Tech Students Invited to Join Christian Rally

Committee Work Keeps Annual Meeting Alive

This was a typical meeting of the Associated Reformed Presbyterian Church near Hempstead, New York, from June 4 through June 8. An interesting program has been planned for the week. No Georgia Conference is being held this year and all interested Tech students are urged to attend these South Carolina discussions.

No Summer Conference

At the regular meeting of the Student Christian Association of South Carolina held in Columbia on April 9th, it was announced that South Carolina would have no summer conference. Our campus in Blue Ridge, the usual meeting place of the delegations, would be closed for the summer.

N.C. Pastors to Meet

If that was not a surprise, however, this was no time to remain in Charlotte for college campuses, and if there were conferences, they were to go ahead and make plans.

Ideal Site Picked

A committee, composed of three of the better campuses in the state—Clemson, South Carolina, and College of Charleston—was appointed to make plans for the conferences. They reported that the Student Christian Association of College of Charleston, with an enrollment of four hundred, with a teachers and it was said of this ideal spot.

Wore Will Be Present

Mr. Proctor, secretary of the campus, for the South, he will be present. He will take a leading part in carrying the program, which has been planned. Many topics such as "What is an adequate program for a Student Christian Association on a College Campus in 1943?" "Christian Faith for Today and Tomorrow," "Achieving Personal Stability in World Conflict and World Fellowship," "Christian Worship and Meditation," for these interested in taking part in this program, Mr. Proctor, secretary of the Georgia Tech, "What is the best way to make plans for the sea, and what is the best way to make plans for this war.""
Yellow Jacket Needs Activity Lists

Danger Ahead!

Coming Rush Period Should Be Subject Of Careful Planning

The Interfraternity Council is considering a proposal for rushing that is completely adverse to the principle of fraternity. This suggests that the fraternities on the Tech campus pledge, in one meeting, the boys who come to Tech in the fall would be fraternity brothers, but one day or, rather, a few minutes of the day, is entirely too short.

This idea is just as unfair to the incoming Freshmen as it is to the fraternities for they, who have had even less experience than we in choosing friends, will be completely in the dark as to what choice to make. Thinking back for a few moments of the time you entered Tech, would you have wanted to walk around to booths in the Naval Armory and to have chosen your fraternity brothers, only a few months before you would have them on your hands? The idea is disastrous to the principle of fraternity. This suggests that the fraternities on the Tech campus pledge, in one meeting, the boys who come to Tech in the fall would be fraternity brothers, but one day or, rather, a few minutes of the day, is entirely too short.

There are still boys at Georgia Tech who believe that war is a time for horse play for all. There are even boys, who have not lived under the discipline of a civilian class. With the Army and Navy taking a huge toll of housing facilities, the school is left without enough rooms to take care of the students. That situation, of course, cannot exist and must be remedied. But to rush men into fraternities without due consideration will not solve the problem. It will only add to the problem, and the morale of the fraternities, long one of the greatest sources of strength on the Tech campus, will be broken—for interest in a fraternity can be built only by those who get to consider it well and choose it after a careful choice is made. A modified form of this plan would be more satisfactory. Why could not these men be placed in the various housing facilities that they would go through the regular week of rushing and then move to the house of their fraternity? That way both the fraternities and the freshmen would get a better chance to look each other over. This question means too much to us to decide without due consideration. Let's look at both sides of the argument before taking any drastic step which could easily ruin our fraternities or at least lower our standards.
Georgia Tech Favored in SEC Track Meet

Co-Patrons Bill Sanders, Ed Ryckley
Lead Tech Squad to Birmingham

With their squad of seventeen men intact and raring to go, Coach Griffin's undefeated track team left today for Birmingham for the annual SEC track and field meet. Of course, leading the list will be present titleholders, L. S. U., with an entry list that includes 22 men, exactly one-half of the entry list for the 14 events. The officials announced that a total of 111 men have been entered by the eight competing schools.

