

HARRIERS FACE CRUCIAL TEST AT PRINCETON

Varsity Race Tomorrow Will
Be Against Fast and
Experienced Team

TIGER SQUAD COMPOSED ENTIRELY OF VETERANS

Engineer Team Faster Than
That Defeated in Last
Season's Run

PRESENT COMBINATION HAS BETTER BALANCE

Ad varsity cross country —
Under the leadership of Captain
Gubby Holt, the varsity harriers left
last night for Princeton where they
will meet the stiffest opposition they
have encountered this year when they
race the Tigers runners tomorrow over
a five and one fourth mile course.
Princeton has every man back this
season of the team that defeated the
Engineers last year by the close count
of 26-30, and they will push Coach
Connor's men to the limit to try to re-
peat the victory of a year ago.

This run calls for a seven-man team
and the same men that ran against
Harvard Saturday will make the trip.
Captain Holt, Fricker, Bemis, Rooney,
Keplinger, Duffy and Parkinson form
a combination that is hard to beat and
a close struggle is certain to occur
when they run tomorrow against the
Tigers.

The Engineers are shaping up at
this stage of the season into a team
possessing great scoring power and en-
durance which even has a little edge
over the strong team of last year. The

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FIRST OF ALDRED LECTURES TODAY — SWOPE TO SPEAK

Senior and Graduate Classes
Omitted During the
Lecture

WIDELY KNOWN FOR WAR WORK HERE AND ABROAD

Gerard Swope '95 president of the Gen-
eral Electric Company, will be the speak-
er at the first of the Aldred Lectures to
be held this morning at 10 o'clock in
room 10-250. Exercises for the Seniors
and Graduate students will be omitted
during this hour in order to enable the
students to hear Mr. Swope. He will
tell in general of some of his experiences
both as an executive and in the electrical
field.

Awarded Medals of Honor

Mr. Swope is both a business man
and an engineer. Through his con-
nection with the General Electric Com-
pany, first as president of the Interna-
tional General Electric Company and
later of the main organization he has
traveled extensively abroad, especially
in the Orient. In this way he has
been able to acquire first hand infor-
mation. During the war he served as
one of the principal advisors and assis-
tants to the Director of Purchase, Stor-
age and Traffic. Partly due to his
forethought was the carrying out of the
steel procurement program of 1918.

Schedule Given Out

Because of his services during the
war he has been given the Distin-

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FRESHMAN NOMINATIONS

Nomination blanks for freshman
class officers to be elected next
Wednesday must be turned in at the
Information Office between 9 o'clock
today and 12 tomorrow. Signatures
of ten sponsors and the consent of
the nominee are necessary for nom-
ination.

SMALL CROWD PRESENT AT TECHNIQUE SMOKER

After informal addresses by Mr. C.
F. Lyman of the E.H. Department and
G. W. Knight '24, General Manager,
those attending the Technique 1925
smoker in Walker last Wednesday night
adjourned to the Technique office, where
cider and doughnuts were available. It
is against the rules of Walker to serve
food in the lounges, hence the change.

Plans for practices to be held in prepa-
ration for THE TECH-Technique
football game which will be held soon,
were made. Candidates for the publica-
tion were spoken to individually and ad-
vised which department to go out for.

MUSICAL CLUBS LOCAL CONCERTS ARRANGED

Eight of the 15 local concerts of the
Combined Musical Clubs are now ar-
ranged for and plans are under way
for the remainder of them. The win-
ter trip schedule is not available as yet
but the cities that are to be visited
will undoubtedly include New York,
Atlantic City, and Brooklyn. This trip
will, as usual, come during Christmas
week.

The eight local concerts are as fol-
lows: November 23, Plymouth; Decem-
ber 7, Fall Concert in Walker; Janu-
ary 19, Rogers Hall, Lowell; Febru-
ary 15, Sargent; February 22, Jordan
Hall, Boston; March 1, Wellesley;
April 17, Spring Concert in Walker.
The number of concerts have been re-
duced this year from the 33 of last
year to 15.

Men who have been busy with Field
Day affairs will have a chance to come
out for one or more of the various
clubs with very good chances of being
elected.

FIRST MEETING OF HOCKEY MEN COMES MONDAY

Those Interested in Sport to
Meet in 5-330 at
5 O'clock

Preceding a drive to put over one
of the biggest hockey seasons yet
known to the Institute, enthusiasts of
the puck and rink are gathering next
Monday to talk over plans and sched-
ules for this winter. A meeting on
that date at 5 o'clock in 5-330 has been
called by Denton Massey, captain of
the team. All members of the squad
and everybody interested in the sport
will be on hand. Coach Blacklock will
have charge of the team again this
year. Both he and the captain will
talk to the men.

