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The Pierce Building is now completely equipped—furnace in the basement and angels on the top landing.

Freshmen, you have overstepped the limit. No matter who was to blame for the "In Memoriam" notices, you are directly responsible for a serious breach of propriety, and a public apology is due the Sophomore Class.

COMMUNICATION.

The Editors do not hold themselves responsible for opinions expressed by correspondents.

To the Editor of THE TECH:—

In every classical college, and in many of the scientific universities, there are chapters of the honorary Greek letter societies, Phi Beta Kappa and Tau Beta Pi. These are societies whose members are chosen by the faculty from the senior class on the basis of scholarship throughout their course. Selection for membership is an impartial recognition of good work and ability, and the right to wear the well-known society keys is a privilege highly valued by many college alumni.

If the principle that recognition of past effort is a stimulus to future effort is accepted, as it must be, why would it not be a decided advantage to have a chapter of one of these societies at the Institute? O. G.

FIELD DAY DINNER.

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prominent a part, are a business and not a sport. Men in the junior and senior years, who have had enough athletics and wish to study, are made to believe that their duty to their college is to spend their time playing football."

Nevertheless Mr. Mahan gave Harvard the credit for being a leader in striving to do away with this state of affairs. He considered that Harvard is looking toward Tech's ideal.

Next Mr. Rand gave one of his inimitably entertaining talks. The men were on the watch for "That reminds me of the story of," and greeted it with a hearty cheer. The Field Day loving cup then went the rounds, and everyone was called upon to announce his name, class and home, before drinking from it.

Dr. Rockwell, who was the last speaker, said that the Institute's system of athletics is doing more for the physical development of the students than that of any other college. The young man of from 16 to 22 years, he said, cannot long stand the strain of wearing himself out and then playing on his nerve, as is done in the big football games.

The evening was concluded with class cheers and Tech songs, the music being furnished by a quintet from the orchestra.

As a result of last Saturday's cross-country race, H. V. Sullivan, '08, who scored the last point in the race, is laid up in bed with a muscle of his leg broken. While practising the Wednesday before the race, he wrenched his leg. On Thursday he again went out to run, but after a short distance dropped out. A doctor being consulted, it was found that a muscle was broken. Absolute rest was recommended. Disregarding this advice, Sullivan ran in the race of Saturday. He suffered considerably at the start, but with admirable spirit refused to quit, and finally had the satisfaction of adding one point to the credit of his team. But Sullivan is quite seriously laid up as a result, and will have to leave the Institute for some time.

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