Sewanee Beats Tech Golfers

Walker, Etheridge, Hollis Amass Points

The Georgia Tech golf team, composed of Joe Walker, George Ewing, ‘Bobby’ Beers, and Gene Etheridge ended their final campaign of the year with a heart-breaking defeat at the hands of the Sewanee Tigers, 13-5. The match was played on the Chattahoochee Country Club last Friday.

Joe Walker won 1½ points from his opponent by a holing out Hollis and Etheridge. The team of Hollis and Etheridge accounted for the losses on either side.

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ROTC Does Well
In Inspection Drill


By Marty Van Buren

The gallant remnants of a rapidly diminishing R.O.T.C. unit staged a glorious comeback last Wednesday and Thursday in what was, according to Lt. Col. Adair, one of the most clean-cut demonstrations he has seen at Tech. From the opening parade to the final closing demonstration, the affair was one of constant interest and praise from the inspecting officers. Emphasis was placed on efficiency, and a meticulous care of details was noted.

Cadet Officers First

Entirely under the direction of the cadet officers, both the parade and demonstrations were carried out well. The infantry inspecting officer, Col. A. A. Hofmann, P.M.S.&T. of North Georgia College, remarked that "as though no officer's comment can be made at this time, the parade deserves special commendation for the beautiful manner in which it was carried out. The band was particularly good." And the parade was truly one to be remembered.

Field Show Is Good

"The afternoon field demonstrations, which completed the inspection, were also worthy of much favorable comment. The individual demonstrations were each given a section of Rose Bowl field, while the inspecting officers carried on a thorough inspection of each one. The infantry, on the north side of the field, covered the stripping, assembling and functioning of the automatic rifle. M-1 rifles and machine guns, such subjects as map reading, close and extended order drill, although the highlight of their exhibition was the efficient demonstration of drill on the 40 mm. gun, which was set up in a nearby field. Their demonstration of actual target firing with the minute battery of "Col. Day Special" guns was also impressive.

Ordnance Does Well

The Ordnance also covered drill and calisthenics, as well as the repair of small arms. An Ordnance repair truck, an ingenious arrangement of every type of power and hand tool that could possibly be needed for complete field repairs, was on hand for demonstration. A field kitchen was set up in Rose Bowl Field, and later a supper prepared and served to the inspecting officers.

Signallers Demonstrate

The Signal Corps had complete communications systems set up in nearby localities to demonstrate field communication equipment and systems.

Exhibition Successful

In general, the entire exhibition was completely successful. As summed up by Col. William R. Carlton, Coast Artillery inspecting officer from the Citadel, "The demonstration was carried on in an excellent manner. Much credit should be given for the fine work that the Tech unit is doing."

DO YOU DIG IT?

"Can the corn, tmnu, us chucks are
Shootin' for the juke parlor for a
Jam what am and

English Translation:
This group is banding out its variety shows and concerts to every school in the county and also to the towns and cities of the south. This is a show that is worth seeing, and it is worth hearing.

Extra Points

By Private H. D. Touchstone

News has reached us via the grapevine route that "Classy Clint" Castleberry is now studying at Centre College. He's still making waves, not the kind that he used to make with the highball, but this time with a G.I. brew.

Ensign Bob Ison, star on the Orange Bowl team of '40, is here the other day to make a report to the Navy labs. He told a story of his crew's attempt to blow hell out of one large tanker. It went something like this: They were in the South Pacific on patrol duty, just aimlessly looking for a large tanker, when the lookout called "Tahoe off to right about six miles." About ten minutes later, the navigator reported that the surf was breaking ahead so to be on the lookout for ground. Well, just as they were starting to fire, they struck a coral reef, which seriously hampered their efforts of firing. That night they scoured their charts and found that "their" tanker was beached and had been there for eight years.

The baseball team will accompany the track team to Alabama for the weekend. They are to engage the up-and-coming aggregation from Tuscaloosa in a two-game series starting this afternoon. Negotiations are now being made with the Alabama officials to have the Saturday game played in the morning.

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