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CAMBRIDGE, MASS., TUESDAY, MAY 6, 1941

PRICE FIVE CENTS

Sales Machine In Final Drive For '44 Prom

Semi-Swing, Brunette Vocalist, Are Slated For Friday's Affair

Sparked by personal interviewers and "buttonhole details", a high-powered sales machine has been thrown into gear in a final drive to boost ticket sales for the much vaunted Freshman Promenade, to be held this Friday evening at the palatial Longwood Towers.

Dormitory men, fraternity men, and commuters are now being contacted in this final effort to arouse sleeping 1944 boys to an appreciation of their most important social function of the

"Not Too Late," Wilder

"It is not too late to get a date and join the fun," stated committee chairman Perry W. Wilder, Jr., '44, with a twinkle in his eye when approached on the subject of "grape" punch, latest device of the Class of 1944 to break the formality of Tech

Harry Marshard and his thirteen piece "semi-swing" band, will play smooth dance music, and in addition will present specialty numbers in the form of rhumbas, congas, and a superspecial polka,

Vocalist Is Kay Doyle

The mysterious brunette vocalist, 'renowned for her golden voice and her sparkling personality," is now revealed to be Miss Kay Doyle, who will present the songs throughout the eve-

Dance committeemen assert that the (Continued on Page 4)

Summer Session Will Draw Many

Courses In Defense Problems To Teach **Industrial Leaders**

The summer program of special conterences and courses, recently announced by Professor Raymond D. Douglass, chairman of the summer session, is expected to attract a large enrollment of industrial executives and research workers because of the special facilities these courses will offer 10° study and research on problems arising from the national defense prowam. These special courses are bemg offered in addition to the regular summer graduate and undergraduate Chem Engineers curriculum.

The program of special subjects. beginning in June, will include conferences and courses on spectroscopy; (Continued on Page 2)

New Officers Will Attend Foreign Students' Outing

The new officers of the Technology Steen, '43, vice-president of the T.I.C. | House, This trip to Wapack Lodge it. New Students from Boston Uuniversity, to go on this trip.

own lunch. In addition there will be gineer in Defense Industries." a seventy-five cent charge for trans-

Technical Superiority Is Vital For Wartime Success-Compton

war in Europe is that technological sand new engineers." superiority over the enemy is the essential for success," stated President Karl T. Compton, last Sunday afternoon, when speaking over the radio on a program sponsored by the M.I.T. Glee Club. Dr. Compton discussed the part Technology was playing in training for national defense, over station WBZ. The program was also rebroadcast over the short wave station WBOS to Central and South America, and will be carried over many stations on the Westinghouse circuit during this week.

Pointing out the immediate shortage of engineers, Dr. Compton said "While the number of graduates from engineering colleges this June would be about fourteen thousand, there will be a demand on the part of industry

Gridiron Group

Hears Marple

At Annual Banquet

"Why Industry Needs Shirt-Sleeve

Journalists" is to be answered by Mr.

Howard A. Marple at the annual ban-

quet of Gridiron, honorary publications

society, to be held at the Hotel Com-

Mr. Marple, as editor of "Monsanto"

magazine, the newsorgan of the Mon-

santo Chemical Company, will discuss

the need in industry today of technical

men with journalistic tendencies to

handle publicity and reporting in the

industrial publications published by

T.E.N. Cup Winner Announced

The winner of the T.E.N. Cup will

be announced after Mr Marple's talk.

This award is presented yearly to the

outstanding engineering magazine;

last year to the Michigan Technic.

The new officers of Gridiron elected

for next year will be announced and

Cash awards totalling \$50.00 will be

given to the winners of the annual

Gridiron contest for the outstanding

articles published by the four publi-

cations during the preceding year. Last

year first prize was awarded to A.

Carleton Jealous, '42, for an article

appearing in T.E.N. on "petroleum

Tickets for the affair are priced at

\$2.50. Dress will be dinner jackets.

will receive keys.

many of the large engineering firms.

mander, tomorrow at 6:30 P.M.

Editor Will Talk

To Journalists

"The great lesson from the present, and government for some forty thou-

Three Types of Activity

Outlining the participation of the Institute in the defense training program. President Compton, drew attention to three major types of activity: "First, the service of some seventy members of its staff on various advisory or operating committees of the government; second, the conduct of scientific research aimed at developing new instrumentalities of warfare or improving the effectiveness of existing equipment; and third, the operation of special educational programs to aid in meeting the shortage of engineers with specialized training in fields essential to national defense.' Stressing the extent and the scope

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Relief Bundles **Being Solicited**

By Tech Group

beginning of this week.