To Talk on Canadian Trip

One matter of great interest that will
be brought up is the question of a Cana-
dian trip for the team after Christ-
mas. The idea was sanctioned by the
Advisory Council but final plans have
yet to be drawn up and approved. Dr.
Rowe and Dr. Rockwell, both members
of the council and both deeply interest-
ed in the advancement of athletics at
Technology will be at the meeting to
give their views on hockey and their
stand on the Christmas trip.

The schedule, tentative so far, in-
cludes, besides the five Canadian games,
contests with Yale, Cornell, and West
Point, a series of games for a cup with
Boston University, and a final game
with Dartmouth. This last will be at
Hanover and will be played during the
winter carnival week.

CORPORATION XV MEN TO TOUR RUBBER PLANT

Corporation XV will be the guests of
the Hood Rubber Company at their
Watertown Plant on Tuesday, Novem-
ber 13. The plant has provided special
guides for this tour and will furnish
each man taking it with a printed sched-
ule enabling him to observe the different
operations as they progress through the
plant. The party will be limited to 25
men and will leave the Institute at 2
o'clock from in front of Professor D.
R. Dewey's office.

Signups will be posted on the Bulletin
Board near room 1-180 on Monday. The
men will be taken through the plant in
groups of five so that they may have a
better chance to observe closely the op-
erations.

\$15 PRIZE CONTEST JUDGES ANNOUNCED

W. H. Robinson, Jr. '24, G. L.
Bateman '25, and D. A. Shepard
'26, Presidents of the three upper
classes, the President of the Fresh-
man class, to be elected November
14, and W. G. Peirce '24, General
Manager of THE TECH, have
been selected to be the Judges in
the Tech Night Prize Contest, be-
ing sponsored by THE TECH.

The Contest closes December 1.
All suggestions, in order to be con-
sidered, must be in the hands of
the Judges by that date. They
must be in writing, and not exceed
250 words in length. The prize,
\$15, will be awarded soon after the
closing of the contest. If the con-
testant so desired, he may include
in his suggestion anything concern-
ing the theater, or he may only in-
clude events to take place after
the theater is over.

Idas should be turned in at the
office of THE TECH.

REPLACE COURSE X HONOR SYSTEM BY BIG SOCIETY

American Institute of Chemical
Engineers' Code Defines
Members' Conduct

WILL INSTALL STUDENT CHAPTER OF SOCIETY

At a recent meeting of the Course X
Honor System Committee, the estab-
lishment of a student chapter of the
American Institute of Chemical En-
gineers was considered, and through
the aid of the Department such an
organization was found possible. The
American Institute of Chemical En-
gineers has among its members most
of the biggest men in the profession
throughout the country, but the out-
standing feature is the strict code
of ethics to which all members must
adhere. In a few words, this code
sets down in black and white every-
thing that a man should be in his busi-
ness or professional dealing, and vi-
olations of any sort are punishable by
expulsion from the society. Also upon
a man's application for membership,
his past record is investigated with
care to see if he is worthy of admis-
sion, and this decision is reached by
consideration of the applicant's pro-
fessional ability as well as his personal
integrity.

Next week popular elections will be

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STAFF OFFICERS HAVE RECEPTION

President Stratton Addresses
Sigma Alpha Beta
Meeting

"You will get as much out of Military
Science as you will out of many
of your other courses at the Institute,
and more than out of some," President
Stratton told the cadet officers of the
R. O. T. C. at their reception Wednes-
day night. Officers from the Military
Science department and the newly
commissioned cadet officers were pres-
ent at the reception, which was given
in the Walker Memorial under the aus-
pices of Sigma Alpha Beta for the
purpose of fostering interest in the fresh-
man battalion.

President Stratton told of his own
experience as captain in the cadet corps
at the University of Illinois during his
own undergraduate days, and as lieuten-
ant of the division of naval reserves
in Chicago later. His appointment to
the direction of the Bureau of Stand-
ards, and subsequently to the presi-
dency of Technology, he traced to his
military connections. "Anyone who re-
fuses a commission as cadet officer can
have no conception of the benefits it
will bring him," he concluded.

After Dr. Stratton had told what a
help the army had been to him, Major
L. E. Goodier told what a help Dr.
Stratton, through the Bureau of Stand-
ards, had been to the army.

