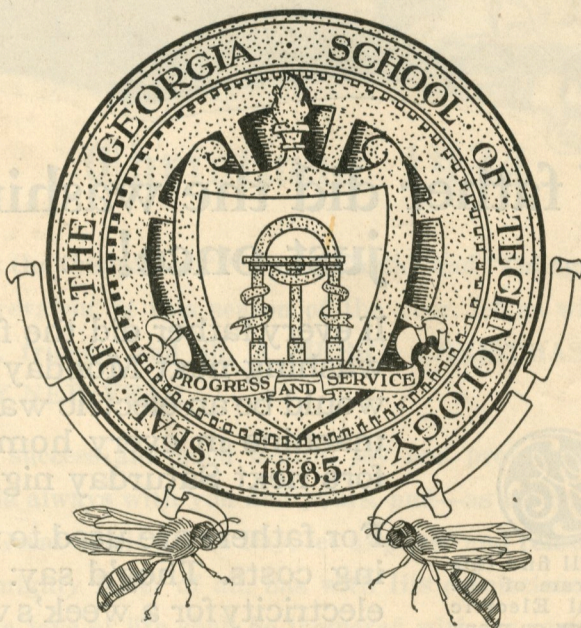


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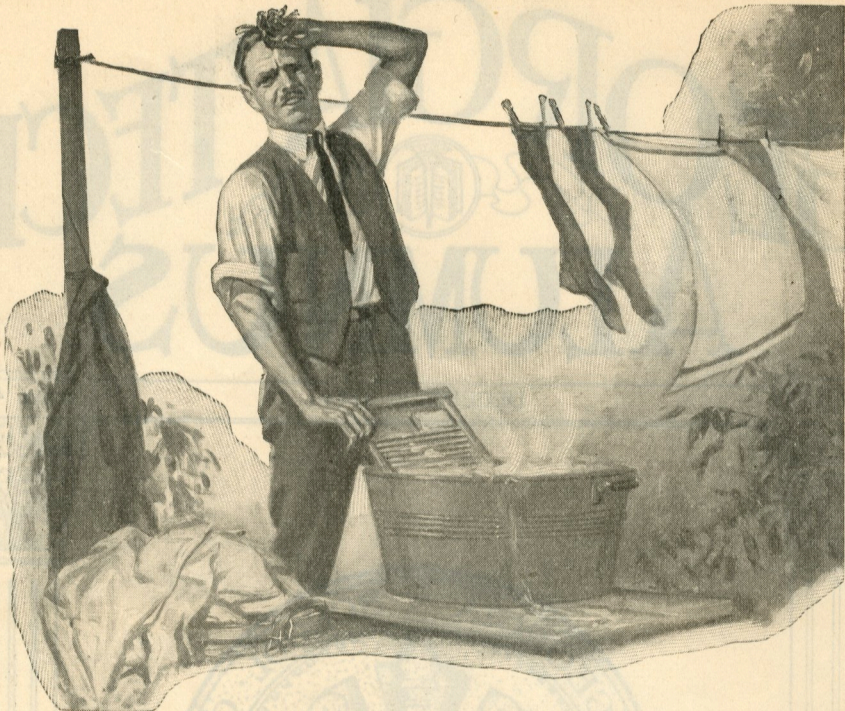
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With the thought of "Peace on Earth" and "Tidings of Great Joy" prevalent at this season of the year, let us wish to our alumni, friends, and all, A MERRY CHRISTMAS AND A HAPPY NEW YEAR.

May success and good health, joy and prosperity, be and continue always with you and yours, and—as we do reverence to the Great Spirit of the Day, let us pause and remember that the Almighty Ruler of all, has with His omniscience, decreed that the joys of life shall be tempered with its sorrows and—so with the thought of the day comes a great sorrow to all of Georgia Tech—the passing of a builder of men, Dean Emerson. His influence made the lives of many; his parting mellows all thought that these few pages can but too feebly express.

Dr. Emerson

On Saturday, November 15th, Dr. William H. Emerson was to be the honor guest at the annual Georgia Tech Home Coming Luncheon at which time the seniors and Anaks of the class of 1924 were to present a portrait painting of him to the school. Providence decreed, however, that on this day the love and esteem of the alumni should be shown to him in silent tribute instead, as they formed a part of that solemn, tender escort, which marched with reverent step through that great and impressive divided line of students, uncovered and bowed in lasting and final earthly rites in honor of the spirit of their beloved preceptor.

With the founding of Georgia Tech and the beginning of class-room work in 1888, Dr. Emerson was called to take the Chemistry department. From that time until his final illness, with a disregard for rest, he worked constantly for the best interests of the school and his department and had the pleasure and satisfaction of seeing Tech grow from a small struggling college to its present size and standing. At the time of his death he was Dean of Tech and head of the department of chemistry; one of the country's most widely known and best loved educators.

