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Completion of Alden Memorial Assured For June Senior Commencement Program

Great Attention Paid To Details of Furnishings by Apt Interior Decorators

"Will the Alden Memorial be finished in time for Commencement exercises?" Chief Engineer Tapper, who is in charge of the construction of the new Alden Memorial replied that he believes that the building will be sufficiently finished by Commencement week to enable the Senior class to hold their exercises in the building, although all the work on the interior will not be finished at that time.

At the present the biggest job to be done, and perhaps the hardest too, is the cutting and the placing of the ornamental marble that will finish off the curved stairs just inside the main entrance and also the West Street entrance beneath the tower. The plumbing work is progressing rapidly, and many of the shower baths, wash basins, and heating units have already been installed. In the past few days some of the workmen have begun to set the glass in many of the windows.

In a tour of inspection of the building, Chief Engineer Tapper spent much time in describing the library as it will look when finished. Oak paneling will decorate the walls from the floor to the ceiling of the room which is located at the southern end of the building underneath the stage. The room extends for the entire width of the building and is divided up into a main room, two alcoves, and two small rooms which will be adapted for private study and research.

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Techniquet To Be Conducted Again in June

Program For Seventh Annual Techniquet Has Been Completed

The Worcester Polytechnic Institute offers again, for the seventh consecutive year, the Worcester Techniquet, a program to help those boys in their third and fourth years of high school in choosing a career and the kind of education for which they may be best adapted. Tech presents an opportunity for boys to spend ten days on the campus of an engineering college at a reasonably low cost, and to engage in a varied program of laboratory experiments, inspections, and aptitude tests. Perhaps you were among some of the select few who attended a Techniquet of previous years. If so, then you have certainly realized the value of such a program.

During Techniquet week of the years 1934 to 1939 a total of some three hundred boys lived in a college dormitory; they observed college students at work on engineering projects; used surveying instruments; learned about various engineering careers; and noted many phases of an engineering education. After this they were conducted through many of the modern industrial

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'News' Photo Editor, C. A. Gerlach To Head New Feature

Installation of Equipment Enables Greater Pictorial Coverage of Campus News

Speaking of pictures, how did you like the beauty who graced the front page of our last issue? The photographic and engraving technique is the product of a new department in the TECH NEWS staff headed by Clinton A. Gerlach, whose name appears in the masthead for the first time in this issue.

Gerlach was elected to the position of photographic editor some time ago and has devoted considerable time to developing photo-engraving and plate-making equipment in the NEWS room. Clark Goodchild has also spent a great deal of his time in perfecting the present equipment. Technical difficulties in projecting images onto sensitized plates delayed progress for several weeks, but the illustration in last week's issue is mute evidence of the high quality cuts that can now be produced on the equipment.

The addition of this department will enable the staff to present more complete coverage of campus news and activities, since as expressed in the words of an ancient philosopher, "One picture is worth a thousand words." Amateur photographers of Tech who have good shots of local news events may now have them considered for publication by submitting them to the NEWS editors by Saturday of each week.

Mr. Perry Leaves Hospital Soon

Mr. H. J. Perry, well-known to every former dorm resident as assistant to Professor Locke in the work of the Freshman Dormitory, is now recovering from an attack of pneumonia which struck him on Thursday, April 4.

He was rushed to Fairlawn Hospital, when his condition remained critical through four days. Now, however, Mr. Perry is recovering rapidly in the hospital and, after a period of convalescence, will be back again to his job.

The Dormitory has appeared very different without Mr. Perry around to look after the many details which ordinarily are handled so competently. The porters and the upperclassmen who work in the Dormitory, however, have carried on admirably in spite of the handicap of not having Mr. Perry to

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"AT HOME DAY" INVITATIONS

All students, both fraternity and non-fraternity men may obtain "At Home Day" invitations for prospective students from the Alumni Office. These invitations will be available after the twenty-fifth of April. It is the desire of the "At Home Day Committee" that these invitations be sent to those students who are in the Junior or Senior year in high or preparatory school. These invitations, it is felt, should go to prospective Tech students only.

