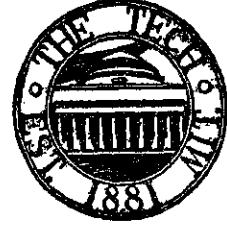


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PRICE FIVE CENTS

I.F.C. Dance Planned For Late September

Horsburgh Is Chosen New Dance Chairman; Replaces Metzger

The Interfraternity Conference held a special meeting at the Smith House yesterday evening at 6:00 P.M. The meeting was summoned on rather short order hence there were only eighteen of the 24 houses represented.

Robert V. Thiede, 2-44, Chairman of the Conference stated that Robert Metzger, 2-44, had resigned as Dance Chairman because he had been sick and did not feel that he could do the dance justice. The floor was thrown open to nominations and Boyce, Taft, Horsburgh, and Quattrochi were nominated. Robert H. Horsburgh, Jr., 10-44 was elected.

Dance to be Held

Cortlandt F. Ames, 10-44, moved that the dance be scheduled for one of the last two weekends in September. The motion was passed after being amended to give the dance chairman final decision in the matter. Boyce stated that an option could be obtained on the Imperial Ballroom of the Statler for either of these weekends if it were obtained at once.

Langdon S. Flowers, 2-44, outlined the plan for the freshmen neckerchiefs and asked for the cooperation of the various houses in enforcing the freshmen rules. He answered several questions that some of the representatives had.

Sophomore Rally To Be Held Today

David A. Trageser, Sophomore class president, announced yesterday that a class rally, to encourage more men to try out for the Field Day sports and to arouse class spirit, will be held this afternoon at 5:00 P.M. in Room 1-390.

According to the managers and coaches of the various Field Day activities, the freshman turnout has been far larger than that of the Sophomores, and unless more men come out for the sports, the Class of 6-45 stands an excellent chance of becoming the eighth Sophomore class in the history of the Institute to lose Field Day.

The poor attendance at previous meetings indicates that the class spirit is not what it should be. President Trageser urges everyone who possibly can to attend this rally.

Spurr, Buckingham Leave Technology

Recently the Institute lost two Assistant Professors of Military Science, Major Jerome L. Spurr and Major Burdette H. Buckingham.

Both officers were graduates of Technology. Major Spurr graduated in 1927 with a Bachelor of Science degree in civil engineering. While at the Institute, he was the Head of the Engineering unit of the R.O.T.C. Major Buckingham graduated in 1931 with a Bachelor of Science degree in electrical engineering. He came to Technology from the Manual Instruction School at Quincy, Mass., and was the head of the R.O.T.C. Signal Corps unit.

Both Majors Spurr and Buckingham were commissioned from the Reserve Officers Training Corps and were promoted from captain to major while at the Institute.

Summer Dance Tomorrow Eve

Chaperons For Year's First Dance Are Named

The Summer Activities Committee's acquaintance dance will be held at 8:00 P.M. tomorrow evening, August 7, in New England Mutual Hall. Tickets are 99c, and can be obtained in the Lobby of Building 10 today and tomorrow.

Arnold to Play

Chappie Arnold's orchestra will supply the music, and the dancing partners will be several hundred girls from Simmons, Radcliffe, Emerson, and other neighboring women's colleges. Several upperclassmen from each of the women's colleges will act as hostesses in order to help the partners get acquainted, and the Walker Memorial Committee will act in the same capacity for the Technology men.

Since the dance is being held on Saturday for the benefit of the Navy V-12 men, it will have to end at 12 midnight because of Boston's blue laws. The New England Mutual Hall, where the dance is being held, is in Copley Square, Boston, at Clarendon Street.

The chaperones will be Mrs. Karl T. Compton, Professor and Mrs. Leicester F. Hamilton, and Major and Mrs. Perley D. Baker.

Rogers, Tierney, Grable Join List Of "Dream Girls"

Choice Of Students Announced From Poll Sponsored By Technique

Ginger Rogers, Betty Grable, and Gene Tierney have been chosen to be included in the "Dream Girl" section of the Technology year book as a result of the recent poll conducted by Technique.