Dean Emerson was born in Tunnel Hill, Ga., on June 17, 1860, the son of a prominent physician of the section, Dr. Caleb Emerson, and of Matilda Austin Emerson. He attended the schools of his community until 1876, when he obtained an appointment to the United States Naval Academy. While in the Academy Dr. Emerson won the marksmanship championship with pistol and rifle. He graduated in 1880, and served as a naval officer until 1884, when he resigned to enter Johns Hopkins University. In 1886 he left Johns Hopkins with a Ph. D. degree in chemistry

and accepted a professorship at the Citadel, at Charleston, S. C. He was married in 1887 to Miss Lily Cherry, of Tunnel Hill. When the first board of trustees of Tech began looking for a man capable of taking the chair of chemistry at Tech, Dr. Emerson was chosen for the position, coming here in 1888.

In 1910, Dr. Emerson was made Dean of the Engineering School of Tech. In 1912, as a tribute to his abilities as a scientist, the University of Georgia awarded him the degree of Doctor of Science.

Dr. Emerson was a member of the honorary fraternity Phi Kappa Phi and of the Alpha Tau Omega social fraternity. He held membership in the Georgia Academy of Sciences, in the American Chemical Society, and in the Society for the Promotion of Engineering Education. He was the author of a paper on "The Oxidation of Mesitylene," two papers on "Stearic Acid," two papers on "Corundum," one each on "Georgia Coal" and "Georgia Marble," as well as several of the texts used in the chemistry department of Tech.

Dr. Emerson will be sorely missed by the students of Tech and by his colleagues on the faculty. He was a familiar figure on the campus, greeting everyone with his gentle and kindly air. His portrait, which was formally presented to the school by the Class of 1924 at the Alumni luncheon at the Biltmore Hotel, will indicate to future Tech classes the high place which he held in the affections of those who had the privilege of associating with him.

A real man passes to his heavenly reward; the alumni of Georgia Tech mourn his passing and wish kindly to tender their every sincere feeling to his family—the impress of his spirit will remain ever with those whose lives he touched.



DR. EMERSON

From the Portrait presented the school by the class of '24.

—Painted by Miss Kate F. Edwards

Class of '24 Presents Portrait of Dr. Emerson

By J. EICHBERG

At the homecoming luncheon held at the Biltmore Hotel on November 14, Dr. Emerson's portrait was formally presented to the school. John Staton and Johnny Baum represented the class of 1924, and Anak, senior honor fraternity.

Mr. George W. McCarty, president of the National Alumni Association, extended a cordial welcome to the old grads, several hundred in number, their families and friends. After Mr. McCarty's address of welcome, John Staton spoke for his class. Johnny Baum then placed the picture in the center of the gathering, formally presenting it in the name of the class of '24. The portrait was accepted in behalf of the school by Mr. W. K. Glenn. It seemed particularly appropriate that Mr. Glenn should accept the painting, for he was one of the first to be graduated at Georgia Tech, and one of the first to study under Dr. Emerson, and one of the first of the alumni to be elected a trustee of the school.

The exercises assumed rather the form of a memorial to Dr. Emerson than that form of jollification usually appurtenant to homecoming. The exercises were entered into with a feeling of deep respect and profound reverence. Though sadly unique this year's Homecoming Day was one of the most successful in the history of the school. The lion's share of credit for its success goes to Mr. R. J. Thiesen, National Alumni Secretary.

Alumni from Atlanta and all over the United States, Cuba and South America, back in the states on a vacation, made it a point to return to their Alma Mater and meet old comrades again. During the luncheon, which lasted an hour, both college songs and cheers were dispensed with. Copies of the Yellow Jacket, the Technique, songs and yells, together with badges and colors were distributed. The gathering adjourned to Grant Field with the singing of "Auld Lang Syne."—(Technique.)

Horsemen Overwhelm Jackets 34-3

By DON HOWE

For the third time in as many years Knute Rockne's super-team on November 1, ran roughshod over the Tech eleven at Notre Dame. For one short quarter the Jackets led, following a beautiful run by that wonder fullback, Doug Wycoff, and a mighty kick from Ike Williams's educated toe. After that quarter however, Rockne unleashed his horsemen, who immediately proceeded to annex several touchdowns and put the game on ice. First Miller, Crowley, and then Layden would carry the ball for long gains, and though fighting

valiantly, the Techsters were unable to check them.

The reason Notre Dame beat us is the same reason that they beat every body else they played—they had the best team in the country. It is an honor to play such a team, even though defeated. They are hard, clean, fighters and they treated our boys in the most considerate manner possible.

