker.
- Friday, November 18, 1921
 - 6:30—Federal Board Club Dinner, Faculty Dining Room, Walker.
 - 8:00—Dorm Dance, main hall, Walker.
- Saturday, November 19, 1921
 - 8:00—Cosmopolitan Club Dance, north hall, Walker.
 - 8:30—Catholic Club Federation Dance, main hall, Walker.
- Tuesday, November 22, 1921
 - 6:00—Faculty Club Dinner Dance, main hall, Walker.
- Saturday, November 26, 1921
 - 3:00—Tea Dance, Benefit of Crew, main hall, Walker.
- Monday, November 28, 1921
 - 6:30—Alumni Council Dinner, Faculty dining room.