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TECHNICAL DINNER.

During our life at Technology it behooves us to be concerned ourselves as to avoid any chance for outside criticism emanated, although it may seem.

This is important, not only for our personal reputation, but for the best interest of the Institute. We have been the object of much adverse criticism, who would do all in our power to curb any tendency we may have to give the public just grounds for unfavorable opinions in regard to the Institute.

In the serving of beer at Technology functions conducive to furthering the best interests of our Alma Mater and School—and wished to impress the many other Tech men spoke on vari-

Dinner was a time when drinking was common and its practice, exaggerated though it may seem. This is important, not only for our good name of the Institute, but we may still improve. Let us give to the public just grounds for unfavorable opinions in regard to the Institute.

TECH IS CONSPICUOUS

AT HYGIENE CONGRESS

Thirty-two Out of One Hundred
And Thirty Papers Read
Are by Tech Men.

At the meeting of the American Public Health Association and the exhibition given by the International Congress on Hygiene and Demographic Statistics, held in Washington, D.C., recently, Technology and Institute graduates took an exceedingly active part. Out of one hundred and thirty-two papers presented at the session thirty-two papers were by either professors or former students of the Institute.

During that week it may be said that practically the entire department of biology and public health of Technology was in Washington. Professor Redgwick was heard before the famous N. Y. S. C. A. which was the first of the general American Medical Association.

In the medical profession, there was no meeting of any section at which Technology was not represented among the speakers. For the first time, the Department of Physics, under the direction of Dr. P. C. Levy, ’94, health officer of Rhode Island, was heard by the health officers of the world over.

The suggestion came from Doctor Winthrop Talbot, ’86, of Cleveland, that hygiene in the factory and in factory management is an important branch of the public health to which too little attention is given by such bodies as the American Association. He showed that while there were sections to vital sanitation, laboratory work, sanitary engineering and sociology, there was nothing that would cover the care of the health and life of workmen, although such men form fully eighty per cent of the population.

Another interesting and active graduate of the Institute was Professor Redgwick’s department graduates have been made in important health offices the world over. This is important, not only for our

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