One thing was demonstrated at that game. That is that Doug Wycoff is one of the greatest full backs that ever donned a uniform. Time after time he

tore through the Irishmen's defense for long gains, and he was a thorn in their flesh on the defensive. He outpunted Notre Dame, having an average of 45 yards per punt. Ike Williams too, played a magnificent game. In addition to his kick from the 35-yard mark Ike backed up the line well and played good football. The entire team fought well,

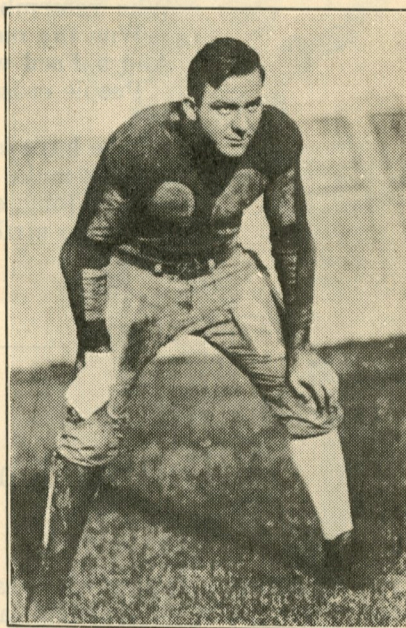
and though defeated, played one of the best games of the season.

Next year Notre Dame loses nearly all her first two teams. When she comes to Atlanta the Jackets have a good chance to wipe out the three defeats they have suffered at her hands, though Tech loses a number of her players also.

Tech Swamps L. S. U. 28-7

On November 8, at Grant Field, the Golden Tornado completely outplayed Louisiana State University in a thrilling game, winning by a score of 28-7. Many wiseacres had prophesied that L. S. U. would take our lads into camp, but on this day the Tech gang was right, absolutely right. They had the drive and fight of the original Tornado; they followed the ball unerringly; and they cut loose with a fierce attack from the very first that L. S. U. was unable to stop.

As usual, Doug Wycoff was the outstanding player of the game. Everybody knew that Doug could buck the line; that he could back up the line; and that he could punt, and on this day Doug showed that he was also a class A broken field runner. Every time he ran with the ball he made from five to fifty yards. W'ell take that back, one time he was thrown for a two-yard loss. Doug played his best game on this occasion. Another man who contributed much to our victory was the lanky right end, Cliff King. Up to this time King hadn't done much but he came out of the fog and played a brilliant game. He was especially good on getting down on punts, breaking up interference, and in breaking up passes. Ike Williams played his usual good game, backing up the line with clock like accuracy and booting the ball between the goal posts without a miss.



GUS MERKLEY

All-Southern End Until Injuries in Penn State Game Ended His Playing for the Season.

The L. S. U. lads played good football, showing much fight and good teamwork. They became dangerous at times with their aerial attack, and scored a touchdown on a 45-yard pass. They are great boys, all of them, but they hit Tech on a day when she was in her prime and out for blood.

The Yellow Jackets' Home Coming Welcome

TO OUR ALUMNI

Hello, again, Loyal Alumni!
 We are glad to welcome you
 From the dim forgotten age, when
 Our professors' jokes were new.

Low we bow in veneration,
 Worship you as though a saint,
 Who remember when old Tech
 Last received a coat of paint.

Who remember when the equine
 Was the mount of low and high
 And a Ford was just a place that
 People crossed a river by.

All we have is yours and gladly,
 Only make your wishes known
 Just as long, of course, as you don't
 Try to strike us for a loan.



The Student Body Greeting

To you old grads, you men who years ago trod these halls of learning and made up the wonderful teams and organizations which have made Tech known throughout the world—welcome. We trust that on Homecoming Day, you will once again feel that sweet spirit of sweet comradeship and high hopes of the college men. Forget for the once business cares and the humdrum world, and be a college man again. Feel that you are not a business man, not a man of the world, but a happy, carefree student, trying your best to win a diploma from the best school in the world. Again

we say—welcome home.—(Technique Editorial.)

The alumni of Georgia Tech acknowledge with every appreciation the spirit of welcome and co-operation as manifested by the publications of the school and the student body as a whole, not only at Homecoming time but at all times.

You are a clean, fine crowd, men, it's an honor and a pleasure to have such contacts with you! As you go out from the guidance of your Alma Mater a warm welcome will await you within the folds of her loyal sons.