Technique will contain seven full page pictures of the chosen "Dream Girls" of the Institute students. The display will include pictures of Lana Turner, Rita Hayworth, Janet Blair, and Veronica Lake, who were chosen a few weeks ago, in addition to the selections voiced in the poll.

Carlton J. Rohrer, '44, editor of Technique, recently received a letter from Miss Janet Blair, one of the "Dream Girls." The letter is as follows:

Mr. Carl J. Rohrer, Editor
The 1944 Technique
Mass. Institute of Technology
Cambridge, Massachusetts

Dear Mr. Rohrer:

Just how does a girl acknowledge her selection as a "Tech Man's Dream Girl" except by saying it's the sort of honor she's dreamed of?

Seriously, I am both proud and grateful to be represented in a publication bearing the stamp of M.I.T. — three letters that have always stood for the finest in men, in training, and in "Technique!"

Thank you and my sincerest best wishes,

Signed
JANET BLAIR

Drisko, Former Physics Professor, Passes Away

Professor William J. Drisko, '95, a former member of the Institute faculty, passed away recently.

He was born September 8, 1866, in Addison, Maine, and was graduated from Technology in 1895. Returning the next year, he became an assistant instructor in the Department of Physics. Later he was made a full professor, teaching second year Physics. After serving for forty years, he retired as Professor Emeritus.

Chapters Pledge

8 Percent More Than Last Year

It was announced last night that three hundred and seven new men have been chosen by the Technological fraternity chapters to join them for the rest of their college careers. These men have been selected and pledged officially by the various houses listed.

This year's total of 307 represents an increase of about eight percent over the number of men pledged at the start of the last school year. Most of the men are members of the class of 2-46, but the group includes one member of the class of '43, three members of 2-44, one member of 10-44, five members of 6-45, and five freshmen members of the Navy V-12 unit.

Of the various houses listed, the greatest increase over last year's number of pledges was shown by Theta Chi, which pledged twenty-four this year and sixteen last year; the greatest decrease was that of Phi Kappa Sigma, with but five pledges this year and thirteen last year.

Frosh Section Leaders Chosen

Gleason And Doyle On Institute Committee

Two Institute Committee Representatives and a class secretary-treasurer were elected at the Freshman Council Meeting which met on Tuesday of this week in Room 10-267. The meeting was called by Gabriel E. deRoeth, 10-44, chairman of the Elections Committee and was presided over by John L. Hall, president of the Class of 10-44.

George A. Ley was elected to the office of secretary-treasurer, and Edward C. Doyle and Robert M. Gleason were chosen as the representatives of the Freshman Class on the Institute Committee.

At the Freshman Council meeting general plans were made for the organization of the Freshman Class and for its role in the approaching Field Day activities. The wearing of neckerchiefs by the freshman was discussed and after the traditions behind the custom were explained the Council took an unofficial vote in which they unanimously approved the wearing of the neckerchief.

Election Results

As a result of the elections held in the various Freshman sections last week, thirty-four section leaders were chosen to represent them in the Freshman Council. Of these 34 sections, ten were Navy sections.

The elections were under the direction of the Election Committee, headed by Gabriel E. deRoeth, '45. Each section elected one section leader by a majority vote; the runner-up was made alternate section leader.

The section leaders elected are as follows: section one, Marvin Sparrow; two, F. Mansfield Young; three, Robert M. Gleason; four, Stuart G. Farnum; five, William H. Semple; six, Hillman Dickerson; seven, Daniel N. Tiffany; eight, Vincent C. Vappi; nine, Walter Kislik; ten, Gale Allen; eleven, Edward C. Doyle; twelve, David A. Eberly; thirteen, Robert H. Wittner; fourteen, Wesley A. Perkins; fifteen, James J. Cattell; sixteen, Richard E. Jurzek; seventeen, William R. Frazer, Jr.; eighteen, Michael F. Doyle; nineteen, T.

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Annual Field Day Dance Set For Aug. 28; Sponsored By Dormitory Committee

Senior, Junior Class Elections On August 18

Nomination blanks for class elections to be held on Wednesday, August 18, are now available at the Information Office, Room 7-111. Each nomination blank must be signed by at least twenty-five members of the nominee's class, and must be returned to the Information Office between 9 A.M. Wednesday, August 11, and 1 P.M. Thursday, August 12.