"THE HIDDEN IDOL," BY W. T. COOK '24 ANNOUNCED AS NEW TECH SHOW BOOK



W. T. Cook '24

RIFLE CLUB SELECTS OFFICERS FOR SEASON

In the recent elections of the Rifle
Club officers for the coming year were
elected. The results are as follows:
President, D. M. Creveling '24; Vice
President, J. H. Fielding '25; Treasurer,
C. E. Peterson '25.

The rifle club was established at the
Institute several years ago for the pur-
pose of furthering the art of rifle shoot-
ing at Technology and to keep the stu-
dents posted in the progress of the
sport. It has accomplished a great deal
in the past and notable among its
achievements is the providing of a
suitable place for the rifle enthusiasts
to practice. The club awards a loving
cup every year to the high team on the
varsity squad during the past season.

FINAL PLANS FOR COMBINED DRIVE ABOUT COMPLETE

Committee Distributes Buttons
To All Those Who Make
Subscriptions

T. C. A. CABINET GIVES \$170 TO START DRIVE

Each member of the T. C. A. cabi-
net has subscribed \$10 to the coming
Combined Drive making a total of
\$170 to start the campaign on its way.
At a meeting held last evening in room
2-151 the final plans for the drive were
made. It will open Monday morning
with speeches in the various class
rooms. At this time envelopes will be
passed out which will be collected after
the class. The committee in charge
of the drive hopes to make it as short
as possible choosing as the slogan
"Once for All and All at Once."

After a man turns in his contribution
it will be taken to the main lobby and
registered with the committee in charge.
Any time after it has been registered
the man may secure a button which
states that he has subscribed to the
"three in one drive." Headquarters for
the drive will be in the back office of
the T. C. A. During the day there will
always be a member of the committee
in the main lobby booth.

Fraternities Rated

Members of the Faculty and instruct-
ing staff are being solicited by letter

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SENIORS AND GRADUATES will
be excused from their usual 10
o'clock classes today to enable them
to attend the Aldred lecture by Ger-
ard Swope '95 in room 10-250.

SCENE OF PLAY LAID IN ASIAN BACK COUNTRY

Author Outlines Plot at Show
Smoker Wednesday Night
in Walker

FORMER SHOW MANAGER RELATES EXPERIENCES

W. T. Cook '24, author of Tech Show
1924, selected Turkestan as the scene
of next Spring's production, "The Hid-
den Idol." That the Board of Judges
who pick the book had decided on this
one was announced at the smoker held
by Tech Show Wednesday evening.
Cook is taking Course VI, and his
home is in Norwich, Conn. He is an
Associate Editor of Yoo Doo.

The meeting was opened by F. P.
Dunleavy '24, General Manager of the
Show, who, after stating what places
are to be included in the Tech Show
trip this year, introduced Alexander
Macomber '07, the Stage Manager of
Tech Show 1909. He related some of
the experiences of the first Tech
Shows. He compared the activity to
an evergrowing snowball, and added
that it could be favorably set up against
some of the professional organizations
on the present day stage.

The original purpose of the show was
to raise money with which to support
the athletic teams but since then it has
grown into a separate organization with
a distinct purpose of getting the men
together in a worthwhile activity.

Worthington Dances

Just to give the new men an idea as
to what the show did, Hood Worthing-
ton '24 gave his Screening dance, which
was a part of the show last year. On
the encore he used castanets. Miss
Virginia Turner, who is coaching the
ballet this year, gave a short talk on
her experiences with the early ballets.
She emphasized the fun to be had in
that branch of the show as well as the
actual training along classical dancing
lines. Next in order, J. L. Clifford '25
sang some of the songs from former
Tech Shows, "Somewhere" from last
year opened the program and a song
"Memories" of two years ago was the
closing number.

Plot Is Exciting

W. T. Cook '24 was then introduced.
"And in a grand and glorious ending"
were his opening words. He began

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PRES. STRATTON HOLDS FRESHMAN RECEPTION

President Stratton assisted by Dean
and Mrs. Elliot held a reception for
the freshman class yesterday afternoon
between 4 and 6 o'clock at the Presi-
dent's home on Charles River Road. Al-
though only a part of the class was
present, those that took advantage of the
opportunity to meet President Stratton
personally enjoyed their experience im-
mensely.

Contrary to the expectations of most
of the men the reception was informal.
Immediately on entering one was put at
his ease. Refreshments were served and
those present considered the reception
was a huge success.

CALENDAR

Friday, November 9
8:00 12:00 Informal Dinner, Dean's home, 10-250
Walker
Tuesday, November 13
6:00 Mining Engineering Society dinner,
north hall, Walker
Wednesday, November 14
7:30 Electrical Engineering Society smoker,
main hall, Walker
Friday, November 16
8:00 Senior Fare For All, Walker