Yale Collegians To Play For Soph Dance Debut On May 10

Prexy Elected Head of Worcester Red Cross Roll Call

Professors Schwieger and Wellman to Manage Tech Student Roll Call

President Wat Tyler Cluverius has been elected chairman of the Worcester Red Cross Roll Call. This is the first time that Worcester, as a city, has had its own roll call. The minimum membership fee is one dollar. The money netted from this roll call will go to serve a multitude of humane purposes. One half of the membership gift goes toward local Red Cross work such as maintenance of first aid stations, life saving courses, aid to veterans, instruction in first aid, and maintenance of disaster crews capable of coping with any of the misfortunes New England may fall subject to. The remaining half of the gift is used for national and international Red Cross work. All national Red Cross services and aid to foreign refugees depend on the results of the annual roll call. All are worthy causes; all need your support. Professors A. J. Schwieger and B. L. Wellman are managing the roll call of Tech students. Contributions from students are welcome and may be left with Profs. Schwieger and Wellman or with Miss Warren at the information booth in Boynton Hall.

Crowning of Queen of Hop Features Evening's Program

Second Yearmen to Wear Newly Acquired College Jackets at Annual Event

On Friday, May 10, the Yale Collegians will play as minstrels to the queen of the Soph Hop and her court at the Worcester Country Club. Sophomores, making their debuts in the new school jackets, and their guests in formal dress will comprise the retinue of the court of dance and beauty.

The feature of the Soph Hop this year will be the selection of a queen of pulchritude and the modern terpsichorean arts. A bevy of six scintillating samples of sylph-like symmetry will be assembled from the ranks of the jaggging janes, and one fortunate frail from the favored few will be crowned queen of the capers of rug-cutters by a group of impartial judges. Personality, poise, and pulchritude will provide points for promising propagators of pleasure to the eye.

The Yale Collegians will supply the sparkling syncopation of sophisticated swing for the dancing daddies and dollies and the jamming jumble of jitter-bugs. The Collegians have played for dances at Smith, Williams, Amherst, and many other well-known schools throughout the East, and are rated by

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Junior Prom and Round Robin Score Outstanding Success

The Class of 1941 presented Friday evening, April 12, from nine 'til two, a Junior Prom which probably was the best of its kind held in recent years. Maestro Willie Farmer and his orchestra supplied smooth and danceable rhythms for the crowd of over two hundred couples who thronged the Ballroom at the Bancroft Hotel for the ball which was the highlight of the annual junior weekend. Discouraged not a bit by the rainy evening, the Promenaders attended in numbers far exceeding those originally planned for by Co-chairmen Don Atkinson and Bill Paulsen.

Favors were carefully wrapped; the couples drew them from the big hat as they entered the ballroom. Beautiful compacts, bracelets, cigarette cases and necklaces, all with the college seal, brought forth many oohs and ahs. The grand prize, drawn for during the evening by Prexy and won by Myrilyn Paine with Fred Miller, was a fine leather vanity case.

The evening was made even more enjoyable by the varicolored snow storm of lights projected from two huge crystal balls hung from the ballroom ceiling. The committee should be highly commended for their presentation of a very successful Junior Prom, a Prom which started a week end not to be easily forgotten by the many Tech men who took part in the annual spring affair.

On Saturday the Junior Prommers attended classes and turned Tech into a co-ed college for the day, much to the apparent interest and distraction of the professors.

Saturday evening featured the Masque presentation, "The Torchbearers" and then, with clear skies to help things along the crowd spread through the various fraternity houses to attend the traditional Round Robin dance.

The A. T. O.'s offered for dancing the ever popular Boyntonians led by Andy Anderson, and the college dance band was as good as always. The well-known Watson Brothers supplied the rhythm at Phi Gamma Delta, while at Theta Chi, Springfield's Wendell Bradley swung out for the lads and lassies.

The Phi Sigs engaged Don Thurlow and his boys to play for dancing both upstairs and down in their play room, while at Theta Kap, Tommy Grant's swingsters kept the Round Robin going at a fast pace, while next door Sig Ep entertained with Duke Erickson and his mates.

