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The New Technology will be a big "stone City" of limestone and not, as is erroneously believed by many, of anything so much as clay. That this misconception is due to the offer of the aluminiun to furnish all the concrete necessary for construction will be corrected in the design of the building and, as that is a very important factor in the design of the buildings and, as stated, it is of course exceedingly well cared for. The big central part of the structure will be used for administrative purposes and a general library.

In this library, there will be a large section of the area which will be devoted to the construction of the Pratt Fund. This, however, is not the only section which, according to the profits of the will, the sum must reach three quarters of a million dollars to be received.

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Mr. I. W. Litchfield '85 was then introduced by the Alumni for these structures. First, he gave a brief history of the work the Alumni have done for the Institute, who worked so faithfully and at great expense. The two diamonds were Major Howland & Co. After Dr. Rockwell concluded his remarks, M. Tallman '14 then led in the singing of "Three 'Maclaurins" on the end. V. M. Tallman '14 then led in the singing of "The Coalinga Gray."

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Mr. I. W. Litchfield '85 was the next speaker. He told of the Walker Memorial and the student buildings at the New Site. He began by saying that it knew really nothing at all about the students, but that he knew that no one else did. The architects have been so busy in perfecting the plans that the students have not had their share. The dormitories are to be of the same type; that is, they will have the rooms arranged in groups, with no access from one group to another, like houses on a city block.

After the plans had been shown several views were thrown upon the screen representing student buildings at different colleges in this country. Each showed a careful body of the best features of the other colleges before making its plans for the New Technology.

In conclusion, Mr. Litchfield declared that the success of the Walker Memorial will depend largely upon the Institute Committee. It will have new responsibilities at the New Institute, and it will be of much greater importance than at present. It must strengthen its relations with the activities and the undergraduate, so that it will be a fit leader for the whole student body in the years to come.

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