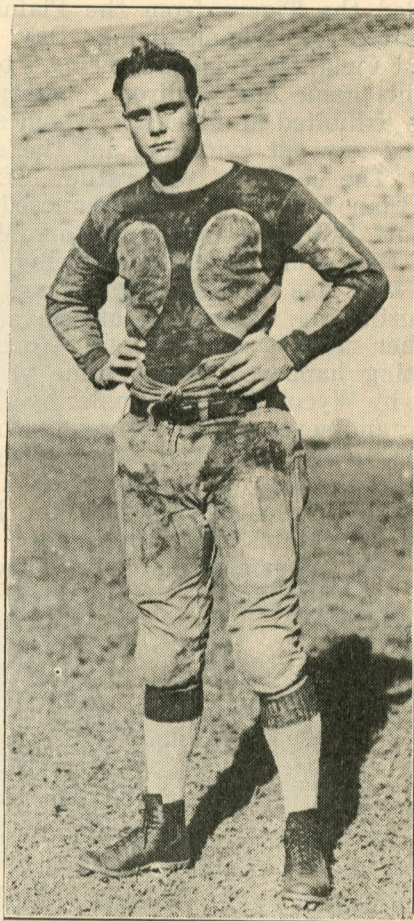
Vandy 3, Tech 0

For the second time this year Tech supporters had the misery of seeing her beaten. Smarting under the 44 to 0 defeat administered to them in '21, Vandy came to Atlanta determined to even things up; and, by dint of fierce fighting and an untimely fumble even things up she did.

The game started with both sides fighting for all they were worth—and ended in the same manner. Tech's mighty Wycoff was stopped for the first time this season; Vanderbilt's much touted Reese came out of the game with fifteen yards minus to his credit. Wakefield was the star. He was death on returning punts, and when he started around the ends the Tech stands groaned. His drop kick from the 37-yard line gave Vandy the game. Bip Farnsworth was Tech's most consistent ground gainer. Bip went through the Tennesseeans' line almost at will.

After Vandy's goal in the first quarter things rocked along for a long while without much excitement. Neither side could gain, and a punting duel between Wycoff and Wakefield ensued. Finally, Tech, by some good gains and a fumble on Vandy's part got the ball on Vandy's three-yard line with four downs to put it over. One of the sponsors could have put over a touchdown from there it seemed, and everybody had conceded us the game. But of course at that point somebody had to fumble, thus handing the game to Vanderbilt.

That game was one of the prettiest from the spectators' point of view that



IVAN WILLIAMS
Place-Kicker, Plunging Half, Inter-
ferer, and Line Backer Without
a Peer.

has ever been played on Grant Field. Both sides were about evenly matched; both sides were fighting hard; and both sides were determined to donate the game to their opponents by fumbling. Tech succeeded in outdoing Vanderbilt in politeness and Vandy won.

Tech 7, Auburn 0

Following their annual custom Tech handed the Tigers from the Plains a drubbing on Thanksgiving Day, at Grant Field, the final tally being 7 to 0. In this game our gridiron representatives exhibited an offensive which surpassed any yet evidenced for the season. The backfield was rather different than usual. It was composed of Wycoff, Williams, Farnsworth and Murray, this same combination being the best that has been seen this year.

During the early part of the game neither side was able to score. Nothing exciting happened except some pretty runs by Wycoff; a few fumbles by Tech men; and several tries for goal by both teams—which all failed. At the beginning of the last quarter however, Tech began a drive so fierce that the lads from the Plains could only hope for the best. During this drive Wycoff

carried the ball six times for a large part of the ninety yards which gave us our touchdown and the game.

The Auburn game has always been the one most looked forward to of the season. For many years Auburn has been our friendly rival, and the game always assembles one of the largest crowds of the season. Then too, many men played their last games—as did Captain George Gardner, plucky, brainy, fighting tackle; Fred Moore, dependable quarterback; Joe Usry, hard hitting guard; Godwin, demon all Southern tackle; and Nabelle, fleet footed end this year. For this reason, if we succeed in winning this game we consider the season a success. It always leaves a good taste in our mouths to beat Auburn, because they are hard fighting, clean rivals, and they always play a hard game.

123,456 Attendance For Tornado

All attendance records for Grant Field were broken during the football season just completed, according to figures released by the Georgia Tech Athletic Association.

There were 106,456 admissions to Grant Field, several thousand more than in any previous season. Tech drew 17,000 paid admissions at South Bend, Ind.

The total attendance at games in which Tech played was 123,456, the figures show.

Officials pointed out in announcing these figures that the 123,456 figure of this season very likely would be increased by over 20,000 next year in view

of the tremendous schedule arranged for the Tornado.

The admissions per game follow:

AT HOME	
Oglethorpe	9,508
V. M. I.	11,126
Florida	16,785
Penn State	13,650
Alabama	11,613
L. S. U.	8,115
Vandy	15,158
Auburn	20,256
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	106,456
ON ROAD	
At Notre Dame	17,000
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	123,456

Our All-Southern Choice



CAPTAIN GEORGE GARDNER
Who Played His Last Game Thanksgiving

1925 Grid Schedule, And Georgia!

The following is Georgia Tech's football schedule for 1925:

September 26—Oglethorpe.

