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The Tech takes pleasure in announcing the appointment of Charles Lawton Tuller 1912, to the news staff.

Tech singing was shown to be sadly out at the first of the socials. A certain swing that is characteristic of vocal exhibitions in other institutions is lacking.

There are plenty that sing every day and know what enjoyment there is in it. They should respond to the call of the following communication and show up at noon whenever possible.

COMMUNICATION

As announced at the informal talk last Friday night, the Entertainment Committee is desirous of making singing a major feature of the Friday evening gatherings, partly because it is believed that nothing is so conducive to sociability and good-fellowship as a rousing song, and partly because it will improve the singing here at the Institute. Anyone who has heard a crowd of Tech men sing will admit that there is much room for improvement. No better demonstration of the truth of this statement than the singing last Friday evening could be found. In line with this endeavor the Entertainment Committee, beginning with today, will arrange to have someone at the piano every day between 1:30 and 2:00. It is hoped that all who can drop in at that time will join heartily in the songs, and make a distinct effort toward the improvement of the volume, time, and concord of the singing. W. B. Jenkins 1909, will lead the songs.

It will interest all to know that the alumni are much interested in this matter. The plans for the great five-year reunion next June are absorbing the attention of all, and it is the intention to make the singing an important feature of that gathering. Already several of the older classes are arranging to meet during the year to practice the Tech songs. They will expect the undergraduates to lead in the singing at that time.

It is possible that later in the year we may have the services of a musical director to help coach the fellows, but first all should get together and show that singing is really desired.

M. R. Scharff,
Union Entertainment Committee.

FRESHMEN TRACK MEET

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Walker, second; Dalrymple, third; C. L. Tuller, fourth. Distance 19 feet.

Shot put—Won by Becker; H. S. Benson, second; Dalrymple, third; Freedman, fourth. Distance 27 feet 3 inches.

Discus—Won by Becker; Dalrymple, second; H. S. Benson, third. Distance 31 feet 3 inches.

Individual scores—Becker, 18 points; H. S. Benson and Dalrymple, 12 points; W. C. Reed, 10 points.

UNION LUNCH BOOMING

Slight Change in Checking System Introduced—New Chairman

Business is booming in the Lunch room of the Union this year. The receipts are averaging more than \$1000 a week and from 850 to 875 men are accommodated each school day. The average attendance at breakfast is 145, at lunch 675, and at dinner 175. Perhaps one of the most popular phases of the Lunch room is the family dinner held each Sunday. An average of 50 men attend these dinners and all enter into the spirit of the occasion. At first the time for these dinners was from 2 to 3, but it was found that more fellows could be accommodated by having the hours earlier. Accordingly the time now is from 1 to 2.

A new system for punching the meal checks is to be introduced immediately. A girl will be stationed at the kitchen door and punch the checks of the waiters as each comes from the kitchen. This will remove the necessity of the waiters taking the time to punch the checks, which they often do hurriedly.

Chairman J. H. Critchett of the dining room committee, has resigned, and J. I. Finnie 1909, has been made chairman. Finnie is a man admirably fitted for the position, having been active in athletic and social work during his three years at the Institute. He was class treasurer last year, has been connected with the Tech Show for three years, was assistant business manager of Technique 1909, and is vice-president of his class this year.

DARTMOUTH WINS

Young and Butewell Score Only Points for M. I. T.

In a well played match last Thursday the Dartmouth Golf Team defeated the team from the Institute by a score of seven to four, on the links of the Country Club in Brookline.

Butewell and Young were the only Technology men to score, and Captain Tillard and Groton of Dartmouth played to a tie.

The cold proved quite a detriment in the handling of the clubs, and with better weather conditions both teams would undoubtedly have shown up better.

DARTMOUTH.

	Points.
Seucklen	2
Martin	3
Groton	0
Lord	2
Root	0
Total	7

M. I. T.

	Points.
Salisbury	0
Elbert	0
Tillard (Capt.)	0
Butewell	1
Young	3
Total	4

BENSON 1912 CAPTAIN

A meeting of all freshmen interested in cross-country running was held Friday, with over a dozen men present. Harvey S. Benson was elected captain of the team. Captain R. Ellis of the varsity cross-country team had charge of the meeting and told the freshmen in a few well chosen words about the annual sophomore-freshman race, which is held in April. He urged every man to run in the handicap race which comes a week from Saturday, and to do their best to get in good condition for the race next spring.

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