Basket-ball practice is held at the Gymnasium on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 4 P.M.

Professor Bardwell of the chemical laboratory has been in Mexico looking after some mining interests.

Mr. Beckwith, who assisted in the first-year lecture room last term, is now in Porto Rico investigating sugar plantations.

Mr. F. Arnold Colby, '01, Cambridge, Mass., is the winner in the competition for the cover design of the *Technique*, '03.

The following men have been appointed corporals in Company C, Corps of Cadets: W. S. Richmon, E. Burton, R. P. Nichols, E. C. Weaver.

Photographs of various classes have been taken for a souvenir album of Prince Henry's visit to Boston. The idea is to represent typical institutions of this city.

Mr. Cooke, a former business manager of *The Tech*, made us a short visit on Monday, and spent a quarter of an hour describing the luxurious living of former Tech Boards.

The first Sophomore Kommer will be held on Saturday, March 1. Tickets may be obtained from the committee, Homer, Blum, Keene, Burnham, Lang and Downes.

Twenty-five dollars have been placed in the bank on account of the Booker Washington Fund. A few cents more have been given, but there is lots of room in the tin box on the president's office door.

It is reported that Mr. Peaslee, '03, is leaving school on account of lung trouble. Peaslee has always been interested in athletics, and was captain of the Cross Country Team this year. His absence will certainly be a loss to the interests of cross-country running.

Professor Mabilleau's lecture on "Student Life in France" was well attended. Notwithstanding the fact that M. Mabilleau's native tongue is French, he spoke in English, and gained the attention of his audience by his pointed remarks. He told of the manner of living and of the studies of our French brethren of the polytechnic schools, and of their pleasant spirit of camaraderie.