To give Technology a chance to do its part in aiding Britain, an Institute branch of "Bundles For Britain" has sprung almost spontaneously in our midst. Entirely student managed the group will swing into action at the

Students are being asked to contribute any wearable clothes for which Glee Club Sings they have no further use. This clothing will be taken to the Boston branch of "B for B" and subsequently shipped to England. All of it will be used for civilian relief work in the bombed areas of the British Isles. It is not for military use.

Starting today the residents of the dormitories will be solicited by mail. For their convenience the hall porters will take the clothing to the dormitory office. The T.C.A. will also have a box in their office, although they are

The sponsors of the Technology group, A. Frederic Gallatin, '44, and Othegraven. The Lasell Orphean club Roger G. Blum, '41, started working is to sing In May by Horatio Parker, in this attempt unknown to each while the combined clubs will sing other, but soon collaborated to pro- The Foolish Lover Squanders by duce the present program.

Harvard Crew Retains Compton Cup; Beats Tigers, Beavers Here

Official Notices

On May 12 Invitations and Announcements for the Graduation Exercises and Tickets for the Baccalaureate Service will be available at the Information Office, Room 7-111. Each candidate is entitled to five invitations. Any number of announcements may be secured by paying two cents or three cents for each stamped envelope.

The notices regarding recommendations for degrees will be mailed to the term address of candidates, unless the Secretary of the Faculty is notified otherwise on or before June 4.

"The Approved List of Student Tutors in first and second-year subjects is now being compiled for the academic year 1941-42. Application forms should be filled out at the Office of the Dean of Students, Room 3-108, within the next two weeks."

With Lasell Girls Friday Evening

The M.I.T. Glee Club will travel to Auburndale next Friday evening, May 9, for its first concert of the year with the Orphean Club of Lasell Junior

The program for the evening has been scheduled to include: Now Thank We All Our God from the closing not sponsoring the movement. House numbers of Bach's Church Cantata representatives will be chosen to No. 79, which is being presented by the singers of both clubs. The M.I.T. Glee Club will sing Der Jaeger Aus Kurpfalz, a German Folksong by Handel.

Crimson Fifties Drop Close Race To Tech; Frosh Heavies Repeat Rowe Cup Victory

Harvard's varsity eight returned victorious to their boathouse up Charles River last Saturday evening after having stopped by at the Tech float to pick up the Compton Cup once again, following a successful race in which they had left the Princeton shell a length, and the Beaver crew three lengths behind them at the finish.

Rowing throughout in calm water and watched by hundreds from the Cambridge bank, two of the five Beaver crews that participated in the Regatta, the frosh varsity and 150 varsity, romped by the finish line near the Union Boat Club and the Lever Bros. Building, victors in their events.

Frosh Win Again

With his boat riding beautifully and smoothly, frosh captain Bob Fleming took his shell past the Princeton and Crimson squads at the Sailing Pavilion to finish a length and a quarter ahead of Harvard. The Tiger cubs had approximately a good two lengths between them and the victors. This is the second time that McMillin's men

(Continued on Page 3)

Statler Hired For Senior Ball

Class Of '41 Picks Imperial Ballroom, **Breaking Tradition**

Breaking an age-old tradition, the Senior Ball will be held in the Imperial Ballroom of the Hotel Statler for the first time in Institute History this year. Never before has such a large space been secured for this event Robert S. Williams, chairman of the committee, stated last night. Negotiations for a name hand are nearly completed, and it is expected that the contract will be signed in the very near future.

Blanket redemptions for all Senior Week activities are now on sale in the Main Lobby, as are tickets to individual events. Unless the redemptions are taken up for \$8 by Friday of this week, the holders will forfeit their options, it was stated. The sales desk is open from 11 A.M. to 2 P.M. daily.

Senior Week Events

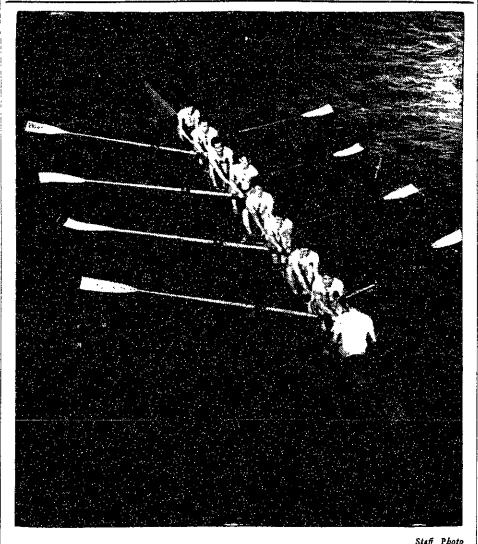
Senior Week events with admission charges are the Senior stag banquet, (Continued on Page 4)

Mr. Jackman Will Speak At Hobby Shop Meeting

Mr. Jackman of the Technology Portrait studios will speak on color photography at the final meeting of the M.I.T. Hobby Shop which will be held at 5:15 P.M., Wednesday, May 7, in Room 3-017. Following the talk there will be a business meeting at which journeymen will be elected and pending business will be taken care of.

