

SOPHOMORES WILL HOLD BIG VICTORY BANQUET

Field Day Teams Awarded Class Numerals

SIGN-UPS REDEEMED TOMORROW

Signups for the Sophomore Victory Banquet will be redeemed all day Tuesday in the main lobby. The cost of redeeming them will be \$1.50. No signups will be sold after 6:30 o'clock Monday.

The banquet is to be held Thursday evening in the main hall of Walker Memorial. A program has been arranged which G. H. Cowan '24, who is chairman of the committee on arrangements, promises will make the dinner the best of its kind ever held. Frank Gage will furnish the music.

The following speakers have been secured for the evening: Dean H. P. Talbot, Charles Pipkin of the English Department, D. F. Carpenter '22, president of the Senior class, and Major E. W. Putney of the Military Science Department. The Major will probably tell some of his characteristic stories. Two movies will be shown, a Buster Keaton Comedy and a cartoon. Some specialty song acts have been arranged.

Numbers Will Be Awarded
The members of the Field Day teams will receive their class numerals. T. M. Taylor '22, president of the M. I. T. A. A. will make the awards and will say a few words.

President Keck urges all members of the class to attend the banquet and to help to make it as great a success as was Field Day. The banquet is primarily a Field Day affair, and has the strong and undivided support of the various 1924 teams. All are urged to redeem their signups as early as possible in order to reduce the noontime crowd.

T. E. N. EDITORS PICK PRIZE CONTEST WINNER

Professor Robinson's Students Compete for Honors

WILL MAKE TWO AWARDS

In a strenuous session last Saturday afternoon the Tech Engineering News editorial board picked the ten best essays out of over a hundred papers handed in by students in Professor A. T. Robinson's course in Engineering Publicity. These ten best essays will shortly be submitted to a group of three men prominent in the industrial and business life of Boston and the two best reports picked by that group will be awarded, according to their respective merits, the prizes of \$50 and \$25 out of funds left for this purpose by the will of the late R. A. Boit, noted insurance man of Boston.

Mr. Boit has left a considerable sum of money, the interest from which is annually appropriated for some purpose leading to the development of good English at the Institute. This year the appropriation has been granted to Professor Robinson to be used in his general courses as prizes for the best essays written on some subject connected with the industrial or business relations of the country. Two prizes are to be awarded each term, and the students taking course E58 are the contestants for the honors during this term. By the rules of the contest, the choice of the subjects were to be approved by Professor Robinson before November 1, and the manuscripts all handed in by the end of the month.

Editors Commend Reports

The reports that have been handed in cover a large variety of subjects. Although most of them deal with some business or general industrial question, some of them are quite technical in descriptions of various machinery and appliances, while some even wandered across the seas, dealing with conditions as they exist in the countries of Europe. The editors of the Tech Engineering News are unanimous, however, in their praise of the general character of all the reports. They all show deep thought, and many also reveal extensive study and knowledge on the part of the contestants. But true to the spirit of the donor the essays are judged very much for their form. Papers written as reports were expected to be according to the prevalent style of engineering reports, were also to be logical, systematic in arrangement and clear and concise of expression. On the other hand essays written as publication articles are

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ELECTED CAPTAIN OF CROSS COUNTRY TEAM



ROBERT E. HENDRIE '23
Who Was Elected Last Friday to Lead
The Technology Cross-Country Team

M. I. T. A. A. INITIATES PUBLICITY DEPARTMENT

Freshman Competitions for Manager Have Started

WORK TO BE INTERESTING

Competitions open to freshmen leading to positions in the Publicity Department of the M. I. T. A. A. are to start today. Candidates will report to O. G. Williams '22, the publicity manager, in the M. I. T. A. A. office today at 5 o'clock.

There will be three men chosen who will continue work throughout their Sophomore year, when one of them will be made publicity manager of the M. I. T. A. A. The candidates will be given an opportunity to prove their ability at this kind of work because this department is planning to publish complete schedules of all teams.

The work will be divided into three classes: straight publicity, which includes interviews and work with the newspapers; poster work, which should make an appeal to those with artistic ability; and photographic work, such as team pictures, and the like.

SPEAKS ON PRACTICAL SIDE OF SCIENTIFIC CONCRETE

Colonel H. S. Boyden of the Portland Cement Association will address the Civil Engineering Society this afternoon on the practical side of scientific concrete work. The meeting is to take place in room 5-330 at 5 o'clock and is open to all who are interested.

Boyden has been connected with the Chicago laboratory of the Portland Cement Association for some time. He was obtained for the Institute by Professor C. B. Breed.

MANY TRY FOR TECH SHOW CAST

Following the Tech Show smoker Tuesday night, practice for the positions in "The Sacred Cow" started. The cast will first be picked, then the chorus, and last the ballet. Work is now being done in Room 4-370.

