

The impetus for this move came from A. J. Sweet, '04, who before coming to Tech had been captain of the cross country team at Cornell, and was the founder of the Intercollegiate Cross Country Association. The team which the Club put forth was the first Technology team to be sent to a training table.

The season ended in defeat, as the only college which would meet us was Harvard, and her team, led by the famous distance runner, Eddie Mills, proved too strong. However, the running of Tech's captain, Peaslee, '03, and Riley, '05, proved the possibilities of Technology athletes.

During the following winter the Hare and Hounds Club was merged in the present Cross Country Association, with Jerry Sweet, president, as a stronger organization was needed to take charge of both the pleasure running and the racing.

The new management started in with a handicap race in the spring of 1902, which was won by Ovington, '04, and another that fall won by Thurber, '06, though no team race could be arranged with another college. Hare and hounds running, however, has continued with unflagging interest, and gives promise of becoming one of the most popular forms of sport at Tech. The victory over Amherst, too, has set cross country racing on a firm basis, the support given Captain Lorenz and Manager Myers by the student body showing that there is a field for athletics here after all.

The Association has at present a membership of over a hundred, and the prospect of a long future in its double purpose of furnishing Tech men with enjoyable exercise by hare and hounds runs, and of turning out each fall a team worthy to represent Tech in cross country races.

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### Junior Prom.

Among the many questions coming before the Junior Class this year is that of the "Prom." In order to make this affair a complete success, it is necessary for those who are to manage it to have plenty of time, and the earnest co-operation of the whole Class. Without able management and support, the Prom will not hold its place as the leading social function of Junior Week. This question will come up at a class meeting to be held immediately after the Christmas vacation, and every man should be present.

### Tech 16 — Holy Cross 12

The Tech Basket Ball Team defeated Holy Cross in the Holy Cross gym. at Worcester Saturday, by a score of 16 to 12. This is Tech's second victory this year. Holy Cross has never been defeated before in her gym., and great credit must be given the Tech team for its splendid showing.

Holy Cross played a very rough game, and twelve fouls were made by them. Blake took advantage of these by throwing six baskets from the foul line. The game started with a goal from foul by Blake, and the score see-sawed back and forth during the half, leaving the score 11-9 in favor of Holy Cross at the end.

In the second half Wiggin took the place of Captain Schonthal, who withdrew on account of a slight injury. Holy Cross immediately made a goal from the foul line. Score: Holy Cross 12, Tech 9. Tech then braced, and prevented Holy Cross from scoring again. Blake threw a goal from the foul line, followed by a goal from field by Ager, leaving score 12-12. Blake threw two more goals from the foul line, and then, with less than one minute to play, made two more points and clinched the game. Blake was the bright and shining star for Tech, and Ager and Wiggin covered in excellent shape during the second half. Burleigh played a plucky game at centre, and Mathison and Schonthal played their positions to perfection. Quigley and Spring excelled for Holy Cross.

#### SUMMARY.

Tech.	Holy Cross.
Blake, l. f.	r. g., Reed
Mathison, r. f.	l. g., Welch
Burleigh, c.	c., Tobin
Ager, l. g.	c., Spring
Schonthal, r. g.	r. f., Quigley
Wiggin, r. g.	l. f. { Spring
	{ Doherty
	{ Dowd

Score: Tech 16, Holy Cross 12. Goals made by Blake 2, Mathison, Burleigh, Ager, Spring 3, Quigley, Welch. Goals from fouls: Blake 6, Spring 2. Fouls made by Quigley 5, Spring 2, Doherty 3, Dowd, Reed, Ager 3, Mathison. Referees, Haniby, Wiggin. Umpires, Haniby, Schonthal. Timers: O'Neil, Holy Cross; Luther, Tech. Scorers: Devlin, Holy Cross; Goldthwaite, Tech. Time: two twenty-minute halves.