Elections will be held to fill the positions left vacant at the end of last term. These are: vice-president and two Institute Committee representatives of the Senior Class; vice-president, secretary-treasurer, and one Institute Committee representative of the Junior class. The Senior Week Committee will also be elected at this election.

MIT Rocket Society Holds Discussion

Work On New Motor Progressing Rapidly

A discussion of an abstract from the article "Engineers Find Rocketry a New Field," by Dr. G. E. Pendray, from the June 1935, issue of the Tech Engineering News, was the highlight of the last meeting of the Rocket Research Society, held on Monday, August 2, in the Faculty Lounge of Walker Memorial.

Several members of the society, who are working on the rocket motor and on various testing devices during their spare time, gave brief reports on the progress of their work.

"Work is proceeding rapidly," according to John Cook, president of the society. He said that he expected all the work to be completed by the end of the term.

Major Augustus A. Wagner, Ordnance Department, Faculty Adviser of the society, was present to observe and comment on the work of the society.

Several minor amendments to the society's constitution, which had been proposed at a previous meeting, were unanimously passed. The amendments were designed to make the constitution conform with the regulations of the Institute Committee.

Frosh Scarfs Ready Monday

The freshman neckerchiefs have been obtained, and will go on sale Monday, August 9, it was announced last night by David A. Trageser, president of the Sophomore class. They will be sold all during the week, and every freshman should have one by Friday afternoon, August 13.

Because the wartime shortage of materials made it impossible to obtain the traditional freshman ties, the Sophomore Committee, with the approval of the Sophomore class, decided on the use of neckerchiefs. This was approved by the Institute Committee at the regular bi-weekly meeting held yesterday, when a motion was passed stating that the committee would assist the Quadrangle Club in enforcing the freshman rules. In an unofficial vote

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Freshman Elections And Neckerschiefs Receive Approval

The Dormitory Committee will sponsor the annual Field Day Dance, it was decided at the bi-weekly meeting of the Institute Committee held in Litchfield Lounge yesterday afternoon. It was also decided that the freshmen should wear red and white neckerschiefs in lieu of the traditional cardinal and grey striped tie.

Hexalpa, Course IV-A honorary society, presented a revised constitution which met the Institute Committee's requirements, and it was approved. The freshmen council elections were submitted and approved.

Field Day Dance

Kenneth W. Rehler, 2-44, Chairman of the Dormitory Committee, moved that the Dormitory Committee hold the annual Field Day Dance. He suggested that the Summer Activities Committee assist the Dormitory Committee in the arrangements for the dance inasmuch as the latter would have more knowledge of the situation with regard to orchestras, halls, etc., as a result of experience with the Summer Acquaintance dance. There were several dissenting voices on this proposition.

Some men pointed out that the dormitories had formerly been the largest individual group of supporters for this dance and that since there were no longer any dormitories there was a chance that the dance might not be a successful venture. John R. Taft, 2-44, said that the Field Day Dance was traditional, and that as long as there was to be a Field Day it should be followed by the annual dance. After a lengthy discussion it was decided that the Dormitory Committee was to sponsor the dance, and should consult the Summer Activities Committee on any point of information or advice.

Freshmen Tie Situation

David A. Trageser, 6-45, moved that the freshmen be required to wear a red and white neckerchief forty inches by four inches at all times on the Institute campus until the end of the first term if they win Field Day. If they lose Field Day on August 28 they will be required to wear them until Christmas vacation. The objection was raised that the period seemed to be excessively long. It was pointed out that the actual number of calendar days was approximately the same as in previous years.

Trageser was questioned as to the possibility of obtaining more suitable articles of wearing apparel for the freshmen, but explained that any other article would arrive here

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5:15 Couples Dance Scheduled For 21st

The 5:15 Club will hold a couples dance at 8:00 P.M., Saturday, August 21st, it was announced yesterday by Claude Corty, 10-44, chairman of the dance committee. The dance will be held in the 5:15 Club Room, located in the Walker Memorial basement, and the music will be furnished by some of the nation's best bands, as heard through the club phonograph.