Donald Jennings '24, of the Publicity Department, states that more men have reported for try-outs than in any previous year. Anyone who did not sign up at the smoker, who wishes to try for the chorus or cast, may go to the Show office any day at 5 o'clock. Men who can do character work, such as impersonating an Englishman or a Frenchman are particularly in demand.

R. E. HENDRIE CHOSEN NEW HARRIER LEADER

Receives Captaincy by Unanimous Vote of Team— Has Run Two Years

FOUR VETERANS RETURN

At a meeting of the cross-country team held Friday afternoon Bob Hendrie '23 was unanimously elected captain of next year's team. For the past two years Hendrie has scored in every meet. He is the steadiest runner on the cross-country squad and has never gone bad in a race.

Hendrie did very little running before he entered Technology. He went out for freshman cross-country but barely made '23 squad of harriers. In his sophomore year he surprised the coach by placing fifth in the meet (Continued on Page 3)

MR. COPITHORNE READS FROM THACKERY'S "VANITY FAIR"

Selections from several of Thackeray's works were the main features of Mr. Copithorne's reading in the library of Walker last Thursday evening. Readings from "The Newcomes," and "Vanity Fair," as well as the entire "Ballad of Bouillabaisse" were well received by an appreciative audience. This week Mr. Copithorne will read an American short-story and a selection of modern American verse.

OFFER BRONZE COMPASSES FOR SALE AT REDUCTION

The Supply Depot of the Corps of Engineers has on hand a large number of which has been sent to Military Science Department with request that orders be taken at \$1 each. The compasses were prepared for use in the A. E. F. during the late war by a Swiss concern. They are pocket size, being about two inches in diameter, and have a polished mirror reflector which enables the reading to be taken without the necessity of lowering the instrument from the eye. It is marked every five degrees and numbered every 20 degrees. Among other features it has a luminous arrow which allows it to be used at night, a floating dial which becomes locked when the cover is closed, and a jewel support. The dial spins freely when released by button.

Anyone interested is advised to see Captain Clark in 3-310. About 250 men have already signed up for compasses of which 30 have been received and delivered. Captain Clark expects an assignment of 90 today which will be distributed to those men who have already signed up. This opportunity is offered exclusively to Technology students and is a big reduction in open market prices which range from \$5 to \$8.

GLEE CLUB WILL MAKE ENTERTAINMENT PLANS

There will be a meeting in the near future of the Simmons and Technology committees which are in charge of the entertainment-dance to be given in the main hall, Walker, on February 3. Many of the details of the affair will be decided at this meeting.

The Simmons students of the committee are: Evelyn Rose, manager of the Glee Club; Helen Watkins, Marjorie Boyd, and Ruth Leavitt.

TREASURERS' REPORTS DUE

The reports of the treasurers of all activities are due today. Any reports that are not turned in on time will incur a fine, as was decided at the last meeting of the Finance Committee. The picture of the Finance Committee was taken last Wednesday.

LYNN CONCERT HELD TONIGHT

The Lynn Concert of the Musical Clubs will be held tonight. Members are requested to be at the North Station in time to take the train which leaves for Lynn at 7:05 o'clock.

MAIL STATISTICS BALLOTS TO ALL JUNIORS TODAY

The Statistics Ballots for Technique 1923 will be sent out to all Juniors today. They are to be returned on or before December 15, at the Information Office, 10-100, the Institute mail boxes, or the Technique Office, Walker 308. Technique wants as many ballots returned as possible in order to get the opinion of the whole class.

ADMIRAL TING KAN TSAI PAYS VISIT TO BOSTON

Is Entertained by Members of the Chinese Clubs

Admiral Ting Kan Tsai, one of the Chinese delegates to the disarmament conference, arrived in Boston last Saturday morning. He was formerly chairman of the committee on tariff revision in China, and is an expert on tariff and international relations.

The Chinese Clubs of the Institute, Boston University, and Harvard united in giving him a reception in the Phillips Brook's House yesterday at 2 o'clock. The presidents of the Clubs gave short talks.

STUDENT FUND DRIVE WILL START TODAY

Contributions Asked for European Student Relief—Other Schools Responding

COLLEGES MUST GIVE \$500,000

The drive for the Student Fund to aid the unfortunate students of central Europe and Asia Minor opens at Technology today. The drive here at the Institute is under the supervision of the Institute Committee with H. C. Gayley '22 the chairman in charge. It will continue throughout the week.

The American organization of the World's Student Christian Federation is conducting the relief work and is the author of the drive in this country although the national units of the Federation in twenty-five other countries are inaugurating similar campaigns in their own lands. This organization began its relief operations in behalf of the students of Europe in March, 1920, in the City of Vienna. During the spring and summer the scope of the work was increased until in August the general European Student Relief scheme was formally launched by a convention of students of thirty-nine nations gathered at Beatenburg, Switzerland.

Campaign Raised \$580,000
All that fall a campaign for funds and supplies was carried which raised \$580,000 among the college students of twenty-six countries. This fund was used by the Federation in connection with the American Relief Administration in aiding 70,000 students of 120 universities and colleges of Central Europe.