October 3—V. M. I.

October 10—Penn State at Yankee Stadium, New York City.

October 17—Florida.

October 24—Alabama.

October 31—Notre Dame.

November 7—Vanderbilt, at Nashville.

November 14—Georgia.

November 26—Auburn.

With the exception of the Penn State game, all of the foregoing will be played on Grant Field in Atlanta.

An ambitious schedule it is true but no one can say that Tech has ever dodged the best of 'em regardless of

mythical championships that may hang in the balance—and so **men** are made!

With such a schedule Tech can point to no game, nor was this ever its policy, though they may all point to Tech.

The very kind co-operation of Vanderbilt, L. S. U. and others as tentatively scheduled made possible the date with Georgia who again is welcomed to the lists. The student body of Georgia Tech and its alumni assure its old rival of every fair and gentlemanly consideration, win or loose, and feel sure that the University but reciprocates that great spirit which characterizes the real feeling of fellowship that has always existed among the men who have gone out into the business world from both institutions.

Bright Prospects For Next Year

Though six varsity warriors, tried and true, finished their football career with the Thanksgiving Day classic, the prospects for next year are such as to present no occasion for uneasiness.

The varsity men who pass on to the alumni side of the picture are, Captain George Gardner, premier tackle; Gordon Nabelle, brilliant end; Joe Usry, sterling tackle; Roy Huffines, work-horse tackle; Fred Moore, brainy quarter, and John Glenn, steady center—all good, bless 'em.

There will be fifteen letter men back besides a number of men who just missed letters this year. Tech's consistent ground gainer and punter, Doug Wycoff, and "Old Reliable" Ike Williams, will both be on hand. Godwin, Pool, Forrester, King, Wilton, Murray, Marshall, Carpenter, Tharpe, Reeves, Merkle, Parrish, Connelly, Nixon, Angley, Barron, Williamson, McRae, Holland and Jamison will all be here to fight another year for Tech.

From the baby Tornado, which finished its season undefeated, there will come a host of good material. Coach Clay has been developing some backs who will bring glory to Tech in the days to come. Among those who may play a prominent part in next year's varsity are: Wright, Read, Sprick, Brewer, Fair and Lillard in the back-field, while Hearn, the lengthy captain of the 1928 Rats, Crowley, Elliot, Hood, Martin, McBride and Thrash are linemen who will strengthen the 1925 machine.

The Tornado of next year will have what this year's team sorely needed—a reserve force which can be put in to replace first string men without serious loss. Coach Alexander figures that he will have about thirty good men from which he can pick a team, and when the Golden Tornado of 1925 trots onto the field, others who may be aspiring to a southern championship had better look to their laurels.

The Test of Sportsmanship

During the Notre Dame game at South Bend, Ind., on the last play Doug Wycoff ran nearly fifty yards to cross his opponents' goal line, but the referee ruled him back to the one-yard mark thereby reducing Tech's possible score of ten points to the three that had already been tallied.

A touchdown at this juncture would have been a brilliant climax to the all American game that Tech's ace had been playing for his team. He crossed the goal line, however, though clearly, under the impulse, it was assumed, of the pressure of a Notre Dame tackle and under a new rule—one in order for revision, we feel sure—he was technically downed where he was tackled, on

the one-yard line. Then the pistol!

If man ever had the right to question authority or the mistakes of a rule book, Doug and his teammates did at this time. It was a tense moment, a deep wound, but gentleman Doug didn't show it. Though sorely hurt, we know, his reply was typical of him: **"All right, Mr. Birch, you know more about football than I do."**

These words will go down in Tech history—all honor to the man and all glory to the father of so worthy a son—well was he repaid for his long journey from Little Rock to South Bend; yet he knew what was bred in the heart of his son, he has every right to be proud of such a blue blood in the realm of clean sport.

We Think So, Too, "O. B."

Anent the Thanksgiving game, in a most readable article in the Atlanta Journal of November 28th, that all American sport writer O. B. Keeler pens the following which we take the liberty of quoting in part.

"A grand game, as close as the next minute, was the prediction. It was. Auburn played with a dash, and a fire that amazed the greatest throng that ever saw a game at Grant Field. John Pitts presented for our inspection a team with a savage drive and a grand defense; with the best center in the south today; with a smoothly working list of deceptive plays to go with its drive, and a record of eighteen first-downs against Vanderbilt and a true story of curious breaks—told by neutral parties and never by Auburn—that had placed the Tiger on the wrong side of at least two big games this year. **I mean to say frankly and premeditatedly that I believe Auburn to**

be one of the three or four topnotch teams in the south today, and that Tech's victory by a single well-earned touchdown was the one thing needed to convince me sincerely that day in and day out, game in and game out, the Georgia School of Technology has at least as good a football team as any in the south today—bar none. Two games Tech has lost, and has been tied in another. But her steady play against all opponents has convinced me that the development and the intelligent coaching and training of the Tech team of 1924 has entitled it to as strong a rating as any team in the south, irrespective of the mere tabulation of games won and lost. No team in the south now but has been beaten, by another southern team—unless it be Centre. But schedules too must be figured. And I adhere to the conviction that Tech is justly as strong on her showing as any other team in the south, without claiming the championship."

