

COMBINED SOCIETIES HOLD SMOKER TONIGHT

Robert B. Wolf will be the speaker of the evening at the Combined Professional Societies smoker in main hall, Walker, tonight. On account of the general interest of the meeting the smoker will be open to students and faculty.

During the war Mr. Wolf was connected with the Emergency Fleet Corporation. At present he is a consulting engineer in New York City, the bulk of his work being in the capacity of an efficiency engineer. His talk will cover largely his experiences as an engineer in handling men and will be accompanied by movies.

"ALARM CLOCK" AT THE ST. JAMES IS GOOD

Avery Hopwood's latest farce, "The Alarm Clock," which is being produced by the Boston Stock Company at the St. James Theatre this week can easily be considered as one of the best stock productions of the season. The humor and plot are as substantial as in most of the author's plays and the stock company has added a great deal in a clever and original interpretation of the characters.

A slightly urbanized family is transplanted from Kraum Korner, Maine, to the home of a middle aged bachelor in New York City in order to give him a taste of real family life but before they are in the city long they are more jazzy and are better steppers than the New Yorker himself. The acid-tongued widow is not slow in abandoning her rural manner, her daughter follows a close second and even the professor is not averse to the charms of the big city.

Walter Gilbert, in the role of the bachelor, gives his usual excellent performance, portraying with extreme care the joys and sorrows of a bachelor's existence. Miss Mason deserves credit for her portrayal of the shy country miss who later develops into a real member of the ultra-jazz age; the company is exceedingly fortunate in having secured her services once more. Miss Layne, playing the widow, Ralph Remley in the role of Charlie Morton and Houston Richards, as the professor of Filipino at Columbia, all give extremely interesting performances. The entire company deserves credit for the success of the production.

C. E. M.

E. S. WEBSTER SPEAKS AT FACULTY LUNCHEON

Tomorrow from 12 to 1 o'clock the Faculty Club will meet in the Faculty and Alumni dining room to be addressed by Mr. E. S. Webster '88. Mr. Webster is a life member of the Corporation and a member of the executive committee of that body.

Mr. Webster will speak on "The League of Nations." He was in Geneva during the session of the Fourth Assembly and is consequently well qualified to speak on this subject. All members of the faculty are invited.

CLUBS TAKE PART IN BROADCASTING MONDAY

Broadcasting of music by members of the Combined Musical Clubs took place for the first time this year, when numbers by them were transmitted from the ball room of the Copley Hotel Monday evening by station WNAC. The Banjo and Mandolin clubs played four numbers in all, for the Elks' Benefit Dance.

The two numbers by the Banjo Club and the first one by the Mandolin Club were broadcasted. The second by the latter club was a copyrighted piece, and consequently could not be broadcasted.

NO MORE AUTOMOBILES FOR PENN STUDENTS

The Council of Administration at Penn State, acting upon directions given it by the Board of Trustees on the twenty second of January, adopted the following resolution a few days thereafter:

"All students who are at present keeping automobiles while attending college, will be expected to dispose of these automobiles before April twentieth, except in those cases where the keeping of an automobile can be proved to be a necessity to college attendance. Applications for permits in such cases should be submitted to the Dean of Men in the case of men students, and to the Dean of Women in the case of Women Students."

W. M. S. HOFFMAN,
Registrar.

Notices and Announcements

All notices for this column should be in by the morning of the day preceding the issue.

OFFICIAL

OFFICIAL EXAM SCHEDULE

Examinations in Chemistry 5.02 will be given in room 3-410 for sections 1-8 inclusive. In sections 9-24, those from A to L will take the exam in room 3-440 and from M to Z in room 3-460.

REGISTRATION

All registration material must be returned to room 3-106 before 5 Friday.

SAM BROWN BELTS

The Military Science Department has ten Sam Browne belts which may be obtained by advanced R. O. T. C. students at \$2.75 each.

SOPHOMORE ENGLISH

A review of the regular course for Sophomores in the first term (EH21) will be given by Mr. Copithorne in room 2-190 on Monday evening at 7. Entrance to the building may be had through the door in building 2.

SOCIETY OF ARTS

The last of the Popular Science Lectures held under the auspices of the Society of Arts will be given Sunday at 4. Professor J. F. Norris of the Department of Chemistry will lecture on "Molecules, Atoms and Electrons," illustrating his lecture by many experiments. Tickets may be obtained at the Information Office.

FRESHMAN MILITARY SCIENCE

There will be movies shown by the Military Science Department in room 5-330 on Friday at 4. Attendance by all freshmen is required and failure to attend will be counted as two absences.

UNDERGRADUATE

EMPLOYMENT BUREAU

The Undergraduate Employment Bureau has positions for several men in the radio field. Those interested apply at the T. C. A. office at once.

SUMMER EMPLOYMENT

The Undergraduate Employment Bureau is anxious that all those desiring to obtain summer employment file application immediately so that the number and variety may be known.