Upon the Hill, Lambda Chi had engaged the swingcopation of Lee Russell's band, and over on the other side of the campus Frannie Fisher's lads played for the dancers at S. A. E.

Maroon Round Robin coat ribbons for identification and decoration were in keeping with the gay festivities and added greatly to the mood of fun and frolic which lasted officially until two in the morning.

House parties at the fraternities during the weekend extended until noon Sunday, when Junior Week ended with many an Engineer's wish that all Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays were like these.

Zepp, Sodano, and Townsend Star In Masque Production

"The Torchbearers", 1940 presentation of the Masque, played to a capacity house at Tuckerman Hall on April 13. Under the able leadership of Mr. Charles P. Rugg, the presentation was adjudged a grand success. The play was an excellent farce of the backstage antics of an amateur Thespian production.

In her first appearance on the theatrical stage, Mrs. Paula Ritter is considered a great success by everyone but her husband, Mr. Ritter. In his estimation, the loss of Mr. Twiller's mustache and the distraction caused backstage by Mr. Spindler's confused attempts as sound-effect technician and stooge only completed the already painful spectacle of the performance. Despite the many congratulations received from the directress, Mrs. J. Duro Pampinelli, and all of her friends, Mrs. Ritter is forbidden in no uncertain words to make another appearance on the stage. Following a riotous scene at the Ritter's home following the performance, Mr. Ritter finally condescends to permit his wife to follow her career, only to have Mrs. Ritter announce her intention to give up acting for the sake of her home.

Mrs. Shaw and Mrs. Barker, in the roles of Mrs. Paula Ritter and Mrs. J. Duro Pampinelli, repeated their excellent performances in previous Masque productions. Mrs. Barker is very active in local amateur Thespian groups. She has played in performances of Worcester Women's Club and the Clark University Players.

Mrs. Spencer Rose, in the role of Mrs. Nelly Fell, and Miss Betty Jacobs,

cast as Miss Florence McCrickett, were making their first appearances before a Tech audience. However they have just completed successful performances in these same parts in the Worcester Women's Club production of "The Torchbearers". Miss Ruth Sturup, as Jenny, gave an admirable performance in her first Masque production. Miss Eugenia Richards, in the role of Mrs. Clara Sheppard, is the fourth newcomer to the Masque stage. However, Miss Richards has given many excellent performances for other local groups, her latest success being the starring role in the most recent production of the State Teachers College.

Warren Zepp did an excellent job as Mr. Ritter, while Walter Sodano, in the role of Mr. Spindler, brought down the house again and again as he aroused the wrath of Mrs. Pampinelli.

John Townsend turned in a splendid performance in the supporting role of Mr. Hosse Frosse, along with Johnathan Allured as Teddy Spearing, Robert Pim and Daniel McNally, the only two freshmen in the cast, should give us many more fine performances in the future.

The production was greatly enjoyed by everyone and it is sincerely hoped that we may see members of the cast in future Masque shows, as Walter Sodano was the only senior in the play. Moreover, Tech, as well as the Masque staff, is deeply grateful and appreciative of the splendid performances put on by the Worcester women in the cast, and we hope to see them in future Masque productions.

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Editorials

Students Discuss "United States and the War"

Symbolizing the attitude of over a million students in this country, the United Student Peace Committee is carrying forth the torch of international harmony and freedom. This organization, consisting of only 500,000 members in 1936, has more than doubled its membership as the imminence of United States' entry into the war has increased.

The theme of the Peace Committee's program is "America can stay out of the war". Around this standard the leaders have been able to construct a practical 7-point platform as suggested by the preponderance of student opinion. It calls for:

1. Opposition to all steps to war—such as loans, planes, men, to any European belligerents.
2. Clarity of thought—no "headline mentality"—don't follow the headlines into the front lines!
3. Strengthening of democracy at home thru increased N. Y. A. passage of the American Youth Act, social services.
4. Protection of Civil Liberty—no M-Day—no militarization of C. C. C. and N. Y. A.
5. Maintenance of the campus as a fortress of democracy—Academic freedom—extend education budgets—optional R. O. T. C.
6. Extension of international friendship—thru student relief for Europe and the Far East.
7. Establishing the United States as a force for peace—we want no second Versailles—no agreement with Japan at the expense of China.