The Spirit That Counts

Telegram.

New York, N. Y., Nov. 14, 1924.

R. Jack Thiesen,
Georgia Tech Y. M. C. A.,
Atlanta, Ga.

Georgia Tech Club of New York sends best wishes to the Alumni Association for a most successful Homecoming Day. Tell Coach Alexander, Captain Gardner and the team that we are right with them in their fight for victory over Vanderbilt.

Frank Johnson,
Sec'y. Ga. Tech Club of New York.

Telegram.

New Orleans, La., Nov. 15, 1924.

Georgia Tech Alumni Luncheon,
Care Biltmore Hotel,
Atlanta, Ga.

New Orleans Alumni Club sends greetings to all who love the great Golden Tornado.

Alfred Porter, Pres.

Oct. 26, 1924,
4A Calle de Humboldt, 44,
Mexico, D. F.

Mr. R. J. Thiesen, Editor,
Ga. Tech Alumnus,
Atlanta, Ga.
U. S. A.

Dear Jack:

I have been putting off sending this five spot for several mananas. Well, never mind the reason for you have never lived in Mexico.

Anyway I do feel proud of Tech and what some of the Alumni are doing and have done to make its name known all over the U. S. and in other countries. Coach Alex is one of them I am thinking of mostly. In my humble opinion he has done wonders to uphold the respect all have for Tech men and football teams, particularly last season and this

season when he was without a Barron, a Strupper or even a Piggy Hightower in the backfield.

The attached clipping from today's Mexico City Sunday Excelsior, English Section, should make any Tech man feel good even though Alabama got the best of us. We can't beat all the best ones in one season but this slap in the face will make Alex's bunch outdo themselves Saturday, Nov. 1st.

With very best regards and hoping the Alumnus will continue coming this way, I remain,

Yours sincerely,
Jack J. Spalding.

Shreveport, La.,
Oct. 20, 1924.

Mr. R. Jack Thiesen, Sec'y.,
Ga. Tech Alumni Association,
Care Ga. School of Technology,
Atlanta, Georgia.

Dear Sir:

Enclosed herewith you will find my check, your favor, for \$10.00, being alumni dues for the years 1923 and 1924. Have been somewhat in doubt as to whether I should be classed as an alumnus or not, however I attended Ga. Tech long enough to become imbued with the spirit. This really started long before I went to Tech, and is still with me, and has prompted me to try and influence all I can to enroll in Ga. Tech, and I have the pleasure of knowing that my efforts have been successful in that line to some extent. I graduated from the Technical High School of Atlanta (born and raised in the Gate City) in its first graduating class, after it was separated from the Boys' High School, was in the Sophomore Class at Tech 1911-1912; figuring from which (as taught by "Froggy Morton") my class would have been 1914. However I was unable to continue, much to my regret. Did have the pleasure of attending classes with some notables, however,

including "Bill" Jenkins, "Sug" Smith, Roy Goree, and the present sterling Coach W. A. Alexander, also Albert Loeb.

Am now and have been for the past seven years, connected with the above Company, as Assistant to the Vice President, which is enough about that.

Trust that the enclosed puts me in

good standing, and that the Glory of the school will continue, especially since Saturday—"Ga. Tech, 15; Penn State, 13", and that the Association will continue to grow and prosper.

Sincerely,
F. W. Shropshire,
P. O. Drawer No. 107,
Shreveport, La.

Freshman Jackets Close Victorious Season

On Saturday, Nov. 22, the curtain rang down on a highly successful freshman football season with a game with the Auburn Rats. This game is the only one that the Baby Tornado has allowed to end with a tie. The rest were won by comfortable margins, although all of them were good games.

The first scheduled game that the first-year men played was with G. M. C. on October 15. The freshmen completely out-classed their opponents in this struggle, winning by the one-sided score of 34-0. The team as a whole played very well in this game, although the backfield perhaps deserves the greater credit.

On November 1 the Mercer freshmen journeyed to Grant Field to swap punts with the young Techites. This was a well-fought game, both teams playing up to a high standard. The final whistle found the score, Tech, 14; Mercer, 7.

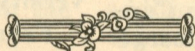
The next battle was waged against the frosh's ancient and hitherto undefeated rivals, the Florida rats. For the past three years the Floridians have emerged from the struggle victorious,

but this year the worm turned. The Tech freshmen journeyed to Gainesville and came home victorious by the score of 19-7.