Mr. Jackman, whose work in color photography was recently on display in the Main Lobby of Building 10, will talk on a new technique in color photography. This new method involves the use of stroboscopic lights by which glassy stares on the model's face are eliminated.

BEAVER EIGHT PULLING FOR THE LINE



Staff Photo
the northwest corner of the Harvard be transacted, when the nominations Beaver coarsmen snapped as they passed through the arches of the Harvard Yard (Phillips Brooks House) at 8:30 and elections of the officers for the Bridge, last Saturday, in the races preceding the unsuccessful varsity stab at the much-desired Compton trophy.

To Hold Banquet **Professors Robinson**

And Clark Will Speak Following Elections

With two Institute Professors as speakers the annual elections banquet of the Technology student chapter of the American Institute of Chemical Engineers will be held tointernational Club have been invited morrow evening. Limited to members, in take part in the annual outing of the meeting will get under way at the Cosmopolitan Clubs of the Boston 6:00 P.M., when dinner will be served colleges, according to Stephen N. in the Dutch Room of the Graduate

After the dinner, with John E. Hampshire will be held next Sunday. Stadig, '41, the president of the society, presiding, the speakers will ad-Harvard, Northeastern, Radcliffe, Sim- dress the gathering, Professor Charles nons, and Wellesley are also planning | E. Reed, of the Department of Chemical Engineering, will speak on "The All interested in going on this hike Future of The Chemical Engineer," and picnic can sign up in the T.C.A. and Professor Clark S. Robinson, also office. The outing fee is twenty-five of the Chemical Engineering Departcents, and each person must bring his ment, will discuss "The Chemical En-

At the beginning of the meeting portation. The bus is to leave from the main business of the meeting will coming year will be held.

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ATTENTION! FROSH

Whole-hearted support of class activities is the mark of the well balanced group. Any man who has learned to support his class will certainly find it easy to be loyal to his country and his employer after Technology days.

How does our present crop of freshmen stand up to this criterion? Two months ago they were clamoring for a class dance—their own class dance. Have they continued this support of their activities? Are they coming out for their Promenade this Friday night? We don't have to answer these questions here. Look at the results of field day; look at the ticket sales for the Prom.

Obviously, one cannot expect all the freshmen to be at Longwood Towers Friday night — but for those who could support their class undertaking, and who are now not planning to do so, we present these Forty-Four Facts:

Field Day—Ignominous defeat by Sophs. Class Election—Only 50% of Class turned out at Polls.

Frosh Prom—??????

Will these question marks turn into dollar signs or pleas to the Institute Committee for funds to finance a fiasco? Only the boys of 1944 can answer that. Do they want another black mark checked against their record? It's up to you, frosh. You ordered this dance. Are you going to refuse delivery.

MARTYRS TO WORLD PROGRESS

The following editorial was sent in to us by one of our readers as an interesting comment on engineers and engineering by a non-engineer. It was published recently in the Chicago Daily Tribune.

President Henry T. Heald of Illinois Institute of Technology said at a recent luncheon that while American industry will need nearly 50,000 engineering graduates in the next year, the engineering colleges of the country will graduate only 12,000 students.

The disproportion of demand and supply, it is to be judged from President Heald's remarks, is somewhat greater at the moment than over a run of years because of the demands of the defense program, but his report serves to emphasize the predominance of the engineer and technician in the modern world. That world is largely of their building, and yet the average graduate of a college course in engineering is less well prepared to understand it than almost any of his baccalaureate comrades.

This, of course, may be only the voice of jealousy speaking. The typewriter pounders, brief writers, ledger keepers, and all of the other people who live in a world of paper, books, and ideas are the real illiterates today.

They live in a world of technology, yet for the most part they have but the faintest idea of how the machines that serve them work.

Yet the machines are made, run, sold, and on occasion destroyed by people, and there are a great many experiences, actions, and aspirations of the human race that cannot be measured or explained by logarithms or the calculus. It is here that the collegiate training of engineers leaves its blind spot, in the almost total elimination of nontechnical subjects from the curriculum.

The trouble lies in the fact that the sum of the world's technical and scientific knowledge has so expanded in the present century that it is impossible to crowd more than a smattering of it into four years of study. As an example medical training, counting the premedical course and internship, now takes nine or ten years.

The engineering colleges have generally stuck to the four year course, and have been enabled to do so only by greatly subdividing the fields in which they give instruction. The specialization has got almost to the point where a superbly trained electrical engineer can't adjust the draft on the coal stoker in his home, a mechanical engineer able to figure combustion problems down to five decimal places can't fix the motor in his wife's vacuum cleaner, and both are as innocent of poetry and political science as on the day they left high school.

