Technique Art Notice.

The *Technique* Board will be glad to give one copy of *Technique 1905* to every man who has either one full page drawing, or four headings accepted for publication. This offer is made to all Tech men and is not intended to pay a man for his work, but simply to show the appreciation of the Board for his drawing.

All drawings must be handed in on or before Dec. 30, 1903. Drawings must be done in the following ways: pen-and-ink, wash, or charcoal. They should be large enough to allow a reduction of at least two-thirds for publication. The *Technique* page will be seven and one-fourth inches wide by nine and one-quarter inches long.

The subjects for the drawings will be about the same as in former issues. To avoid unnecessary duplication one of the following men should be consulted in regard to subjects: J. M. Lambie, E. T. Steel, 2d, and W. Green.

Competition for Cover Design. A prize of ten dollars is offered for the best cover design for *Technique 1905*, submitted before Dec. 31, 1903.

The cover will be nine and three-eighths inches long by seven and three-eighths inches wide.

Designs must be simple.

For further information consult: J. M. Lambie, W. Green, E. T. Steel, 2d.

The Hockey Team.

It is doubtful whether the Institute has ever had better material for a hockey team than it has this year. Thirty candidates have handed in their names, many of whom have had experience either on their Prep. school teams or at other colleges. Practice so far has been at Hammonds Pond, which is a good place but a little far off. The Hockey Association is making strong efforts to arrange for the flooding of a lot somewhere near the Institute. One of the chief difficulties in this plan is the lack of funds. The team last year, with chance for almost no practice, succeeded in holding down Harvard, so that it was only beaten 5 to 4. This year we have several of the old men back, and some excellent new material. If the fellows in the Institute will each subscribe a little we can have a rink and turn out a team which will compare favorably with the other colleges.

The following men are candidates for the team:


Tech House.

Tech House clubs and classes are forming almost daily. About thirty groups are under way now and several more will presently be in operation. Not nearly all of the volunteers have been put to work as yet; indeed, several weeks may elapse before the elaborate and somewhat ponderous machinery of the settlement is entirely in running order. There is work for every man who has the interest and the willingness to give an afternoon or an evening a week to the work, and it is increasingly apparent how much more the men who are going out to Roxbury are getting than giving. The experiences are new, but their reality appeals to Tech men.

After Christmas it is proposed to begin an investigation concerning juvenile employment in that section of Boston. By a careful approach to this task it is felt that some results may be obtained that will be of value to students and lawmakers. The first essential to any remedial effort is comprehensive, concrete knowledge. The men on the spot, the men who are coming into natural, friendly relations with the people of the neighborhood, are the ones best fitted to ascertain the actual conditions of the life and work of juvenile workers, and to suggest to what extent the school age limits should be raised and the working hours restricted. Tech House offers splendid opportunities for useful work to men of serious interests.