CREW TRAINING TABLE

The training table for crew men has started in north hall, Walker. All eligible men are to report at time stated on their schedule cards: 12:15 or 1:15 o'clock.

JUNIOR PROM SIGN-UPS

Prom signups will be on sale in the main lobby booth today for all underclassmen. Signups, price \$5, will be on sale from 9 to 2.

CORPORATION XV

Final payments for the trip are due today. These may be made in room 1-181. The tour is open to all students.

AIR SERVICE R. O. T. C.

All Air Service R. O. T. C. students who will have finished the advanced Air Service R. O. T. C. work by June 1924, and desire four months training as a pilot at Brooks Field, Texas, will call at the Military Science Office, room 3-310, and see the Air Service representatives.

TECH SHOW ORCHESTRA

There will be a rehearsal of Tech Show Orchestra in Walker tonight at 7:30.

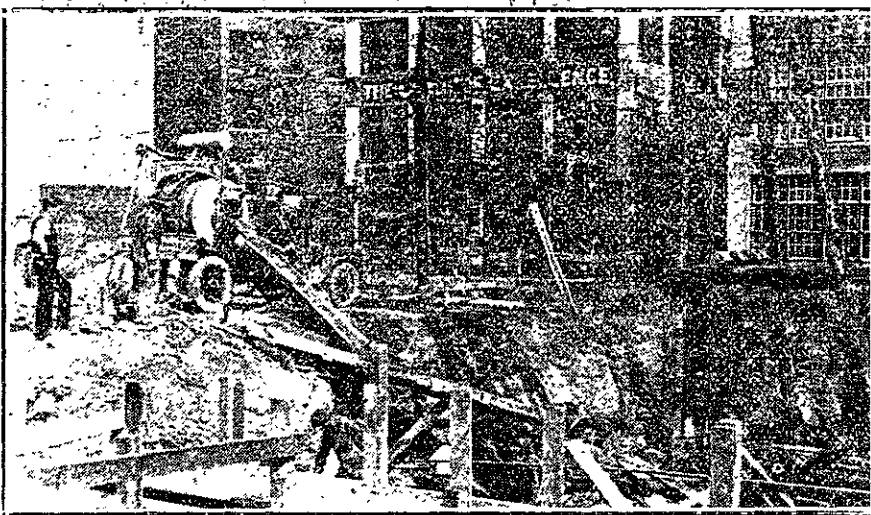
TECH SHOW TRAIN

The Tech Show special train which will leave New York City at 3:30 A. M. on Wednesday, March 19, can accommodate 25 students at regular railroad rates. Those interested will sign up at the Tech Show office, in Walker any noon this week. A deposit must be made.

OXY-ACETYLENE WELDING

There will be a lecture and demonstration given by Mr. George Jaeger of the Air Reduction Sales Company on the process of oxy-acetylene welding and cutting this afternoon in room 3-359 at 4. Students and all others interested are invited to attend.

EARLY DORM CONSTRUCTION



In striking contrast to the practically finished new dormitory is the scene above, which shows the construction in the early stages of the building last fall. The exterior work on the new building is now complete, and according to Major A. S. Smith, Superintendent of Buildings and Power, the dormitory should be completed inside and out by next month. The interior is receiving its finishing touches now.

INTERCOLLEGIATE NEWS

COLLEGE GIRLS GAIN IN SIZE AND WEIGHT

Girls are growing in strength and size according to investigations carried out by Dr. Clelia D. Masher, medical advisor of women at Stanford. The college woman of 1893, with her large hips, small waist, flat chest and lack of vigor, is now only a memory, brought occasionally to mind by pictures we see hanging in some out of the way place. Changing fashions in dress and increased physical exercise both in her younger days and in college are responsible for the growth of the college woman.

Experiments have been carried out at Stanford, Smith and Vassar, and statistics obtained show that in the last three decades the average college woman has increased 0.5 inches in height. The difference in muscular quality between men and women is due to the use of muscles and not to sex. We have been prone to translate life in terms of sex. But since it is use and not sex that determines the quality of muscles, the physical inequalities of man and woman will last just as long as the girl occupies her leisure time tanning or crocheting while her brother spends his leisure playing ball.

Professor Masher believes that this splendid, modern woman, grown taller and more vigorous because freed from restricted fashions of dress, has become better fitted to become the mother of finer sons, the promise of a stronger race.

FUR COATS ARE STYLE FOR WELLESLEY WOMEN

Wellesley does not have to go far to see herself as others see her. In fact, Boston is far enough, for the Boston Globe has recently published its views on collegiate dress in Eastern colleges in general, and Wellesley in particular.

"The chief requirement for a chic campus costume at Wellesley College," it asserts, "is a raccoon coat. No college girl is complete without one. From the back all girls appear the same, and it takes an immense amount of acumen to distinguish ones best friend from a group of six or seven raccoon-coated figures."