The engineering student is already the hardest worked undergraduate on any university campus. If he is to get any respectable degree of instruction in the liberal arts and sciences it is obvious that he will have either to study less technical courses or to spend more years at college. The latter course has been suggested. An objection to it is the increased expense, in time and money, to the student.

When he took office as president of the University of Illinois, Dr. A. C. Willard, a distinguished mechanical engineer, made some critical remarks on empirical courses of instruction. College trained newspapermen, who as a class are dubious of the value of most courses in journalism, would indorse Dr. Willard's suspicions so far as they apply to preparation for their profession. It is possible that practicing engineers can point out a number of soft spots in the engineering curriculum, in which time is being spent on empirical instruction that might better be had when the engineer goes to work.

ELECTIONS

The Tech wishes to announce the election of Orvis B. Hartman, '43, as Associate Advertising Manager for Volume LXI.

THE READER SPEAKS

The Ex-Colonel Speaks

Editor, The Tech Dear Sir:

Although I am not a past contributor to The Tech, I felt that the enclosed article might prove to be publishable and of general interest to the readers.

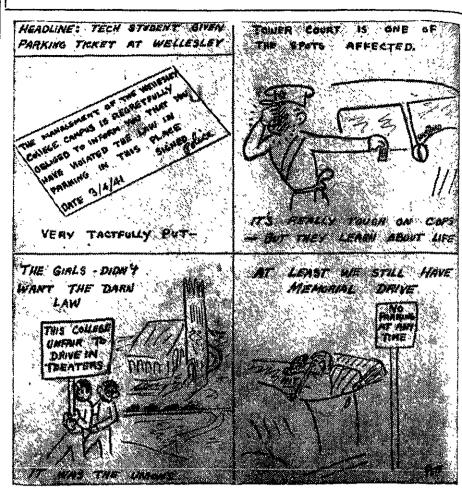
Above the swarm of national events of recent date. one striking human interest story made itself heard. It was the story of a boy who had ideas. The first idea was a solo flight from New York to Paris-an idea that was popularly labeled as, "obviously fantastic". But the boy carried the idea to a successful completion and rose to international acclaim overnight—became a colonel in our air force.

Years passed, and today the man expresses ideas he has about politics. They are popularly labeled as, "incredible". The President of the United Sates disagrees with the man's political views and deplores that such an ill-informed person could enjoy a large audience. The man resigns his commission and leaves the scene. . . .

How natural it is to say: "I never did agree with that fellow anyway; I think the President did the right thing." But is there not some subtle, more important fact behind the superficial events. The President has established a precedent. Although established by an action that, in itself, meets popular approval, the precedent will live long after the flurry of the moment is forgotten. Thus, the importance of the precedent far outweighs that of any personality involved. Does not this imply that in the future a man who enjoys a large audience must express opinions in accord with the administration to survive? Would not the future political scene be more peaceful if the men subordinate to the President could express themselves freely and fearlessly-some good ideas might appear that would otherwise be lost or only be felt through something more drastic than mere speech.

Sincerely yours,

LOVE'S LABOR LOST



For Boys To Play

¶ With examination time coming 1 ominously closer and closer as the week-ends fall from a thinning calendar Technology social life continues with undiminished fervor, but in a more and more informal vein compatible with the pleasantly warm weather.

The D. U.'s put over their annual summer formal affair last Friday night on the very popular roof of the Hotel Brunswick. Stan Brown and his orchestra were there on the musical side for a good part of the eveninguntil closing time-and our "Visit and Report on Dances" Committee confides that it was very well done all around. Of course there's no doubt that the presence of a large contingent of entertainment engineers did much to add to the levity of the proceedings.

Big. gay fun groups were the order of the evening Friday as the Student House and the Chi Pi's went to town in a happy way. Housing one of the largest "cells" of Course XXV men the Chi Pi affair was understood before hand to be one of those things that one just doesn't miss.

lay, proved that such party prognosti- chapter is holding its annual elections cations were well founded. With a reputation of several years to live up to, the "Bohemian" did a notable job. One of the major attractions was the for Britain people are awarding interior decoration job of very inter- D. K. O. citations for men knitters esting murals. The latent art talent D. K. O. is Bundles for Britainese for in the C. P. Lodge came out with Distinguished Knitting Order. some very striking manifestations of rather inspires us to cut a few lab Technology interpretations of life in and knit the battle for democracy. places like New York's Greenwich Village.

missar of Clothing" (sweaters) Willie after a long stay in The City-i. e either. Our Plaudits Department takes who are interested.

off its hat to the Bay State Road students for their initiative in adapting current events to brighten up the mold of Institute fun life. It goes to prove that all the intellect spread about these Memorial Drive shores can be sometimes put to good use on the side of more carefree living.