In connection with this program, a medal is being offered to the student on a United States campus who, in the judgment of a distinguished committee of university people, has done the most on the American campus for peace in the year 1939-40. This award entitled, "The Legion Of Honor For Peace" will be made some time in April and will be symbolic of student sentiment to keep America at peace; to build and strengthen a forward-looking democracy. It shall be expressive of our desire to live for democracy and not to die for it. The criterion for award is not the size of the college, or the official post of the candidate. Decisions will be based solely on the individual's contribution.

On April 19th students over the entire nation demonstrated their desire to keep America out of war. Student America organized for peace dedicated itself to a realistic life and death program to strengthen democracy at home. This was achieved through mass meetings, parades, chapels, radio broadcasts, and other means. Such demonstrations were designed to show the American public the real feeling which actually exists in the nation's colleges. These performances should be displayed more often to dispel the erroneous ideas which some people have acquired through various types of misinformation or by observing a very small and out of the ordinary group of college students.

It is important to note not only the platform and medal but also the ideals around which college students are rallying. Realizing the futility of war and its detrimental effects, this generation proclaims its intention to live and let live. It is much more fitting and proper to keep the Yanks "over here" and keep America out of war.

Fraternities

PHI GAM

A house party was held over the Junior Prom week-end with the Watson Brothers' orchestra engaged for the Round Robin. The Freshman members are taking turns in living at the house. Each man lives at the house for a three-day period. The last Freshman to take advantage of this is Al Tenny. The officers are: president, Charles Hoebel; corresponding secretary, Russel Park; vice-president, Hilliard Paige; historian, Robert Muir; recording secretary, Chandler Walker; steward, Joseph Whitaker.

S.O.P.

All the Freshman pledges have been rather occupied the past week as they have been in the midst of Initiation Week. Informal initiation was held Saturday evening. The new officers of the house are: president, George Cohen; vice-president, Louis Goldrofen; treasurer, Cline Mendelsohn; Scribe, Irving Breger.

LAMBDA CHI ALPHA

The Junior Prom weekend, under the direction of "Scotty" Glencross, was a great success. Nineteen couples attended the dance at the Bancroft, which was preceded by a formal dinner at the house. Saturday night Lee Russell's orchestra played for those at Round Robin.

Plans for a night club dance Saturday, April 27, are well underway. It will be a very informal dance given in honor of the new initiates and pledges. Again Lee Russell's orchestra will play for the house.

A great many events are scheduled for May. The list includes an alumni initiation banquet, Soph Hop, parents' day banquet and a picnic in Brookfield.

A Timely Hint to the Editor:

Student gripes on a College campus will never cease. I have in mind one source of annoyance to a large part of the student body however, which I think could be eliminated without too much difficulty. I refer to the problem of towels in the gymnasium. Night after night it is impossible to get a towel after the last gym class is over. Many students coming over to the gym after 4:00 get stuck with the same towel for a couple of weeks at a time. A white towel in the gym is indeed a rarity, and for that matter, a whole one is none too common. If, as is apparently the case, the budget will not allow for a larger supply and more frequent replacement of towels, why not a small tax to pay for this item? Instead of a one dollar deposit for towels, increase this to a dollar and a half; one dollar to be refunded with return of the towel. What student would begrudge fifty cents a year for a clean towel after a shower?

—Hopeful.

Air-speedster Roscoe Turner has charge of the aeronautics course at Butler University.

A Norwegian shipping line has named one of its vessels "Tulane" in honor of Tulane University.

Cinematographer Spencer Tracy will soon be awarded an honorary degree by his alma mater, Ripon College.

University of Arkansas buildings have a total volume of 12,000,000 cubic feet.

Washington and Lee University has organized a new archive for the preservation of propaganda and promotion materials.