The dance will be free to any couple that wishes to attend, but, since the club-room will accommodate only about 50 couples the dance will have to be held on a "first come, first serve" basis.



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With the cession of the dining facilities of Walker Memorial to the Army and those of the Graduate House to the Navy, it appeared that civilian students and employees would be faced with a problem to find the wherewithal to dull the sharp edges of hunger.

It was not long before the Institute Administration took steps to solve the problem by the rapid erection of the new cafeteria. The Administration is to be congratulated for the swiftness and efficiency with which this acute need for a dining service was met.

Great consideration for the needs of students and employees has been shown in the designation of the service hours of the cafeteria. This and other convenient features of the establishment justify any necessary increase of price over levels prevailing elsewhere. The average student is quite willing to pay ten cents for soft drinks when the loss of only a nickel will save his walking further distances.

The inauguration of the mess tray system is also, we believe, a very commendable action, since it not only makes possible lower prices by curtailing the expenditure on help, but, more important, frees personnel for work in war industry.

It is always sound financial policy to write off investments such as this as soon as possible, and this consideration may make necessary these somewhat higher prices and smaller portions until a substantial portion of the original expense of building and installation of equipment has been received. This will probably be only a relatively short time; and during this period patrons can feel that the advantages of convenience and quality offset any necessary disadvantages of price.

OPEN LETTER TO FRESHMEN

Thursday afternoon the Institute Committee saw fit to approve the motion of the Sophomore Class that freshmen be required to wear a red and white kerchief about their neck when on the Institute Grounds. The Institute Committee, governing authority of the undergraduate student body, followed this course of action because it was believed to the best interests of the school for it to do so.

Some freshmen have raised strenuous objection to the substitution of kerchiefs for the traditional tie. These men should remember that ties are not being used simply because they are not available. The freshman "dinks" worn in many colleges could not be had in any reasonable length of time. Such articles as socks were considered impractical because they did not furnish the ready means of recognition which was one of the purposes of the tie. Kerchiefs appeared to the Sophomore Class to be the most easily available and cheapest substitute for the red and gray tie. Unusual circumstances may necessitate unprecedented actions, as has happened in this instance.

Ask yourselves why the Sophomore Class seeks to substitute kerchiefs for ties rather than abandon the tradition. Ask yourselves why upperclassmen have taken the same viewpoint. Certainly it is not because of malicious intent to humiliate the freshmen. It would be less trouble for the Sophomore Class if the whole thing were forgotten.

The reasoning upon which is based the insistence that kerchiefs be worn is simply this: it will develop a spirit of friendship and of union in your class; it will be a vital part of a good natured rivalry between your class and that of the Sophomores and it will give you a reason to win Field Day. It will be one of those things that will make Technology mean more to you than books and classrooms.

Your class will be the class that wore the kerchiefs when ties were unobtainable. You can be proud of that—but not of rebellion against a necessary modification of a valued tradition. As a group of Technology freshmen, you should cooperate for the good of your class and the school rather than merely to avoid the penalties which will be imposed.

Swim Featured By Outing Club This Sunday

Rock-Climbing And Bicycle Trips Are Also On Schedule

The Outing Club has three excursions planned for this Sunday: a rock climbing trip to the Quincy Quarries, a swimming excursion to Nantasket Beach, and a bicycle trip to White's Pond. The hiking trip to Middlesex Falls has been cancelled.

The swimming enthusiasts will leave for Nantasket Beach from the Park Street station at 9:00 A.M., and will get there via street car and bus. Several co-eds will make the trip. Swimming suits, towels, box lunches, and, if possible, cameras, should be brought. The entire cost of the trip will amount to about \$70. This is the first time that the Outing Club has tried a swimming trip, and, if it proves to be popular, others will be run in the future.

Rock-Climbing

The rock-climbing group will meet on the steps of Walker Memorial Sunday morning at 9:00 A.M. They will get to the quarries by subway and bus, at a cost which should not exceed \$50. An additional charge of \$50 will be levied on non-members making the trip. All are advised to wear rubber-soled shoes, and bring box lunches, swimming suits, and cameras.

