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The management of the 1918 baseball team requests that all candidates for the Junior team report dressed for practice on Friday afternoon. The first game will be played two weeks from today against Westboro, and the men who will take this trip will be chosen from among the first to report. Battery men are especially needed. The field on which the team will practice will be announced in Friday's issue of The Tech. The schedule is now being formed and already six games have been arranged for. Those interested may consult N. Krasnoff '18.

FOUND ARTICLES

The following articles may be obtained from the Superintendent of Buildings and Power, in Room 3-005, upon proper identification:

Bunch of keys, Waterman's fountain pen, Conklin's fountain pen, green case containing bone-rimmed glasses, loose-leaf note-book, pair of rubbers, two students' bags, copy "Electrical Engineering Laboratory Notes," two copies "American Government and Politics," notebook on Mechanics, black and white scarf, purple scarf, green scarf, blue scarf, pair of gray gloves.

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PRESIDENT'S REPORT

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offer was January 1, 1917, and the cash limit was set at two and a half millions. The Alumni quickly responded to the offer and the maximum amount stated in the offer was soon in the hands of the Institute. Mr. "Smith's" check covering the agreement was received three days before the first of the new year.

President MacLaurin also reported that the real estate comprising the Garrison Street buildings had been disposed of and the Trinity Place and Clarendon Street property was soon to be sold. Since the report was made up, however, this property has also been disposed of.

In the educational section of the President's report, he outlines the new step in sending students into industrial plants for further study and investigation along practical lines. This plan has been in operation since the beginning of the second term and the students are already well into the second manufactory of the circuit.

In considering the future, Dr. MacLaurin indicated his idea that the Institute needs strengthening as a research center when he wrote that Technology should not merely be "a Massachusetts, but a National Institute of Investigation." He also looks forward to the demand for more space by the students of Chemical Research and forecasts a building for them as probably the successor to the Pratt School for Naval Architecture that has recently been provided for. Highway Engineering and Public Health are also

steadily requiring more attention and the increasing needs of the country of men from these departments are impossible without corresponding increases in endowment. These endowments are the problems of the future.

DORMITORY ROOMS AVAILABLE

Applications for dormitory rooms for next year have been coming in rapidly since the first assignments have been sent out, but there are still a few double and triple suites left. Many men who had applied for single rooms whose applications were rejected because the number of applications exceeded the number of rooms, have already found room-mates and have applied for double or triple suites

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