Probably the greatest accomplishment of the Baby Tornado this year was its defeat of the Spring Hill College varsity eleven. The victory, 14-7, was well earned, as the freshmen played a fine brand of ball, uncorking an offense that carried them over all obstacles.

The Auburnites gave the Tech frosh a big surprise the last Saturday by tying the score after their goal line had been crossed twice in the first five minutes of play. It looked like a killing at this stage but the fast, light Auburn team tightened up and not only scored twice, but prevented the Tech team from making another score. The game ended with the score 12-12.

Thus ended the most successful season the freshmen have known in many years. Several stars have been uncovered in the backfield and on the line, and it is believed that next year may find several regular berths filled by members of the team of '28.



Basketball Practice Begins

By FRED MOORE

Coach Harold Hansen recently issued the first call for basketball candidates and some fifty odd men met him in the Tech "Y", where he gave them a few instructions and outlined to them the manner in which he is going to conduct practices.

In the first place he made it plain that every man had an equal chance of making the team, and that veterans and scrubs were all starting out on an equal basis as far as he was concerned.

Then he outlined the training rules and emphatically announced that society and basketball did not mix, and further that all "cake-eaters" might as well turn in their uniforms or change their ways. Practice was announced for Monday and Wednesday nights and Tuesday, Thursday and Friday afternoons.

New Coaches

The whole Tech basketball system is going through an entire reformation. There will be a brand new coaching staff, new systems, a new basketball court to practice and play games on and many new players. The new court is ready for the first practice, and when finished, it will be one of the best courts in the south. The playing floor will be ninety feet long and fifty feet wide, and there will be plenty of space on the side and ends. Twenty-five hundred people can be conveniently seated in the arena.

Six letter men will be on hand for Coach Hansen to use as a nucleus around which to build a contender. Skinny Denicke, one of the most finished basketball players in the conference last year; Cliff King, elongated forward who handles the ball like a magician; Captain Moore, Tom Blackmon, George Wilde and Leonard Bates complete the sextet.

Then there are Carter Barron, Dynamite Wilder, Johnny Marshall and John Hall from the reserves. All of these men were held out of varsity games to save them another year of eligibility. All of them will see service this spring, and some of them undoubtedly will be regulars.

"Rags" Parrish, Cliff Schwalb, Bob Moreland, Cecil Jamieson and Walter James are among the most likely men to graduate from the freshman team of last year. The freshies had a good club last season, and were especially brilliant toward the end of the season.

The Jackets lost only two men from the varsity but both were stars of the first magnitude. Baby Roane, on the composite all-southern for three years, will be greatly missed at forward, while Coach Hansen is going to have a hard time replacing Joe Eckford at center.

Joe was one of the best teamwork centers in the south, and both he and Baby are going to prove big assets to Coach Bean's Atlanta Athletic club team. The complete schedule of Tech is as follows.

- January 9—Clemson in Atlanta.
- January 10—A. A. C. in Atlanta
- January 16—Mercer in Atlanta.
- January 17—Auburn in Auburn.
- January 24—Vanderbilt in Atlanta.
- January 31—Georgia in Athens.
- February 6—Kentucky in Atlanta.
- February 7—Auburn in Atlanta.
- February 13—Mercer in Macon.
- February 14—Clemson in Clemson.
- February 16—North Carolina State in Raleigh.
- February 17—North Carolina University at Chapel Hill.
- February 21—Georgia in Atlanta.
- February 27, 28, March 2, 3—Southern conference tournament in Atlanta.

Chip Robert Host To Tornado

Two hundred or more alumni, principally former football men and old reliables, assembled on the night of December 5th at the Capital City Club in Atlanta as the dinner guests of L. W. (Chip) Robert, Jr., old star, Tech trustee, host and enthusiast supreme.

"The dinner was arranged especially to have the members of the 1924 team meet alumni of Tech who have distinguished themselves on Grant Field in former years. The 1924 team made up the list of special honor guests. Colonel Lowry Arnold was toastmaster.

One of the notable events of the evening came shortly after the address began when Major John S. Cohen read a telegram from Lawrence Perry, nationally-known sports writer, to the effect that he was naming both Wakefield, of Vanderbilt, and Douglas Wycoff, Tech fullback, as two of his all-American men. The telegram was addressed to the assembly and expressed Perry's regret that he was unable to attend.

Two Georgia men who are now prominently identified with Georgia Tech activities were introduced by Toastmaster Arnold. One of these was John W. Grant, whose original donation made Grant Field possible for Tech athletics. The other was Victor Allen, of Buford, Ga.

It was remarked that some of Tech's greatest grid stars stood among the highest men in their classes in the scholastic work.

