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No Providence trip.

How many points are you carrying?

The hockey team, too, has helped to make this the Institute's year in athletics. It is now up to the track team.

The best fencing trio that Technology has had for some years is off to New York to make a manly stab for the intercollegiate championship. May it meet with the best of success.

There are many commendable features about the plan of raising money for the support of athletics by means of the sale of season tickets recently approved by the A. A. and referred to the Advisory Council. The method has been very generally adopted by colleges and universities throughout the country, and the results in almost every case have been good.

It is expected that the new scheme will result in the large increase in attendance at the athletic games. Hence it promises to save money to the individual while the income to the A. A. should be larger than ever before.

Also, the various athletic interests will be centralized to a greater extent than has formerly been the case, and no longer exist as a combination of independent associations.

The students will not be bothered from one end of the year to the other by a large number of men seeking to sell tickets to contests. At the same time the field will be covered much more thoroughly and effectively. The scheme merits the support of the Institute.

During the past month the dining-room committee has received only indirect criticisms and suggestions. It does the dining room no good, nor does it help the committee in its work for the teachers and students to growl among themselves. The only effective plan to follow is to kick directly to the committee. In order that everyone can make suggestions, a committee mail box has been placed at the door of the dining-room. The committee hopes that teachers and students will make proper use of this box.

If John's dinner isn't up to par, he has stomachache; if it is very good, he over-indulges, and is again in the same predicament. If Mary's frock is too simple, she can't appear creditably in it; if it is thoroughly a la mode, she dare not don it for fear of its ruination. Finally, if one display an indifferent poster on the bulletin boards, no one sees it; and if one tack up an effective one, again no one sees it (for more than six hours). The bulletin board committee has put a maximum time limit on the duration of exhibition of posters, but it should be noted by all in general, and some one in particular, that to date no minimum time limit has been decreed.

## COMMUNICATION

After the splendid work of the Gym team this year, is it not right that in future they shall be recognized by the Institute, and awarded their T. G. T.?

If the Institute considers physical development important enough to need a physical director, and an assistant, and to require physical exercise of the freshmen, should it not take an especial interest in the ultimate result of all this preliminary work—the producing of good gymnasts, who must necessarily be well developed men?

Harvard, Yale, Amherst, Exeter, Trinity, Columbia, Rutgers, and a large number of small colleges have a gym team, and award their insignia to the members, so Tech will have no trouble in arranging meets.

Next year's team will be strong in everything, except the horse, which will be weakened by the loss of R. L. Carey, and ought to turn out a winning team.

Gym team work is the best possible aid to track athletics. Our crack pole vaulters have been gymnasts. Tommy Orr and Schobinger were members of the team, and Allen holds the present pole vault record. If for no other reason than this, the gym team ought to be recognized.

All the team needs to give the men an incentive in their work, is recognition from the Institute in the form of a T. G. T.

H. S. GOTT.

### C. E. SOCIETY

(Continued from page 1.)

On April 7 the Society hopes to hold a dinner, although no definite arrangements have been made as yet. Wednesday, April 28, at 4.15, a joint meeting with the Architectural Society will be held at which Mr. Frederick S. Greene, Vice-President of The Waterproofing Company of New York, will give an illustrated talk on "Waterproofing." On May 5 comes the annual dinner of the Society, probably at the American House, at which it is expected that Prof. Spofford, now of the Brooklyn Polytechnic Institute and recently elected Hayward professor of civil engineering at Technology, will speak. Mr. T. E. Byrnes, Vice-President of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, is also expected to be present, together with one or two other speakers, and address the Society.

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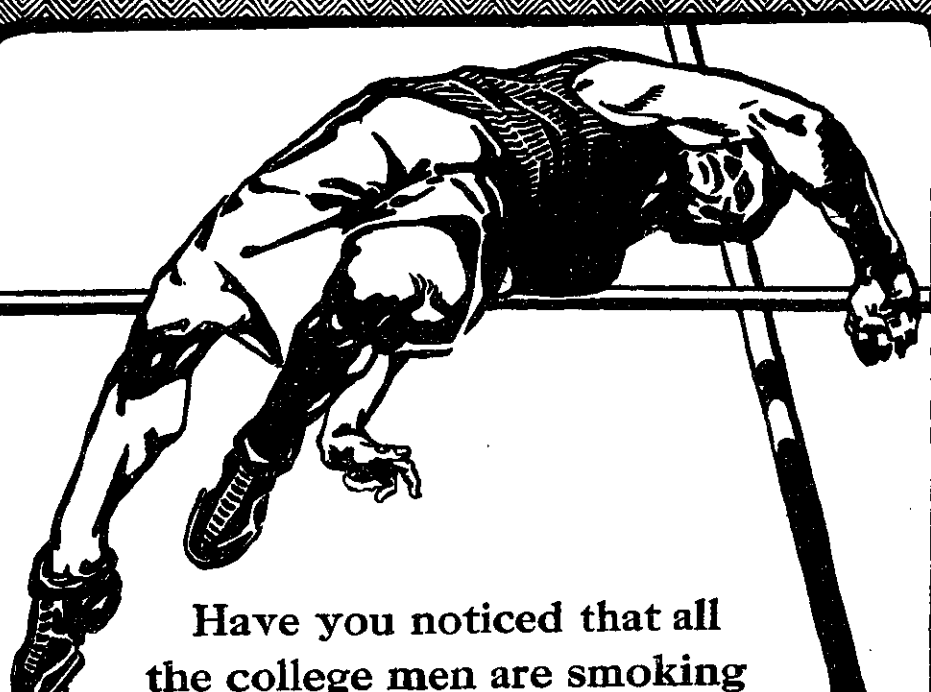
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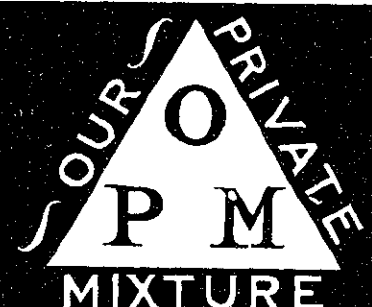
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