I The page on our calendar which the printer marked May 7 is very much filled with "functional" data First of all there is the annual Gridiron Banquet for the literary lads of Technology. Notably one of the best of this type of affair, the Gridiron has this year forsaken the Parker House for Cambridge's Hotel Commander From our experiences of last year it is with deep glee that we look forward to Wednesday night.

Among other things on the docke for that night is the annual Agenda Banquet for initiates. The honorary dormitory society annually puts of quite an affair for its new members Scene of this year's orgy-that's short for organization—is the Sun Room & the Hotel Brunswick. At the same Future developments, as of Satur- time the A. I. Ch. E. Technology banquet in the Graduate House Dutch

Word reaches us that the Bundle

In a lighter vein is the announce ment that Ringling Brothers circus Taking a bit of advice from "Com- opens tonight at the Boston Garder Hays, the lads at the Student House New York. Although peanuts and eleput on a "Sweater Dance"—and not phants no longer make us very excited the new 1941 Hays Office models we pass the information on to you

Summer Session

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principles of textile analysis; food technology; principles, techniques, legislation, and administration of city planning; public health, school health, and health education; and public health engineering. There will also be special conferences on the photoelasticity, powder 'metallurgy, and vibrations.

Spectroscopy Conference

The three day summer conference on spectroscopy and its applications will be held from July 21 to July 23. The courses in spectroscopy, including practical and applied spectroscopy, and quantitative spectroscopic analysis, will be given between June 16 and July 25. These courses deal with the design of spectroscopic apparatus and their application to the various fields of science and industry. Professor George R. Harrison, of the Department of Physics, is in charge of these

Beginning July 28, the course on the principles of textile analysis will be Department of Biology and Public given under the direction of Professor | Health, will cover pathology, health Edward R. Schwarz, of the Department education, personal hygiene, and J. Christy Conner, Jr., G. of Mechanical Engineering.

course will cover textile analysis as applied to fabric, yarn and fiber struc-

Food Technology Program

The program in food technology, to be given between June 30 and July 18 will be under the direction of Pro fessor Richard E. Proctor, of the Dr partment of Biology and Public Heals This course is intended to cover the manufacture, processing, transports tion, packaging, and laboratory control of food products, and selected phases of the various food industries

The program on city planning. sponsored by the School of Architecture and the American Planning and Civic Association, is to be directed by Professor Frederick J Adams, of the Department of Archi tecture. The course will consider the objects, scope, problems, procedures administration and legal aspects of city planning and zoning.

Public Health Course

The course in public health directed by Professor Clair E. Turner of the This applied nutrition.

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ı in this season's two regattas Harvard. On both occasions re been victorious with more poatlength separating the two

her event won by an Engiseer s the contest between the var-0-pound crews. Manning's were two-tenths of a second the Cantab lightweights, the argin by which they lost their the Rowe Cup Races run on April 28. Cornell, the other or, was third with two and a igths separating it and the

arvard Jayvees Conquer

ng from the very start, the jayvees settled down to a oke and finally ended the mile ree-quarters by a two boat space between it and Princechnology was half a length he Tiger jayvee shell.

e Compton Cup Classics be he varsity crews, the Cantabs rom last week's victory, the victors over Navy and Rut nd Moch's boys were almos or the first half mile. Here nson began to pull away so un oly that it was only a quarter ength ahead of the others. the mile mark the Engineers ck half a length behind the showing the first signs of . At the mile and a quarter n stroke Wagner led his men om the other crews taking the to 33. Challinor at seven took nd passed it down the slides, so e Cantabs shot past the mile half leading the procession. d had a length lead over the eight who were the same disin front of the Beaver shell. till further as one of its crew a half crab.

y a little over a length over on, which was over a length half ahead of the Moch boat. nning frosh crew's time for the id three-quarters run was a fifth econd faster than the varsity's, 9:38.2. crews leave next week for an

e finish the Crimsons were vic-

contest on Lake Carnegie, the home waters, where they will with the Columbia Lions, · victorious over Navy and with boats from Penn who were ly defeated by Rutgers and bia, and with Princeton who ontested for the Compton Cup fter besting Rutgers and Navy.

· W. Sheetz, '42, ted Squash Captain

1 W. Sheetz, '42, was elected n of next year's varsity squash when the squad held its annual et. This banquet, after having ostponed several times was held ednesday evening in the Gradu-

ture event of the banquet was vard of the cups to the winners e various squash tournaments luring the last two weeks. Mr. son, donor of the Emerson cup, ally presented this cup to Louis ouse, Jr., '42, winner of the varournament. Other awards were ited to Phil Freeman, who was l in the varsity tournament; es Shaw, winner of the J. V. ument; and Marshall Rosenberg,

TO SHAPE DESTINIES OF BOOTERS



Captain Bob Fay and Coach John F. Craig, newly-appointed leaders of the soccer squad, photographed as they supervised a recent practice of the booters. Craig, who succeeds Malcolm Goldie as mentor, comes to his new post from Watertown High.