Besides members of the varsity of 1924 were outstanding freshmen of Tech

who will come to the varsity practices next fall. Stumpy Thomason, stellar prep halfback, who has announced his intention of entering Tech next year, was also present and was introduced.

Bill Glenn started the list of speakers. He recounted experiences of his days at Tech, and was followed by George McCarty, president of the National Alumni Association, of Georgia Tech. McCarty went into detail in explanation of plans of the alumni association to build Tech's reputation athletically and scholastically throughout the country and urged the graduating members of the 1924 team to join with the association in this work.

Victor Allen, Major Cohen, Ohlmstead King and Mr. Grant followed in order and each predicted for Tech a season of new glory for 1925.

Following these speakers were a dozen or more stars of former Tech teams, notably Al Loeb, Piggie Hightower, Charley Sweet, Chas. Strong, Buck Flowers, John Staton, Red Barron, Bill Fincher, Pup Phillips, Cauty Alexander and Big Six Carpenter.

The other speakers on the program were Coach Fay Wood, of Tech; Captain George Gardner, of the 1924 Golden Tornado; George Congdon, sporting editor of The Constitution, and O. B. Keeler, of The Journal.

Coaches W. A. Alexander, R. A. Clay and Dr. J. B. Crenshaw, faculty director of athletics at Tech, were unable to be present because of their attendance at the Southern Intercollegiate Conference meeting in New Orleans."

Wycoff All-American Composite Choice

Of this more anon; as we go to press, however, we want to make it known that our ace has received his recognition and that our team remains ever in the fore of the Nation's best.

Heck Wakefield, of Vandy, was named with Doug Wycoff as all-American

choices of Lawrence Perry and others; Doug, however, was on the composite pick of some three hundred and twelve additional experts, coaches, writers and officials. Some glory for one modest young athlete, scholar and gentleman—richly deserved, may we add.

Team Captains



Left to right: Hollingsworth, Swimming; Moore Basketball; Gardner, Football; Johnson, Track; and Palmassino, Baseball.

Weddings and Engagements

Bricker-Knapp

Of interest to many friends in Georgia and Kentucky was the engagement announced on November 9 of Miss Nelly Bricker and Mr. William A. Knapp, of Thomasville, Ga.

Freeman-Crouch

The marriage of Miss Virginia Crouch and Mr. James Thrash Freeman was a brilliant event of Thursday evening, Nov. 6.

Gay-Bloodworth

A wedding solemnized November 12, at West Market Street Methodist church was that of Miss Mary Douglas Gay and Mr. Thomas Stokeley Morgan Bloodworth, Rev. Dr. E. K. McClarty, of High Point, performing the ceremony.

Hudson-Gunners

The wedding of Miss Louise Traylor Hudson and Mr. William Whitfield Gun-

ners, of Albany, Ga., was solemnized Saturday morning at 10:30 o'clock, Nov. 8, in the First Baptist church, Albany, Dr. James B. Turner officiating.

Flint-Fox

An event of great social interest was the marriage of Miss Elizabeth Ashe Flint to Mr. Alfred Jay Fox, on Nov. 29, at Raleigh, N. C.

Murray-Craig

Cordial interest centers in the recent announcement of the engagement of Miss Jean Elizabeth Murray, of Brooklyn, N. Y., to James Charlton Craig, of Brooklyn, N. Y., formerly of Atlanta.

Woolley-Farmer

Announcement is made of the wedding of Miss Frances Woolley and Mr. John Loyd Farmer, of Savannah, Ga., which was quietly solemnized at her home on Techwood drive, Atlanta.

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Mr. W. S. Peebles, of Akron Pigment Co., located at Cartersville, Ga., desires a graduate of the Mechanical department who would be capable of handling a small plant for the working and handling of clay. The plant is near Macon. Experience not necessary.

Mr. H. Clay Moore, consulting engineer of Atlanta, needs a graduate who has had experience in steam piping in power plants. Salary depends on the man. This is an excellent opening for a graduate who has been out for two or three years.

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With the October issue of the Alumnus we began the publication of our geographical mailing list in alphabetical order; this will be continued until the list is completed. At the same time we shall carry the names of those whose addresses are verified during the month along with the names of the Atlanta Alumni whom we are now canvassing.

Check us up on your address, advise us as to your class and degree, or class from which you withdrew, your business address, capacity, and connection, whether married or single, honors in school and since, and war activities in civil or enlisted life.

Please do this at once for there is an enormous amount of work to be done in this connection and you can help very materially by spending two cents and giving us a few minutes of your time.

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M. Ohlman is in the antique stamp business in New York City.

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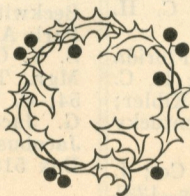
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