The Tech wishes to keep up its reputation as a reflector of the ideas and desires of the Technology student world, and this can only be attained by general co-operation throughout the Institute.

It is seldom, we are glad to say, that The Tech finds it necessary to criticise the methods of any of our instructors. It does seem rather hard on the Freshmen, however, when one of their teachers in English demands, as a composition, a letter which shall set forth, in all its details, the most important event of a recent period of their lives. We could hardly blame the men if they absolutely refused to comply with such a demand. We are taught here to bring to bear upon our work the result of whatever experiences we may have gained before coming here; but most of us have been led to regard some portions of those experiences as concerning ourselves alone. We expect and require that our minds shall be trained by our courses of study but we cannot see the necessity of laying bare any portion whatever of our early life. The "most important event" of the life of any of us is generally something too strictly personal to be laid bare to anybody not included in the immediate circle of family or friends.

The Photographic Society held its annual meeting recently, but no important business was transacted. The election of officers will occur at the next meeting. The report of the treasurer showed the society to be in a very satisfactory condition financially. The dark room in Walker has been put into shape for the year. Many of the members have done good work in the summer, and the usual fine exhibition is promised next term. All '96 men, and others as well, desiring to join, may obtain particulars, etc., of the Secretary, A. G. Davis, '93, Cage.

It is said the "magic lantern" is "out of sight."

S. H. Foster, '95, is studying at the Harvard Law School.

The 'varsity eleven beat Brown 30-6 at New Bedford, on Columbus Day.

The president of De Pauw University visited the Institute on Tuesday, October 18th.

K2S held its first meeting of the year at Young's, Friday evening, October 14th.

R. B. Price went to Providence just before Columbus Day, in the interests of "Technique."

A professional glass-eater from New York has been engaged to keep the tennis courts in order.

At a meeting of the '95 football team Wednesday, October 12th, Newell was elected captain.

It has been observed that Tech. men are going to see the Mechanic's "Fair" with commendable frequency.

F. W. Lord sprained his leg Thursday, October 13th, while pole-vaulting, necessitating confinement indoors for a few days.

Some of the '93 Mechanicals have begun to talk about thesis work, and they seem to think that they are on the right track of a degree.

The Freshman football team went to Concord, Mass., Columbus Day, and defeated the Concord High School team by a score of 10-0.

Professor Lanza: "You will see, gentlemen, that such a governor is suitable only for a very small engine,—one of two or three cat power."