Attention Students

See Mrs. Barr at the "COLLEGE INN" for your 1940-41 rooms 34 Institute Rd.

Club News

A.S.C.E.

The Student Chapter of the American Society of Civil Engineers held its regular monthly meeting last Wednesday, April 17, 1940, in Sanford Riley Hall. In a short business meeting plans for the coming New England student conference were discussed.

The program for the day consisted in abstracts by five students. The topics were as follows: G. S. Bingham, "The Recent Developments and Possible Future of Aerial Photography;" R. A. Coleman, "The Topography of Finland;" T. P. Love, "The All-American Canal;" A. H. Malboeuf, "Precast Concrete Case-on Type Manhole."

After the meeting the usual refreshments of ice cream and cake were served.

AERO CLUB MEETING

On April 17, in the Aero Laboratory, the Aero Club picked its executive staff for the next year. The following members were elected to office: President, Frances Boyle; Vice-President, Eugene Larrabee; Program, Morris Libby; Publicity, Wilbur Day; Secretary, Harold Crane.

Following a short discussion of the agenda for the coming year, a contest was held, based upon the identification of pictures of modern airplanes. Eugene Larrabee won first prize.

OUTING CLUB

The final meeting of the Outing Club will be held on next Wednesday, April 24, in Sanford-Riley Hall. Elections for next year will take place at this time. Nominations have been made as follows: president, Dave Chase; vice-president, Arvo Saarnijok; sec-treas., Dave Nye. It is imperative that all members attend in order that a majority may vote. Movies will be shown and there will be refreshments.

A.I.E.E.

Mr. Louis S. Leavitt, assistant to the General Manager of the Worcester County Electric Company, will speak on "Adventures in Engineering" on Monday, April 29, at 7:30 P. M. Election of next year's officers will also take place at this meeting. Plans are to be made for attendance at the A.I.E.E. Student Convention at R. P. I. on May 3-4.

Mr. Leavitt is going to tell of his experiences while engaged in installing a hydroelectric plant in the tin mining regions of Siam (now Thailand) during war times. He will illustrate his talk with approximately sixty lantern slides.

He will tell of difficulties not only in engineering but also in getting dynamite and other much needed supplies, and especially overcoming language differences with his laborers.

23rd Psalm of An Engineer's Sweetheart

Verily, I say unto you, marry not an Engineer.
For an Engineer is a strange being, and is possessed of many evils.
Yea, he speaketh eternally in parables which he calleth formulae,
And he wieldeth a big stick which he calleth a slide rule,
And he hath only one bible, a hand book.
He thinketh only of stresses and strains, without end of thermodynamics.
He showeth always a serious aspect and seemeth not to know how to smile,
And he picketh his seat in a car by the springs therein and not by the damsels.
Neither does he know a waterfall except by its horsepower,
Nor a sunset except that he must turn on the lights,

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New Eng. A.S.M.E. Student Conference To Be Held May 3-4

The W. P. I. student branch of the A. S. M. E. will be host to student mechanics from all over New England Friday and Saturday, May 3 and 4. Registration starts Thursday, May 2 from four o'clock until ten, and is to be completed Friday morning at eight. Nine o'clock Friday morning the opening session will be held. After a welcome by Kenneth Blaisdell, chairman of the Worcester student branch, President Cluverius will deliver the official college welcome. Luncheon will be served in Sanford Riley Hall, and in the afternoon the visitors will have their choice of inspection trips to Rockwood Sprinkler Co., Leland-Gifford Co. and Baldwin-Duckworth Chain Co., or Wyman-Gordon Co. and Worcester Polytechnic Institute. Saturday morning there will be a technical session, and at the banquet Saturday noon, prizes will be awarded to the holders of the best student papers. This conference is a great opportunity for the mechanics to sell Worcester Tech to college representatives from New England. The whole-hearted support of student members and members of the M. E. department at all the conference functions will go a great ways toward the achievement of this goal. Any student in the mechanical engineering department may arrange with his professors to attend any of the conference sessions.

