E wish to call special attention to the announcement of prizes for the best essays written on the various men who have spoken in Huntington Hall. The idea of offering this opportunity to Tech men who are interested in English composition, is Dr. Pritchett's, and this alone should secure a hearty support for the plan by the students in general. Moreover, the prizes themselves are extremely generous, and we sincerely hope that the offer will call out a large number of contestants, and will serve to awaken the somewhat flagging interest in English composition.

We are pleased to notice that the compiling of a Technology song-book seems at last to have been undertaken in a serious and businesslike spirit. At the time when the Sophomore committee on the matter was first appointed, The Tech suggested that the movement was one of Institute rather than class interest, and that the work should not be undertaken by one class alone. The committee of Sophomores has taken a step in the right direction in asking all the other classes to co-operate by appointing members to a sort of song-book electoral committee. The Freshman class has already acted in the matter, and we understand that the movement has the hearty support of President Pritchett. It is to be hoped that some sort of official recognition will be given the plan by the Institute committee at their next meeting; thus assuring for the movement the support of the student body in general, and in particular, the assistance and co-operation of the two upper classes. There has been a slight feeling that the Sophomores have been a little hasty and precipitate in their action, and it seems only fair that the Institute committee,