Phi Gams Triumph In Annual Tourney For Track Supremacy

Winners Score 37.5 DU's Second With 16.7. Phi Kappa Sigma, 15.5, **Bemis Trails With 7**

Winners of the Beaver Key track meet this Sunday were the Fijis, with 37.5 points who took second last year by half a point. Second of the fourteen teams competing were the D.U.'s. with 16.7 points, and third was Phi Kappa Sigma, with 15.5 points. Fourth place went to Beta Theta Phi with 11.7, and fifth to Bemis Hall in the dorms with 7.6. Fourteen teams took part in the tournament.

Phi Gamma Delta took first place in the shot put, broad jump, high jump, and medley relay, and second in the 880-yard relay and shot put, and third in the high jump and 100-yard dash. In the potato race, however, they came in fourth. This latter event was won by the Dekes, who failed to place in any other event.

DU Is Second

In second place, Delta Upsilon took ne Cardinal and Grey shell fell first in the 880-yard relay; thirds in and fourth in the shotput. Last year's winner, Phi Kappa Sigma, who defeated the Fijis by one-half point, came in third this year with seconds in broadjump, potato race, 100-yard dash and medley relay.

> Winning the shot put was Hooper of Phi Gamma Delta, who heaved the 16 pounder 44'9.25". Also of the Fijis were Hass, who went 19'2" to win the broadjump, and McClelland, who topped 5'8" to take the high jump.

Storrs, Bishop Win

Storrs of Beta Theta Phi clipped off the 100 in 11 seconds flat, and Bishop of the Dekes won the potato race in

Racqueteers Vie With Worcester

The varsity tennis team was unable to play against Dartmouth last Friday because of the weather, but will meet Worcester Tech tomorrow.

The lineup will be chosen from the following men: Captain Phil Freeman, Howie Samuels, Dave Herron, Maurice Katz, Frank Philips, George Spies, Art Mestier, Louis Stouse, Barry, John Gunther, and Jacques Shaw.

Frosh Are Whitewashed

The freshman tennis team was whitewashed by a strong Exeter team last Saturday to the tune of 9 to 0. Participating in the match were: Nelson, Heyser, Faurot, Stanley, Meier, and Benedict.

Tomorrow the frosh will try to stage a comeback in a match with Newton High School. So far this season the frosh have lost two games and won one; thus they must win r of the freshman tournament, this game to even out their series. Grant also tallied.

Tech Is Eighth In Coast Guard Trophy Regatta

Dartmouth Wins With Lucky Breeze; Williams Is Second

Sailing in eighth for M.I.T. at the U. S. Coast Guard Academy this weekend were dinghymen Maurice Evans and Hans Aschaffenburg in the A division and Ed Owen, John Kraus, and Tom Crowley in the B division. Dartmouth won the Coast Guard Alumni Bowl for the coming year by defeating Williams 145 to 144.

Emil Mosbacker, Jr., Dartmouth B division skipper, brought home the victory by passing up David S. Maclay of Williams in the last race. The two skippers began at opposite ends of the starting line, and a lucky breeze caught Mosbacker's sail. The boats down the line did not get it however, and as a result, Mosbacker took first in the race, and Maclay third.

Championship Regatta

Coming next weekend is the Annual Dinghy Championship Regatta, in which members of the I.C.Y.R.A. will compete for the Henry A. Morss Memorial Trophy in the Charles River Basin. As prizes, gold watch charms will be awarded to the high point crew and winning skipper.

Jerry Coe and Dick Knapp are expected to be sailing again for Tech in this regatta.

Varsity Stickmen Lose To Ephmen

Snowed under in mid-spring, the varsity lacrosse team succumbed to the Ephmen from Williams by the score of seven to one. Playing on Briggs Field last Saturday, May 3. Coach Maddux's men were handicapped throughout the game by frequent penalties, which were used to good advantage by Williams.

The Tech line-up was (G) Hooper, (Pt.) Given, (C.P.) Fenten, (1st D.) Dunwoody, (2nd D.) Evans, (C) Sibley, (2nd A.) Hill, (1st A.) Gander, (O. H.) Leader, and (I. H.) Karstrom. For Tech the lone tally was made by Leader while Holden, Renzi, Morgan, Mears, and Richards scored for Williams. The next varsity game will be against Springfield College Saturday, May 10, at Springfield, Mass.

