THE Institute Committee has awakened from its apparent lethargy of the past two months, and again urges its request for trophies and pin designs. The Committee, it seems, has been finishing some of its old business, a fact which explains the absence of meeting reports in The Tech.

In making designs for a gold Tech pin it should be remembered that but few designs which look well on paper will work up well in reality. The metal, colored enamel, proportions, engraving, and other details must be considered from a practical standpoint. Neglect of this threw out nearly all the designs submitted last fall, although many of them were ingenious and carefully executed.

It has been the custom for graduating classes in the past to present some needed article to Technology if the opportunity appeared. The plea for trophies reminds us that our trophy room is now more than a probability, and that '94 might help matters along by furnishing a trophy case which must soon be a necessity.

A FEW of the students have been wondering of late why the Institute Committee does not undertake more. The Committee was organized to look after student interests in cases where other authority was not recognized. This necessarily limits its sphere of action but leaves it yet rather indefinite. Time alone can develop its utmost usefulness, for it is still too young to risk attempting things which may be extremely difficult or impossible to carry out, or which may meet serious opposition.

However, the Committee is our College Senate, and is open to suggestions or requests at all times and from all Technology men.

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