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THE TECH regrets to announce the resignation of Mr. A. K. Mitchell, 1909, from the Board of Editors.

FOLLY OF THE NIGHT BEFORE.

Final, earnest foolishness, are the two words that best characterize the night before Field-Day struggles, between the two lower classes. For the past two years the extreme folly of the custom has been apparent to the upper classes and members of the Faculty. Not only have certain members of each class been injured, not seriously but painfully, but there has been a large number of both classes taking a live interest in the activities of the day itself.

The present form of Field-Day was inaugurated because the old form became dangerous, containing as it did a case of death. On the last old-style Field-Day a prominent young man was killed. The rush of the lower classes, the sudden and uncontrolled burst of the older class led to the abolition of rushes.

What now remains that have been held on Field-Day are the day on which certain of the upper classes are voted out and have resulted in no harm, proving to be a most exhilarating excitement. Better it is to have an organized rush than this maudlin, unreasonable custom.

Whatever rushes that have been held, have resulted in no harm, proving that it is good to have a loss of several teeth. Let there be a permanent rush.

It was decided, therefore, to have an organized rush. The Fool-Killer was sent down the Drawing-Rooms on a Half Holiday, given by the Faculty.

Morals: People who expect to be merry should travel in Bunches.

"NEED OF "NOT" INDEED."

In the last issue of THE TECH there appeared an article on the Geology Department. In speaking of the work on the seismograph the writer said the apparatus was "indeed a final to put this work on a permanent level."

There is need of a fund for THE TECH.

It has been the custom for the lower classes when decorating in the vicinity of Technology Field, not to place any decorations either on the house or grand-stand.

This custom has been followed since the first Field-Day at the new field, in repect to the wishes of the donors of the field. The Faculty and upper-classmen are very desirous that this custom should be followed this year.

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