Freshmen Hit Stride Again

After dropping a heart-breaker to Harvard last Wednesday by the narrow margin of two goals, the freshmen lacrosse team returned to their old form and soundly trounced Lawrence Academy Saturday to the tune of 14 to 5. Captain Heckel scored 5 goals giving him high-scoring honors for the team. Cahoon, Kennelly, Schnell, Jevon, Gillen, Benjamin, and

Tracksters Trample Bates Saturday 86-49 **Sweeping Four Events**

Boys Club Nips Tech Ball Tea

Beaver Nine Loses 10 To 5 As Beaupre Has One Bad Inning

One bad inning spoiled the Tech Independents' chances in their baseball game with the Boston Boys' Club last Saturday afternoon on Coop Field. The home team lost by 10 to 5. Six of the visitors' runs were scored in the second inning on only two hits.

Playing Coach and Captain Ed Beaupre ruined an otherwise fine ex hibition of pitching by losing control in the second and walking four men These, with the aid of two wild pitches and an error, allowed the South Boston fellows to put the game on ice. The Boys' Club composed almost entirely of ex-high school stars picked up single runs in the first and third plus two in the sixth.

Five For Beaupremen

Johnny King, B. C. frosh, held the Beavers to a single run in the fourth on successive singles by Beaupre and Ray Foster until the Independents found their batting eyes in the last of the ninth. Four runs crossed the plate with the aid of doubles by Foster, Edmonds, and Kusch. It was Al Kusch's third hit of the afternoon.

Despite his temporary fit of wildness, Beaupre managed to strike out nine. Next Saturday the Tech team meets Assumption College at Worcester.

Boxscore	\mathbf{AB}	R	н	0	A	\mathbf{E}
Sadler, 2B	5	1	1	3	1	0
Marakas, 1B	Ŧ	1	2	4	0	0
Kusch, SS	5	0	3	1	0	-0
Schaefer, RF	5	Ō	0	2	0	0
Beaupre, P	3	1	1	0	2	1
Foster, LF	4	1	2	1	1	0
Edmonds, 3B	4	1	2	2	0	1
Meny, CF	4	Õ	0	5	0	Ō
Welch, C	1	Ō	0	0	Ó	Ó
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Beavers Swamp W. P. I. Golfers

Varsity To Vie With B. U. Thursday, Frosh Down Harvard

Playing under adverse weather conitions the varsity golfers won a decisive victory over Worcester Polytechnic Institute at Worcester last Friday by a score of $5\frac{1}{2}$ to $\frac{1}{2}$.

Arthur Avent, Chris Peek, and George Urquhart all took their matches, while Gene Morrison was only able to halve his match. Two twosomes made up of Peek and Avent, and Urquhart and Morrison won bestball matches. The varsity will endeavor to snatch their second win of the season by pitting a strong six man team against B. U. this Thursday at the Oakley Country Club. The probable lineup is: Arthur Avent, Chris Peek, George Urquhart, Gene Morrison, Doug Scott, and Everett Graham.

Frosh Down Crimson

The frosh were also successful in their opener against the Harvard '44ers at the Belmont Country Club last Friday, ekeing out a victory by the slim margin of 5 to 4.

Matches were played in pairs with Bob Plachta and Francis Carey, and Dick Bettes and Bob Breck winning their matches by the score of 2 to 1, and with Russell Gwillim and Bill Buzzard accounting for a 2 to 1 loss. The frosh will play their second match of the season against Nichols Junior College tomorrow.

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Tech Takes All Points In The Pole Vault, Javelin, High Hurdles **And Hammer Contest**

Sweeping four events for all three places, the Beaver tracksters downed the Bates boys at Lewiston, Maine, last Saturday, to the tune of 86-49.

The Briggs Fielders took all the points in the pole vault, javelin, high hurdles, and hammer throw. The winners of the pole vault were Bruce Horst, first; Gregory Azarian, second; Walter Eberhard, third.

Koss, Jester, Meier Win

Irving Koss, first; Jack Sexton, second: Dick Van Voorhees, third was the result of the javelin throw. Winning the 120-yard high hurdles were Lew Jester, first; Charley Coles, second; Larry Stewart, third. Whitewashing the Bates hammer throwers were John Meier, throwing farthest, Stan Van Greenby second, and Karl Baresel, third.

The broad jump was won by Bates, but Al Booth and Bob Ford of Tech took second and third places respectively. In the high jump Charley Coles took first place with Jack Nagle tying for second with a Bates jumper. Rudy Hensel copped both the 100 and 220 dashes with George Clark coming in third in the 100 and Bob McBride, third in the 220.

Drop Quarter Mile

The quarter and the mile were both won by Bates, however. Bob McBride came in second in the 440; with Bob Miller and Larry Turnock copping second and third in the mile. The only Tech man placing the shot put event was John Nagle, who took third. Malcolm McGregor and Stan Backer scored three and one points for Tech respectively in the two mile.