Nor a damsel except by her live weight,
Always he carries his books with him,
and he entertaineth his sweetheart
with steam tables.
Verily, though the damsel expects
chocolates when he calleth,
She openeth the package to disclose
samples of iron ore.
Yea he holdeth her hand but to measure
the friction thereof,
And he kisseth her only to test the
viscosity of her lips.
For in his eyes, there shineth a far away
look that is neither
Love nor longing—rather a vain at-
tempt to recall a formula.
There is but one key to his heart and
that is Cum Laude, and
When his damsel writeth of love and
signs with crosses, he,
Taketeth these symbols, not for kisses,
but for unknown quantities.
Even as a boy he pulleth a girl's hair to
test its elasticity,
But as a man he discovereth different
devices;
For he counteth the vibrations of her
heart strings; and
He seeketh ever to pursue his scientific
investigation.
Even his own heart flutterings, he
counteth as
A vision of beauty, and enscribeth his
passion as a formula.
And his marriage is a simultaneous
equation involving two unknowns
And yielding diverse results.
Verily, I say unto you, marry not an
Engineer.

Soph Hop

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Glen Gray of Casa Loma fame as the best college band in the country.
The Worcester Country Club will be gaily decorated for the affair, and dancing will last from nine till two. Members of the sophomore class will wear their newly acquired jackets, while others who attend will adhere to precedents of formal dress. Admission for the dance will be three dollars per couple. Bids may be secured from members of the sophomore class.

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Sports Sidelights

By Charles L. Hoebel

With spring around the same corner around which prosperity hid for some eight years, the spring sports program is having a good deal of trouble getting underway. The expected baseball opening on Saturday was rained out, and from the looks of the ground to-night (Sunday), it bids fair to be a meetless Monday, as far as the interfraternity track competition is concerned. Unless there is a complete reversal of weather, and suddenly, the track meet will have to be postponed along with the interfraternity baseball games scheduled for this week. . . . If the elements relent a bit, the Tech varsity baseball team expects to pry (and how!) the lid off the season by entertaining the Norwich University team here on Alumni Field. Then on Saturday, the team travels to Springfield to encounter the team of the American International College. . . . As for forecasts on what the respective teams can do, there have been no performances to date on which we can base our conclusions. This goes for the Tech team as well. With many new men to be tried out, the team right now is an unknown quantity, though it promises to be good. . . . The track season opens in intercollegiate competition here at Tech with a dual meet at Alumni Field

on Saturday, again weather permitting. The visitors will be the team of Trinity College. Last year, Tech visited them in Hartford and beat them. However, this year the Tech team is sadly lacking in all-around weight men to replace last year's captain, Mal Chandler. Bob Lotz on the shot put and Fred White on the discus may help, but there is no one experienced in the hammer throw. In the dashes, there are last year's runners, Carl Fritch, captain of this year's team, and Scotty Glencross and Willie Ames. Lee Ekstrom looks as though he might be pushing these boys for a niche. In the 440, Butch Naboichek and Carl Fritch will be there as experienced runners, with Ekstrom and fast Bob Green giving them competition. Dave Nye and Art Burns, as well as George Drawbridge, are available in the distances, all having won letters this year as Freshmen. Bob Grant, sophomore, John Bentley, senior, and Bob Wilson, lettermen, will also be out for the half-mile. Al Tenney looks good for a record-breaking performance in the high jump, with Wackerbarth, record holder. With Don Smith in the hurdles, Ames and Lotz in the broad jump, and Dave Chase in the javelin throw, it looks like an able squad for Coach Johnstone to work with.

Techniquet

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plants here in the city. Then they were counseled by an expert in educational psychology. Above all they all enjoyed the program.

Since the Techniquet is held while college summer practice courses are in progress, the boys have a unique opportunity to observe engineering students at work. They see them at surveying and mapping, testing and analyzing materials, making machine parts, or carrying on hydraulic tests. The boys also try their hand at some of the tests and experiments, under careful supervision.