The third trip will be a bicycle trip to White's Pond, near Concord, with a group from Harvard. The meeting place is in front of Dunster House at Harvard, Sunday morning at 10:00 A.M. Those interested should bring their bicycles, swimming suits, lunches, and cameras.

Trip With Radcliffe Next Week

Next Saturday and Sunday, August 14 and 15, will feature the bicycle trip with Radcliffe to the Stoughton Youth Hostel. Details of the trip will be on the sign-up list, which will go up Tuesday morning on the bulletin board in the lobby of Building 10.

Frosh Section Leaders And Alternates Chosen

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Arthur Kurno; twenty, Noel Davis; twenty-one, R. Langdon Wales; twenty-two, Robert C. Auriema; twenty-three, Edward S. Hill; twenty-four, Donald P. Cohen.

The Navy Section Leaders are as follows: section (a) George A. Ley; (b) John T. Harvell; (c) Robert B. McKinstry; (d) Theodore P. Heuckling; (e) John C. Ash; (f) James V. Chabot; (g) John A. Maynard; (h) George Taylor; (i) Robert A. Gradey; (j) Leighton A. Price.

Alternates

The alternate section leaders elected are as follows: section one, John Bowen; two, John M. Rau; three, Arthur Borg; four, Stanley Harshman; five, Noel N. Cope; six, G. B. Muller; seven, H. W. Pickford; eight, Robert Troy; nine, W. F. Brace; ten, Albert Jacques; eleven, G. D. Bloecher; twelve, Bart Carmody; thirteen, Mason Lappin; fourteen, D. Moore; fifteen, Robert S. Begley; sixteen, J. P. Kirkpatrick; seventeen, Edward McDevitt; eighteen, H. F. Hunnes; nineteen, Vincent Murphy; twenty, George Vitt; twenty-one, Adriaan Van Stolk; twenty-two, Thomas McNearney; twenty-three, William Grant; twenty-four, E. J. Fitzpatrick.

The alternate Navy section leaders are as follows: section (a) William Parker; (b) James Craig; (c) Herbert Keating; (d) Oliver N. Lewis; (e) Donald Wallace; (f) John Manley; (g) Albert LaLonde; (h) J. E. Guillmette; (i) Robert White; (j) H. R. Jackson.

CALENDAR

FRIDAY, AUGUST 6

5:00 P.M. Sophomore Rally—Room 1-390.

5:00 P.M. Menorah Society Meeting—Room 6-120.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 7

8:00 P.M. Acquaintance Dance—New England Mutual Hall.

SUNDAY, AUGUST 8

Outing Club Hikes.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 11

5:00 P.M. Golf Team—Room 10-200.

FRESHMAN RULES

The following are the traditional Technology "Freshman Rules." Apparently through some misunderstanding, they were omitted from this year's handbook, where they were usually published so as to acquaint the new men with the rules before coming to Tech. Slight revisions have been made this year because of the wartime educational schedule, and the change from neckties to neckerchiefs.

1. All freshmen shall wear red and white neckerchiefs. These shall be worn on Institute grounds from August 13 until the end of the rules period.

2. Freshmen are expected to speak to all members of the faculty and to tip their hats to the President of the Institute and to the Deans. To promote acquaintanceship and friendly spirit among members of the class, freshmen are expected to greet each other on sight.

3. Freshmen are required to know all the popular Institute songs and cheers found on pages 26 and 27 of the Handbook.

4. If the freshmen win Field Day, these restrictions will be removed at the end of the first term. If not, the rules will continue in force until Christmas.

5. The administration of the above rules is in the hands of the Quadrangle Club. Lack of cooperation on the part of a freshman will result in his disqualification from advancement in any activity or from receiving athletic awards for his entire student life at Tech.

New TCA Blotter Ready Thursday

5500 Copies Printed To Supply Students

The T.C.A. blotter will be completed by next Wednesday, and delivered on Thursday, according to the printers. A blotter will be delivered to every student in the Grad House, Student House, dormitories, and fraternity houses. Men living in private homes may call for their copies at the T.C.A. office.

Five thousand five hundred copies of the blotter have been printed. Half of these will be distributed now, and the remainder will be given out next January or February. The blotters will be blue, grey, and buff with the usual cardinal "T".

