It seems a pity that the opportunity for a systematic announcement of coming events should be neglected in this way, especially when the Institute Committee has had the board arranged in a convenient manner.

A TABLE for the college exchanges of THE TECH has been placed in the reading room for the use of the students. This plan was first tried last year, and was evidently appreciated, for one could look into the reading room, at almost any hour and see a good proportion of the grinds taking a refreshing diversion in the realm of college literature. In no way can a better idea of the work, the life, the atmosphere of a college be obtained than through its periodical, and it should be the aim of every true college man to take an appreciative interest in everything that pertains to the college world of which he is a part.

We are pleased to notice that efforts are being made to form a Mandolin Club. Last fall a similar undertaking was planned but proved unsuccessful, more from a lack of energy in pushing the matter than for any other reason. The necessity for such a club has been apparent for some time. In almost all colleges to-day, the Mandolin Club forms as important a figure as do the Glee and Banjo Clubs. Especially in a Western trip, which may be brought about during the coming season, a club of this sort would prove of great assistance in concert work in the larger cities. What is needed is a number of well-trained men who are willing to work together to produce good results. With its possibilities, the organization, if accomplished as it ought, should be made a success.