A decision by the Federation to continue its work this year has been endorsed by the Council of North American Student Movements and as a result campaigns for the Student Friendship Fund, as it has been named, are being carried on at the various colleges and universities of the United States.

To adequately meet the demands of the situation for the coming winter and provide relief for all those in need a minimum of \$750,000 will be required. Of this sum it will be necessary for the students of America to give at least \$500,000. The drives now in progress at several colleges have already netted \$25,000 of this amount as just a beginning. Yale is one of the few schools which has completed its campaign and her final report shows contributions totaling \$9,000. Other colleges at which the drive is still in progress have made reports as follows: Penn. State \$1500, U. of W. Virginia \$1040, Mt. Holyoke \$1800, Union \$1000, Bryn Mawr \$1000, and Columbia \$400.

Technology Has \$10,000 Quota
Gayley says that the contributions from each college are expected to average between two and three dollars per student, and that the returns thus far indicate that such is a reasonable figure. In that case Technology with its large enrollment will have a considerable quota to fill, between \$7,000 and \$10,000 being expected from us. However, says Gayley, if Yale can raise \$9,000 Technology should be able to do its bit as well.

STUDENT DIRECTORIES READY.

The Directory of Officers and Students, containing the names and addresses of the instructing staff, and of the undergraduates, are ready for distribution at the Information Office in room 10-100.

STUDENTS REGISTER FOR SECOND TERM

Distribute Material in Class- rooms and Laboratories This Week

MUST BE IN BY SATURDAY

Registration of all students for the second term will be carried on by the Institute during this week. Material for registration will be distributed to the student body according to classes. The registrar plans to conduct this work along a line similar to that of last year, having the material issued to the men in various rooms throughout the Institute. This is to be returned during the week at a classroom listed in the following schedule, which forms part of an official bulletin from the Registrar's office.

BULLETIN

All students, whether or not they are regularly taking the subject, are to attend the exercises of their year and course at which blanks and instructions will be given out for registration for the second term.

Graduate students are to call at the Information Office for their blanks.

The registration blanks will be issued and collected during the week of December 5th as follows:

First Year: Issued at first exercise in Chemistry Laboratory; collected at second exercise in Chemistry Laboratory.

Second Year: Issued at Military Science, the first exercise of the week in room 2-390; collected at Military Science, the third exercise of the week in room 2-390.

Third Year: Issued except to Course XV, at Monday lecture in Political Economy in room 5-330. Issued to Course XV at Monday lecture in Ec. 37 in room 3-270. Collected except from Course XV at Friday recitation in Political Economy. Collected from Course XV at Thursday recitation in Ec. 37.

The fourth year men will have their registration material issued to them by courses.

Course I: Issued on Monday at Heat Eng. 246 in room 5-330 from 2-3 o'clock; collected on Friday at Heat Eng. 246 in room 5-330 from 12-1 o'clock.

Course II: Issued Monday at Heat Eng. 245 in room 3-370 from 10-11 o'clock; collected on Friday at Heat Eng. 245 in room 3-370 at 9-10 o'clock.

Course III: Issued by Professor Locke; collected by Professor Locke in room 8-109.

Course IV: Issued at Rogers Building in room 8; collected at Rogers Building in room 8.

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BRUSH WILL ADDRESS FACULTY ON NON-TECHNICAL STUDIES

Matthew C. Brush '01, who managed the Hog Island shipyard, will speak to the instructing staff of the Institute at 7:30 o'clock Friday evening in room 4-270. His subject will be, "The Non-Technical Study I Consider of Greatest Benefit." Faculty members of the National Society for Promotion of Engineering Education, headed by Professor W. H. Timbie, secured Mr. Brush.

Mr. F. W. Fabyan, Mr. H. A. Morss, and Mr. F. P. Fish, all of the Corporation, will discuss the same general topic. "The aim of the meeting," says Professor Timbie, "is to get a line on the problem of an engineer's education on the cultural side. We feel that in considering the broadening of Institute work Mr. Brush's opinion on what has helped him will be of value." "Matt" Brush came here two years ago to speak at the Hog Island smoker in Walker and was greeted by 2000 undergraduates. He remarked at that time, "If a Tech man can make good before Tech men he can make good before men anywhere in the world."

CALENDAR

- Friday, December 2
7:30—Rehearsal of Choral Society, room 5-330.
8:00—Trip Concert, main hall, Walker.
Tuesday, December 6
7:00—Ordnance Unit smoker, north hall, Walker.
7:45—Mining Society smoker, Faculty dining room.
Thursday, December 8
5:30—Class of 1924 banquet, main hall, Walker.
7:30—C. E. Society smoker, north hall, Walker.
Friday, December 9
8:30—Class of 1923 dance, main hall, Walker.
Saturday, December 10
8:00—Lutheran Club dance, north hall, Walker.
8:00—Dorm dance, main hall, Walker.