An article, "Men Wanted," by Professor F. Alexander Magoun will replace the article, "From the Chin Up," by Dr. Frank Crane. The calendar will be expanded from ten to eleven months. As the blotter will be distributed only twice a year, a notice requesting the user to turn the blotter over when it becomes soiled has been added.

Freshman Neckers And Elections Approved

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too late for Field Day and thus the purpose for which the article is intended, namely uniting the freshman class for Field Day, would be lost by the delay. Several men explained that the freshman class was not in favor of wearing the neckerchief and would oppose any attempt to enforce the freshman rules. After a lengthy discussion in which several freshmen contributed the views of the Frosh Council and of their sections as well as their personal opinions, it was decided that the class as a whole would agree to the wearing of the neckerchiefs if they fully understood the traditions and customs behind the wearing of the tie. Langdon S. Flowers, 2-44, President of the Senior Class and the Institute Committee, agreed to address the freshmen at their first rally and explained the customs surrounding the wearing of the tie. The motion was approved and the committee agreed to reinforce the Quadrangle Club in the enforcing of the freshman rules.

The freshmen class election be approved. The elections were approved and George A. Levy, Robert M. Gleason, and Edward C. Doyle—Secretary-Treasurer and Institute Committee Representatives respectively—were asked to stand, and Langdon Flowers then welcomed them to the Institute Committee.

The revised constitution of Hexaphila, course IV-A honorary society, was approved. The meeting was then adjourned.

Frosh Elections

Gabe de Roeth, 10-44, moved that

Debating Society Holding Tourney Among Freshmen

Entrance Still Open To New Contestants; Servicemen Invited

Four debates of the current intramural debate tournament were held last week on the topic: Resolved: That the Federal Government, in conjunction with the state and local governments, should establish and maintain a planned economy after the war," "Planned economy" being defined as "that economy in which production and distribution of basic goods and services are to be supervised, directed, and regulated by agents of the Federal Government. The results were three victories for the negative to one for the affirmative.

This Wednesday, from 4:00 to 5:00 P.M. Parke and Tulin will again take the affirmative against Seville and Colvan, and from 5:00 to 6:00 P.M. Todd and Logan will take the affirmative, opposing Smith and Greenwald. Both debates to be held in Litchfield Lounge. No other debates have yet been announced.

Tournament Still Open

The debating society wishes to emphasize the fact that the tournament is still open for all interested parties, with servicemen especially invited. Debates will be arranged to suit the participants' convenience. Inexperience need not act as a deterrent since the debate is primarily intended to give new men experience and to acquaint the coach, Mr. Glenn H. Leggett, an idea of their aptitudes. At the close of the tournament a dinner will be held for all contestants at the Smith House.

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Beaver Key In Summer Games

Four Leagues Formed From Numerous Entries

The Beaver Key softball tournament will officially get under way on August seventh at 3:00 P.M., when Phi Gamma Delta plays Phi Beta Epsilon on field "A", the Student House meets Phi Kappa Sigma on field "B" and Delta Upsilon engages Team (M) on field "C".

Because of the unusually large turnout, including 21 fraternities, two navy teams, Cincinnati and the Team N, the student house, and several other teams, the contesting teams have been split up into four leagues containing seven teams each. These teams will usually play two games a week, one on a weekday and one on the weekend. Games will be played on three fields: field "A" and "B", which are situated in front of Walker Memorial, and field "C" which is at Briggs field.

Umpires Still Needed

There is still an urgent need for experienced umpires to arbitrate these games. They will be paid a small sum for their services. The rules and schedules are in the mail.

A list of the leagues and first few days' games follows. All teams concerned please take notice so that the games may be played off according to schedule:

League A: Delta Kappa Epsilon, Sigma Nu, Sigma Alpha Mu, Phi Delta Theta, Sigma Epsilon Xi, Phi Kappa, Theta Xi.

League B: Phi Gamma Delta, Phi Beta Epsilon, Lambda Chi Alpha, Theta Delta Chi, Kappa Sigma, Cincinnati (Navy), Team L (no name).

League C: Theta Chi, Phi Kappa Sigma, Student House, Pi Lambda Phi, Delta Tau Delta, 5:15 Club, Little Giants.