Lew Jester, winning the 220-yard low hurdles was backed up by Larry Stewart in the third position. In the 880 Gene Brady finished second, leading Les Corsa and Ralph Kelly who tied for third. In the discuss hurling contest Jack Madwed and John Nagle took second and third places respec-

'44 Squad To Compete

Meeting a bitter 691/2 to 561/2 defeat at the hands of Moses Brown last Friday the frosh tracksters hope to redeem themselves against the Jumbo cubs tomorrow at 4:00 P.M. on Briggs Field.

In 1940 the Tech yearlings nipped the Medford boys 46½ to 36½. In indoor track three months ago the '44ers again downed Tufts, 43½ to 371/2, thereby giving favorable prospects for the coming meet.

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WEDNESDAY, MAY 7, 1941

4:00 P.M. Course XVII Movies-Room 6-120.

4:30 P.M. Freshman Track vs. Tufts Frosh-Coop Field.

4:30 P.M. Varsity Tennis vs. Worcester Tech—Coop Field.

5:15 P.M. Hobby Shop Meeting-Tech Portrait Studio.

6:00 P.M. A.I.Ch.E. Elections Banquet—Dutch Room of Grad. House,

6:30 P.M. Agenda Banquet—Hotel Brunswick.

6:30 P.M. Gridiron Banquet-Hotel Commander.

THURSDAY, MAY 8, 1941

4:00 P.M. Civil Engineering Thesis Seminar—Room 1-390. 5:00 P.M. Institute Committee Meeting-Litchfield Lounge.

Frosh Prom

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prom is destined to be a social success, but state that ticket sales are important now. Preparations are complete for the dance, and only the ticket sales remain to trouble the enthusiastic promoters. Americo F. Almeida, Jr., '44, is in charge of ticket distribution for dormitory students, while James Woodburn, Jr., is in charge of ticket sales among fraternity men. Every freshman representative should have tickets for sale until noon Thursday, and meanwhile a concentrated sales effort is being made in the Main Lobby.

Senior Week Events

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\$2; the Tech Pops Night, \$1.50 per person; the Tea Dance, \$1.00 a couple; and the Senior Ball, which is a dinner dance, \$9.00 a couple. The banquet is on Friday. June 6; the Pops night. on June 7: the Tea Dance, on June 9; and the Senior Ball, on the evening of Commencement. June 10.

The blanket redemptions cover all these events and have tickets for two people to the Pops. Additional tickets to the latter event, to which it is customary to bring parents and guests. may be secured at the desk in the Main Lobby.

Activities

A.I.E.E. Elections

John E. Uhlmann, '42, was elected chairman of the M.I.T. student branch of the American Institute of Electrical Engineers for the 1941-1942 year at a meeting held last Wednesday.

Other officers will be Wendell E. Phillips, Jr., '42, vice-chairman, Stanley N. Golembe, '42, treasurer, and George J. Schwartz, '42, secretary, All are in Course VI.

Civil Engineers

Theses written by members of the Class of 1941 for degrees in the department of Civil Engineering are to be discussed by their authors at a seminar which is scheduled to be held at 4:00 P.M., Thursday, May 8, in Room 1-390. Anyone interested in the subjects to be discussed is invited to

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Bacteria Lecture Given Yesterday

Dr. E. Newton Harvey delivered a lecture on Bioluminescence at 3:00 P.M. Monday, May 5, in Room 4-370 for the final meeting of the graduate seminar of the Biology Department. Dr. Harvey, who is recognized as an outstanding authority on the subject of luminescence in organisms, is a member of the faculty of Princeton University and is here as a visiting lecturer in the Department of Biology and Public Health, He is also the famed author of Living Lights.

Bacteria and the organism Cypridina were described as two general sources of Bioluminescence. In the latter the light is produced by a chemical reaction between secreted fluids, while the former depends upon a colony of light-giving bacteria.

Mr. Henry Kane Clarifies Student Deferment Plan

To clear confusion regarding the form cards sent to the students with President Compton's letter dealing with deferment of Institute students, Mr. Henry B. Kane. Director of the Alumni Fund, in charge of the deferments, announced last night that they are to be filled only by those students registered for the draft at present, and returned to the Registrar's Office. Room 3-107.

They were sent to the other students for informational purposes only. Mr. Kane stressed that deferments will still be made on individual considerations as provided for by the law.

Compton's Talk

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of this defense training program, Dr. Compton outlined the cooperative program which is being organized under the United States Office of Education. "M.I.T. itself is offering fifteen special courses and by summer's end over seven hundred students will have completed the courses," he stated.

Subjects Without Charge

Pointing out that all the courses are given without charge to students, President Compton mentioned that such courses as Naval Construction and Naval Engineering are given at the request of and in cooperation with the Navy Department, while the Army



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and Navy and the Air Corps have been sending students to the Institute for training in Meteorology, and the Army and Navy have detailed men for the special course in Aeronautical Engineering.

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