THE thanks of the editors of *The Tech* are due to the Management of the Jordan Art Gallery for invitation cards to the private view of the admirable collection of pictures from the Paris Salons of Ninety-five. This exhibition, which has now been opened to the public for the remainder of the month, is undoubtedly the finest collection of contemporary French art ever seen in this city, and the opportunity to visit it should be eagerly and gratefully embraced by all lovers of art.

We announce with great pleasure the election of Mr. Clarence W. Perley, '96, to the editorial staff of *The Tech*. Mr. Perley has given considerable time to consideration of topics more strictly of an intercollegiate nature, and his articles on these subjects in recent numbers of *The Tech* have shown a grasp of the prevailing college sentiment which has proved his ability in this line of effort.

**Communications.**

*The Editors do not hold themselves responsible for opinions expressed by correspondents.*

To the Editors of the Tech:

Many complaints have been made by the men who use the Gymnasium, of the scarcity of warm water for bathing purposes. Much of the blame has been put on the Janitor for this, but he says it is not his fault. He explains the matter by saying that all the water used at the "Gym" comes from the street main by an inch and one-half pipe, which does not allow the water to run into the tank as fast as it is used. Then, again, the method of heating the water is very unsatisfactory, inasmuch that as soon as a part of the warm water is drawn off, the cold water rushes in and cools the remainder much quicker than the whole tank can be again reheated by the furnace. A new and larger supply pipe and, perhaps, more improved apparatus for heating the water, would be greatly appreciated by the users of our Gymnasium.

B. A. A. 24; Technology 0.

The Boston Athletic Association defeated Technology by superior weight and team work, at the South End grounds last Wednesday. During the first half the struggle was close and both teams played a good game. In the second half, however, the superior weight of the B. A. A. backs began to tell, and Tech weakened, till half way through the second half Underwood was injured, and the team went to pieces.

The ground was wet and soft, making it hard for the men to get a footing, and the ball was so slippery that most of the fumbles were excusable.

The Athletic Association played a strong game. The Waters brothers at tackles were in every play, and helped the interference very much. The weight of the B. A. A. backs had much to do with the score, and their persistent hammering at the Tech line bore fruit in the second half, when every rush netted 10 or 15 yards.

As usual Tech's line showed up better than the backs. Manahan played a steady game at center, while Le Moyne and Worcester were strong at guards, the latter breaking through several times. Van Horne and Ulmer did the pluckiest work of the whole eleven, and did their best against the Waters brothers. Heckle played a brilliant game at left end, and very few gains were made around him. Robinson worked hard but needs coaching, and does not break up the interference as well as he should.

Behind the line, Technology was very weak indeed. There was very little team work, and the backs did not play together. The backs also supported the line miserably when Technology was playing on the defensive. Hayden and Howland played hard and the former tackled splendidly, but neither did especially good work. Underwood's punting was one of the greatest faults of the team. He kicks too low, and does not give the ends time to get down the field. Each time on a low punt the B. A. A. men brought the ball back to