League D: Sigma Alpha Epsilon, Delta Upsilon, Chi Phi, Phi Sigma Kappa, Beta Theta Pi, Team M (no name), Team N (no name).

The coming week's schedule of games is as follows: Tomorrow afternoon at 3:00 P.M., Phi Gamma

Golf Enthusiasts Meet Wednesday

Ponkapoag Excursion Planned For Sunday

A meeting of all men interested in golf will be held on Wednesday, August 11, at 5:00 P.M., in Room 10-200. Graduate and special students are invited to attend, as well as civilian and V-12 undergraduates. Discussion subjects will include: the golf team and its schedule, an undergraduate or possibly all-Tech match-play tournament, and a fall medal play tournament. If the latter feature is approved, it will probably be held during the term vacation in October.

Information on course facilities for weekday and Sunday play, on greens fees, and on transportation is available. It is desired that all golfers at the Institute get together to exchange information on free time and get to know each other.

Anyone wishing to play golf this Sunday is invited to join the group that will form on the street level of the Massachusetts Avenue station between 9:45 A.M. and 10:00 A.M. The group will leave at 10:00 for Ponkapoag in the Blue Hills. The greens fee at this course is one dollar for civilians, nothing for servicemen.

Delta vs. Phi Beta Epsilon on field A, Student House vs. Phi Kappa Sigma on field B, and Team M vs. Delta Upsilon on field C.

Sunday, August 8, there will be two sets of games. At 10:30 A.M. Phi Kappa will play Phi Delta Theta on field A, Lambda Chi Alpha vs. Kappa Sigma on field B, and Sigma Alpha Epsilon vs. Chi Phi on field C. Then at 3:00 P.M. the Dekes will play Sigma Alpha Mu on field A, Theta Delta Chi vs. Cincinnati on field B, and Theta Chi vs. Pi Lambda Phi on field C.

Next Monday there is only one game scheduled—Delta Tau Delta is to play the 5:15 Club at 5:00 P.M. on field B. Tuesday will see two games played—weather permitting: Sigma Nu vs. Sigma Epsilon Xi on field A, and Delta Upsilon vs. Phi Sigma Kappa on field B.

Wednesday's games are Phi Beta Epsilon vs. Team L on field B, and Beta Theta Pi vs. Team N on field A.

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Tech Will Enter Coast Guard Race

The Nautical Association is entering a crew in the Star Boat Regatta to be held at the United States Coast Guard Academy, New London, Connecticut Saturday and Sunday, August 14 and 15. Tech will be represented by John Taft, 244, and Harold Boericke, 244, Commodore and Treasurer of the Nautical Association, in the new event which will be contested among eight schools, including Harvard, Yale, and the Coast Guard Academy.

Coast Guard to Furnish Boats

The race is to be held in Star Boats provided by the Coast Guard. The Star Boat class consists of speedy, yawley sized keeled-boat. A trophy is to be awarded to the winning crew and school.

Medical Examinations

Required By August 14

The deadline for civilian medical examinations is Saturday, August 14. All civilian undergraduate students are required to take a physical examination.

Until the deadline an examination may be had without cost if an appointment is made at the Homberg Infirmary. After August 14, a fee of \$5.00 will be charged for the examination in order to defray the cost of appointments.

Tennis Team Opens Season

Columbia, Harvard On Summer Schedule

Featuring a match with Columbia at New York, the M.I.T. tennis team has arranged a well-rounded schedule and is preparing for an early season. One of the few teams to schedule matches for the summer months, the tennis team will meet six opponents before fall. The home meets will be with Harvard, Boston University, Rhode Island State College, Tufts and Worcester Polytech during the months of August and September. The managerial department is to be congratulated for their efficient work in the midst of the general disorganization around the Institute.

In order to get the season off to a good start, Gordon Chung, captain of the team, urges all men interested in the sport to turn out for the tennis rally to be held next Monday, August 9.

All those interested in attempting to qualify for positions on the team should sign up for the Varsity Cup Tournament, which will be held the week end of August 13. The list is posted on the bulletin board opposite the Cashier's Office in Building 10. All entries for the tournament must be made by August 11.