The program consists of daily visits to the laboratories and evenings spent in lectures and discussions about different branches of engineering, about industries, scientific pursuits, colleges and their courses, or about things that have been seen during the day. At the close of the ten day period the boys take an

aptitude test for the purpose of assisting boys and their parents to determine the type of work and education for which the boy may be best suited.

The entire course is under capable supervision of a Tech staff. Prof. Paul R. Swan, professor of English, and general secretary of the Student Christian Association, is director of the Techniquet. The other members of the committee are Dean Jerome W. Howe, general chairman, and Dr. Veron A. Jones of Clark University, who is in charge of the aptitude tests and analyses.

The total fee for the ten day period is \$30.00.

Come on Tech men! Let's give this year's Techniquet our complete support. Remember that these fellows will be part of next year's Freshmen class if they enjoy their stay here at Tech as much as those of previous years have. When they are in the labs, do your bit in explaining the instruments to them. Make 1940's Techniquet the best in its series!

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Interfraternity Baseball Opens With Two Shutouts

T.K.P.-S.A.E.

In the opening game of the Interfraternity baseball series, T.K.P. swamped S.A.E. by an 18-0 score. Franny Oneglia held the opponents hitless and scoreless for four innings and Dick Jasper finished off the fifth inning in one-two-three order, striking out the first two men. Hafey started for S.A.E., but was relieved by Santom in the third. Oneglia was indisputably the hero of the game, for in addition to his no-hit, no-run game, he was the only man to get two of T.K.P.'s seven hits. Oneglia also had ten strike-outs.

Theta Chi-S.O.P.

Theta Chi won their opening game by outlasting S.O.P. for a 4-2 victory. A three run rally in the third inning decided the game. Chase, on the mound for Theta Chi, held the enemy hitless, but slight wildness paired with a costly error gave S.O.P. two runs. Baylor, pitching for S.O.P., gave only three hits. Stevenson, Chatfield, and Rothwell each had singles. Baylor had eleven strike-outs.

P.G.D.-P.S.K.

Wednesday afternoon P.G.D. shut out P.S.K. 7-0. Ray Matthews struck out twelve of the sixteen men that faced him and did not give a walk. He did not have a hit against him until the last inning, when McLay dropped a terrific hit on the dormitory roof. However, it was between the flags and only counted as a single. Bergstrom, on the mound for P.S.K., pitched a good game, but ragged fielding kept him in hot water. The only earned run of the game was a home run by Totti for P.G.D.

Mr. Perry Leaves Hospital

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help matters along. It has required a great deal of cooperation and patience to keep things running, and, though the Freshmen find the mail service a bit slow at times, they have not complained.

Mr. Perry has had many visitors and received many flowers and cards; numerous Dormitory residents and most of the kitchen crew visited the hospital last week to wish him speedy recovery.

Alden Memorial

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Building Sidelights

The workman who fell nearly 35 feet from the ceiling of the main hall a few weeks ago is still incapacitated, but it is thought that he will recover without any permanent injuries, in spite of the fact that he had a very dangerous fall.

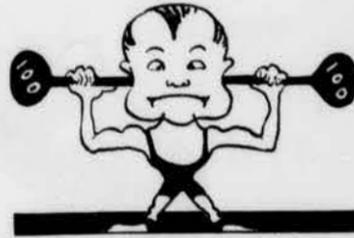
The thoroughness of the interior decorators is shown by the fact that the ladies room on the first floor is decorated with a very feminine pink while the men's room boasts an equally masculine blue.

The view of the surrounding country side from the top of the Alden Memorial tower very closely rivals the view from Bancroft tower as perhaps some of the Freshmen discovered in their lantern-hanging escapades last fall.

There is located in the basement a room devoted entirely to the storage of electrical supplies for the building as well as the controls for the electrical system of the building. Who said, "Engineers don't think of everything?"

Bob Seaton Takes Phil Gow's Place As Strongest Frosh

Prof. P. R. Carpenter has announced the results of the second series of strength tests taken of the Freshman



class. The class as a whole shows surprising increases in strength and weight. In the second series of tests, the Freshman weight average was 151.8 pounds, or a gain of 3.6 pounds over the first test. The average strength has climbed from 636.4 kilos to 653.5 kilos, a gain of 17.1 kilos.

