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Mastefcer '14 and Gutierrez '15 Talk at Worcester—Trip Enjoyed.

Tech students, representatives of the Latin American Club, have taken a prominent part in the activities of the Latin-American Conference which is in session at Worcester this week.

Two of them, Artemio Gutierrez '15 and Joaquin Mastefser '14, were honored by being asked to give addresses before the students' session, and both, in response to the invitation, spoke on topics relating to their respective countries.

Gutierrez, who is the son of the founder of the Democratic Party of Chili spoke on the attitude of the Chilian government toward educational institutions. It was not until the year 1832, he said, that the question of primary instruction was considered seriously by the government; but since that time, as a result of judicious laws and the adoption of a high standard of scholarship, the percentage of illiterates among the lower classes has been remarkably lessened. Three thousand schools have been established for elementary instruction, many of these marked lessened. Three thousand schools have been established for elementary instruction, many of these

M. I. T. Finishes Fifth To Fast Colby

Yesterday the Annual Freshman Cross-Country race was held at Andover, and Massferrer '14 and Guterriez '15

Candidates for the degree of Bachelor of Science in engineering must have completed the following courses in order to receive the degree: (Continued on page 4.)

Seven Departments Established—Two Concrete Towers Erected.

Those who have had occasion to pass the site of the New Technology at the Cambridge end of the Harvard Bridge, cannot have failed to notice the activity going on in the different places about the lot, for all evidences of the work that is beginning, and that the men do not seem to be numerous, today there are more than two hundred laborers engaged in the work, and this is but a small fraction of the force that will presently be employed.

The tremendous scope of the construction makes it necessary to subdivide the work, and the Stone and Webster Corporation, which has full charge of the building operations, is engaged in making shifts of activities, and different firms were at work. There will be seven such departments of construction, independent of each other but controlled by the central authorities.

Each will have its own headquarter, laborers, superintendents, and engineers, but what is being done will be harmoniously and economically controlled by the central office. This division of work accounts for the number of headquarters, toolshops, and the like.

The general office on Massachusetts Avenue will be the office of Mers. Lot and Cavr, the construction chiefs. The latter is fresh from the building of the great President Power house, where he was in charge.

The Tremendous Size of Each Department describes a new system of giving pins which is to be inaugurated this year. When a man belongs to the News or Business Board, in his Freshmen year, he receives a silver pin. When he becomes a member of the News or Business Board, in the Sophomore year, he receives a gold plate pin. When he becomes a member of the News or Business Board, in the Sophomore year, he receives a gold plate pin.

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