ITH the issue of this number of THE TECH the social activity of the 1900 Junior Week comes to a close, after a brief but brilliant succession of events and entertainments, each and all of which were successful in the highest degree. Every participant, whether actively busied as host, performer, spectator, or guest, enjoyed to the utmost every minute of the all too fleeting time. For the Tech. man this has been a week crowded with everything of as opposite a nature to the reputed occupation of the proverbial "Tech. grind" as can be imagined.

The editors of THE TECH most certainly did enjoy it all, albeit the pleasure was chastened with the memory of their recent loss.

It has indeed been a pleasure for us to entertain in the past week the many visitors from other colleges, and to have been able to return, in some small degree, the hospitality which has always been extended to Technology men by Amherst, Brown, Williams, Wesleyan, and Trinity, as well as Smith, Wellesley, and Vassar.

THE chief interest in Institute athletics today is centered on the dual meet with Brown, which will be held on Lincoln Field, Providence, on Saturday. That the contest will be close is certain. In another column we publish an article giving the relative strength of the two teams judged by their work up to last night.

The comparatively short distance between Boston and Providence should make it possible for the Institute to send a large delegation of enthusiastic undergraduates to cheer for our team. Those who are unable to go to Providence should be on hand to give our men a hearty "send off" as they leave.

N Saturday "The Private Secretary" will be repeated in Northampton, in the Academy of Music. The company will leave the Union Station at quarter past eight Saturday morning, returning Sunday evening. It is to be hoped that the success of the play in Boston will find a parallel in the performance before the students of Smith and Amherst. In the increased success and the new prominence of its theatricals, the Walker Club deserves the heartiest congratulations.