TWO-TEN weeks lie ahead of us and almost a year's work to do. Therefore all the more reason to start in with a will. This means both studies and activities. Technology being an engineering school, is a place where hard serious work comes first. Nevertheless activities are of importance and bear an important relation to the name and popularity of a college. The academic work at an engineering college is of necessity for more exacting than that of the schools of liberal arts. It applies more even at the Institute than at other schools of the kind where the standards are not so high. The result is that there is some amount of ability to successfully "carry on" with the activities and keep up to the requirements in the academic work, and those who do so deserve a certain amount of credit. The man is capable of doing both and neglects the opportunity through lack of interest or laziness is doing himself an injustice, for the Math and Chem of doing both and neglects the opportunity through lack of interest or laziness is doing himself an injustice, for the Math and Chem work to be done. Therefore all the more reason to start in with a will. Nevertheless activities are of importance and bear an important relation to the name and popularity of a college.

THE dance committee after the military dance held in the Armory found that they had a sum of money on their hands which they did not know what to do with. They very wisely appointed a committee to look into the matter. The decision of this committee was to turn the money over to the Track team which was sorely in need of funds. Nothing could have been better. The money was from the various company funds, and it had been the general sentiment that that was the best way to dispose of it. In the meantime the sergeant majors without waiting the decision of the committee, handed this money belonging to the students of the S. A. T. C. over to the Y. M. C. A. If the Y. M. C. A. had not received anything from the Institute this might have been worth considering. The fact is, however, that about thirteen thousand dollars has been raised and subscribed. As the money belongs to the students, the natural thing would have been to have it in the interest of the student activities. We do not begrudge the "Y" the money, but we do protest the action which was taken contrary to the committee's decision.

In order to begin the confusion according to the opening of a new term and the return of many old men to the Institute, THE TECH announces the appointment of Carl W. Harris as the position of Acting Managing Editor. This position is only temporary.

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PERSONALS

James A. Tobe '19, who is a firstensation in the country division of the United States Army has been sworn to Camp Borgen at Wilmer Wright Field, Fairbanks, O., after having finished the anti-material work at Charleston, S. C. He plans to spend about six miles of drainage ditches and convert a material district into a beautiful locality.

 Franconia '19, has returned home for the winter. He left the Institute on November 13th.

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