Neckerchiefs On Sale

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taken Tuesday, the recently elected Freshman Council also approved the neckerchiefs.

The neckerchiefs were decided on by the Sophomore Committee because they were the most practicable and most easily obtainable. Hats, which were considered, would have been too hard to get, and would have taken too long.

The neckerchiefs will be sold, as were the ties in the past, by the members of the Quadrangle Club, which is now being formed. They will be sold all during the coming week in the Lobby of Building 10, and each purchaser will receive a receipt which he must carry with him when he is in R.O.T.C. uniform, and thus excused from wearing the neckerchief.

Track Situation Pleasing To Oscar

Coach Oscar Hedlund is decidedly pleased with the track situation to date. There have been very large turnouts from both the Sophs and the Frosh squads.

Right now, all or most of the emphasis is being placed on preparation for the Field Day relay event, three weeks from this Saturday. If there are still some boys interested in track and especially in this relay race there is still time for them to get ready, provided they report next Monday afternoon at the Briggs Field House.

The weekly handicap meet will be held as usual at 2:00 P.M. next Saturday, and will consist of the following events: 75 yd. and 150 yd. dashes, the 660 yd. run, high-jump, pole vault, and the discus-throw.

Cairo Paper Features Oscar Hedlund

As Authority On Four Minute Mile

It seems that Technology is not alone in its high opinion of its "Amiable Oscar" Hedlund, bespectacled track coach. The following was among the coach's weekly batch of mail from former Tech students:

"Dear Oscar,—Receiving this letter should be a shock to you, Oscar, but I wanted to make sure you saw this article printed in a Middle East newspaper, 'The Egyptian Mail,' the fame of the little man with the gun has spread all over the world. Several times since I've been here, I've meant to send you some track clippings to show you what they can do in the Middle East . . ."

The enclosed clipping apparently came from a Cairo newspaper and carried a bold-faced head, "U. S. Track Coach Tells How Four-Minute Mile Will Be Run." The article opened with a statement that the consensus of opinion of the world's track authorities seemed to be that the possibility of a four minute mile is not absurd.

Oscar Quoted

The first sentence of the next paragraph seemed to rise from the paper. "Not so long ago, Oscar Hedlund, the American track coach of years and standing, was quoted briefly in the cables as saying that he was in the camp of the true believers. Now via a New York cally (friend, to you), this column has been able to get a better slant on the Hedlund comment.

"It is the opinion of the wise old coach of Massachusetts Institute of Technology that the boy who will eventually return the mile's dream time will be an athletic freak.

Hagg Best

"Don't get him wrong. He isn't meaning some man from Mars, but just an ordinary looking bloke who is a great miler plus something extra. He'll have to be like Cornelius Warmerdam, who has hit the pole vault record past the 15-feet mark.

"Hedlund reckons that the likelihood best now around is Gundar Hagg whose world record stands at 4:04:4. 'He has a good chance,' says the

coach. 'Yes, a very good chance—better than any runner in history.'

Likes Fenske

The article went on to quote Oscar about the chance for an American turning in the dream time, which Oscar considered slim. Of course this article was printed quite a while before Hagg led Dodds and Hulse to new American mile records. At the time of the printing, Oscar favored Chuck Fenske as the American miler who best combined legs, wind, and brains, but realized that it was too late for Fenske to attempt the feat.

The article further quoted Oscar's formula for the dream race. "The first three quarters will tell the story," he adds. "If all three are fast and the runner has the equipment, he is a certainty to make it on the fourth.

4 Minute Recipe

"Here's why. A too fast first quarter—say 57.2 seconds, such as you get in a good mile time—can leave the runner wondering if he has enough left to win. Consequently he slows down, and gone are his chances for a four-minute race."

"However, a 59 first quarter, with two of a minute each should make the final quarter a breeze."

There, by way of Cairo, you have the four minute mile. It sounds easy — just a steady 15 miles an hour, that's all.

That clipping should give all the fellows who have trained under Oscar's guidance something to be proud of. To have worked with a coach who is considered in a country as far away as Egypt, as an authority on the mile, the most widely discussed sport event of the day.

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