Typically Wellesley is the brightly colored woven scarf which accompanies the raccoon coat, according to the Globe. "To complete the outfit a swagger stick is frequently worn, but as yet the stick has not attained the full bloom of popularity. Just before the Christmas vacation began, the sale of swagger sticks took a sudden leap, due to the girls' desire to astonish the family with something new and startling."

The "doughnut" style of hair-dressing is considered typical, although the "shingle" has many adherents. "Jewelry is at present one darn bracelet after another." Matching them is the choker necklace.

COLLEGE DELEGATES MEET FOR CONFERENCE

A total of 40 students, representing 16 colleges attended the first meeting of the Intercollegiate Conference which opened at Yale on Friday. The first night R. N. Baldwin, a Harvard graduate, now director of the American Civil Liberties Union spoke on "Social Thinking in Our Colleges." Mr. Baldwin mentioned in his address that "Liberal Clubs are beginning to make student thinking in our colleges reasonable." He also advocated complete and unconditional student control of the college, both socially and intellectually, and a faculty organized in a labor union, to be affiliated with the American Federation of Labor. He declared "there are only a few colleges in the country today, where the authorities dare to be cordial to student organizations which in any way arouse attacks from the outside world."

"HELLO" IS IMPOLITE AS WELL AS USELESS

Cleveland telephone authorities are making an earnest drive to develop "phonetic" courtesy and efficiency, if one can believe the story recently received here, which states that a great effort is being made to discourage the use and uselessness of the word "Hello" in telephonic conversations. They desire that the recipients of telephone calls merely announce their names or the names of the firm and then listen to the caller.

Possibly they will receive greater co-operation from subscribers by reason of the fact that "Hello" really means, "Oh, go chase a wolf."

According to these etymologists, the derivation of the word Hello is from the cry "Au loup" (to the wolf), used by French and French-speaking Norman-English hunters when they sighted a wolf.

The French pronounced it "A loo." The English, using the aspirate "H," made it "Ha, loo." The cry has been used by hunters up to date when a fox is sighted, and by Americans, generally as a personal salutation.

So "Hello" really means "Oh, go chase a wolf," which, it must be admitted, is scarce a polite form of salutation either over the phone or personally.—The Varsity, University of Toronto.

SWIMMERS ARE DEFEATED BY BROWN UNIVERSITY

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Evans and Dunn swimming for Technology.

The summary:
50-yard dash—1, Coles, Brown; 2, Clump, Brown; 3, Dunn, M. I. T.; Taylor, M. I. T.

Time 25:4-5.
220-yard dash—1, Wheeler, Brown; 2, Metzger, Brown; 3, Evans, M. I. T.

Time 2:28: 2-5.

Dive—1, Keay, M. I. T.; 2, Hadley, Brown; 3, Richardson, M. I. T.

100-yard backstroke—1, Cole, Brown; 2, Stiffer, Brown; 3, Robinson, M. I. T.

Time 1:15: 2-5.

100-yard dash—1, Jones, Brown; 2, Staples, Brown; 3, Dunn, M. I. T.

Time 55:3-5.

Plunge—1, Cates, M. I. T.; 2, Perkins, Brown; 3, Hayward, Brown.

100-yard breast—1, Wayworth, M. I. T.; 2, Calton, Brown; 3, Kearns, M. I. T.

Time 1:29: 2-5.

Relay (won by Brown).
Brown—Wheeler, Ritchie, Clump, Cole.

M. I. T.—Taylor, Evans, Richardson, Dunn.

Time 1:46: 4-5.

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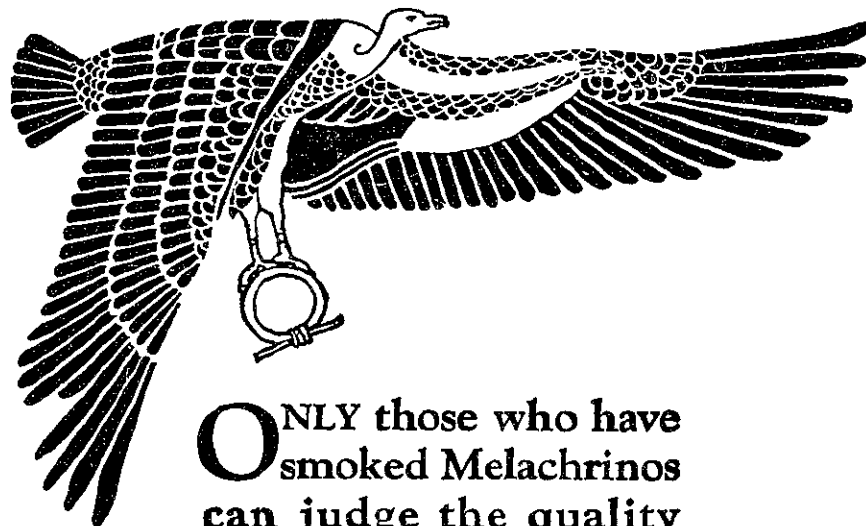
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