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The cost of living is going up.

Professor Lowell starts his lectures on Cosmic Physics tomorrow afternoon in Huntington Hall. Are you going to seize the opportunity?

Technology gets the New England Intercollegiate again this year. The Field has the reputation of being one of the best tracks in the country.

The highest honors in the hands of the American electrical engineering profession is conferred on a Tech man. The Heating and Ventilating engineers choose a Tech man for their President, and another for Second Vice-President. Institute graduates are making good.

Some means of communication between the Union and Pierce building during the day would greatly add to the benefits of the new institution. This could be accomplished by partitioning off a narrow passageway along the west wall of the room of 11 Pierce, and making the entrance to this recitation room through the partition.

Saturday night's athletic events were more or less of a toss-up. The one-mile relay team in New York ran up against hard luck and the basketball five corrected the vain belief of some that it could not lose; but the two-mile relay team made good at Medford by its splendid work against Tufts. This latter squad is certainly to be congratulated on the spirit shown in coming through the race winners, though severely handicapped at the last minute by the loss of two men.

LOWELL INSTITUTE

"The Tragedies of Shakespeare," eight lectures by George Lyman Kittredge, LL. D., Litt. D., Professor of English in Harvard University, the eighth course of the Lowell Institute, given Mondays and Thursdays at 8 P. M. begins today.

"The Ethical Problems of Freedom and Determination," eight lectures by George Herbert Palmer, Litt. D., LL. D., Professor of Moral Philosophy in Harvard University, the ninth course, given Tuesdays and Fridays at 8 P. M. begins tomorrow.

Tickets may be applied for on and after the day of the first lecture in the course at the Information Desk in Rogers.

ASTRONOMY LECTURES

Professor Percival Lowell is to give a series of lectures on Cosmic Physics, or the Evolution of Worlds. These lectures will be given on Tuesdays at four P. M. in Huntington Hall. The faculty has requested that all second, third, and fourth year students shall attend. All second year students who do so will be credited with twelve points on this summer reading. The first lecture will be on Feb. 23 and will be on the Birth of the Solar system.

The other subjects are:—Evidence of the Initial Catastrophy, The Formation of Planets, The Planets Subsequent History, The Loss of the Planets Own Heat, and The Death of a World.

CATHOLIC CLUB DANCES

In Copley Hall last Saturday evening the first annual dancing party of the Catholic Club of Technology was held. The affair proved to be a great success with more than 80 couples on the floor. The Catholic Club has been particularly active this year, and the entertainment had been carefully planned and arranged for several months by the club's officers.—F. M. Heidelberg, 1909, president; J. F. McCarthy, 1909, vice-president, and P. D. White, 1911, secretary-treasurer.

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