MARTY IL DRILL NOTES

The War Department has recently passed for sale by auction a 500 Spring field arly rifles will be furnished to replace the Krag rifles now used by the volunteer. They will not, however, be supplied until next summer.

The change of drill hour from 3 P. M. to 2 P. M. on Mondays and Fridays went into effect this week. It is more satisfactory to the upper clann who are acting as officers, for most of them have the whole afternoon, anyway, but the freshmen have to work pretty hard to change their clothes and get over to the Chemistry lecture on time. The majority of the officers would be pleased to see the old order of a two hour, once-a-week drill re-established.

At the present time, not all officers knows whether his platoon program prevent him from drilling, as drill breaks into two afternoons. Moreover, that the men have become used to drilling, they could easily stand two hours of it in one day, and thus save the inconvenience of dressing twice for drill.

The following promotions have been made in Co. D. Sergeant B. B. Rogers, has been appointed 1st corporal, and Captain Leonard moved up accordingly. Corporal M. W. Leonard has been appointed 2nd corporal and J. M. Thorne made a corporal.

The date for holding the Military Ball has not yet been definitely set, and will depend on a number of officers and non-coms favoring a postponement until the first of April.

CURRENT EVENTS

To President Theodore Roosevelt and the other of his hunting party ar- rived at Bolton yesterday. From this point, the party will make a hunting trip on the land Endive in search of white rhinoceros.

The collapse of Leec Delongre's airplane which caused his death at Bordeaux Tuesday, is said to have been due to too quick maneuvering in heavy wind. Delongre attempted to describe a sharp curve, the steam upon the wings tilted the left wing and the right wing immediately collapsed. Sandie-Dominotti had a very narrow escape at Saint Cyn in an accident similar to that which caused the death of Delongre.

T. G. A. DINNER

At the fourth dinner of The Tech Christian Association those present heard a short report of the Round Convention of the Student Volunteer Movement. F. H. Beery '12 spoke of the object of the movement, the expansion of the knowledge of Christ. Dr. Donnel of the General Church spoke of the engineer in the foreign field. He said that in every new country there are two forces which rush in— the world and Christianity. He gave us instances Africa and Turkey and sketched the victory of Christianity in these countries.

1913 CLASS RALLY

The freshman class holds its third class meeting tomorrow in Union Hall at 1:00 P. M. The meeting is to elect a foot-ball manager for next year, and to discuss the organization of a class track team. No previous class has ever had a class track team, but the freshmen are organizing this one with the hope of helping them win Field Day next year.

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