The strongest man in the class in the first series was Phil Gow of Auburn. Gow piled up a score of 928 in the original tests, and in the second trial Bob Seaton took Gow's place with the same score.

1st Test	2nd Test
1. 928 Gow	1. 928 Seaton
2. 892 Moss	2. 912 Fairhurst
3. 853 Stoliker	3. 881 Moss
4. 844 Fairhurst	4. 870 Meyer
5. 838 Hanckel	5. 868 Hanckel
6. 837 Linden	6. 859 Rovno

To Contributors

The "TECH NEWS" is glad to see that some students have taken the opportunity to express their views to the rest of the student body by means of our college paper. The students should remember, however, that all stories intended for publication must be signed by the writer. Even if a pen-name is to be attached to the printed article, the real name should accompany the story because it is impossible for us to print anything without knowing the contributor's identity.

Varsity Golf Team Formulates Plans For Coming Season

Eight Candidates Report To Captain Pete Gaidis For Qualification Round

The Tech Golf Team met last Monday afternoon for the first time this season. Eight candidates reported to Captain-Manager Peter Gaidis. Plans were completed for holding a qualifying round on Monday afternoon, April 22, at the Worcester Country Club. It was also announced that all home matches would be played at the Worcester Country Club. This has been made possible through the cooperation of several Tech alumni who have been generous enough to provide the course free of charge for W. P. I. matches.

Those who reported Monday were Kenneth Hunt, Alfred Andersen, William Bosyk, Raymond Cole, Henry Richard, Frederick Waterhouse, Jackson Durkee, and Raymond Matthews. After the qualifying round the squad will probably be cut to seven men. There are only two letter men out for the team, namely, Gaidis and Bosyk. Others who have played include Andersen and Hunt. Matthews shows promise of becoming a regular.

This season's schedule: April 26, Norwich, Home; May 2, Trinity, Home; May 7, Tufts, Home; May 10, Boston College, Boston; May 13, Amherst, Amherst; May 15, Brown, Providence; May 20, M. I. T., Cambridge; May 23, R. I. State, Kingston.

7. 826 Pim	7. 849 Walker
8. 825 Tenney	8. 846 Alden
9. 818 Gere	9. 845 Seaver
10. 809 Lipovsky	10. 834 Farnsworth

That wacky song, "The Little Man Who Wasn't There", was written by a New York University education professor.

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NYA Men Get High Grades

Although required to work an average of approximately 40 hours per month, college students employed by the National Youth Administration receive higher than average grades, according to a survey just completed and made public by NYA Administrator Aubrey Williams.

Covering 62,000 students in 666 institutions located in 46 states, the District of Columbia and the territories, the survey disclosed that NYA students ranked higher in scholarship than the general student body in 80 per cent of the colleges. Two-thirds of the NYA employed students had scholastic averages that placed them in the upper half of the student body.

Tech Men Get N.Y.U. Positions

Arthur E. Martell, '38, was recently appointed a University Fellow at the Graduate School of Arts and Sciences at New York University for the school year 1940-41. Martell was an active Chemical Engineer here at Worcester; was a member of Theta Kappa Phi and of Sigma Xi honorary fraternity.

Stuart C. Dickerman, '40, has been appointed as graduate assistant there also for this coming school year.

LOST and FOUND

FOUND: Sliderule, by Mr. Porter of E. J. Cross Co. Telephone 2-1955 or call in person at 150 Prescott Street.

LOST: Quantitative Analysis calculation book. Norm Kerr, 103 S. R. H.

LOST: Pair of Glasses. Finder please leave note in "P" box.

LOST: Mottled brown and grey Waterman mechanical pencil, somewhere in Boynton Hall. A. E. Howell.

FOUND: In the Dorm office. A suede jacket and necktie, left there last fall.

FOUND: In the Gymnasium. Plenty of gym shirts and shorts. Ask Jimmie if you have lost any.

FOUND: A key on the stairway of Mechanical Engineering Building, call at Bursar's office.

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