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THE TECH wishes to call the attention of the student body in general to the fact that its columns are always open for communications and discussions relating to undergraduate affairs. Anonymous manuscripts cannot be accepted, but a *nom de plume* may be assigned for publication if desired.

If you have ideas on some of the questions confronting Technology men, make them public and give others a chance to become convinced of the correctness of your views, or to show you wherein you are in error.

The next issue of THE TECH will contain as a supplement the address delivered at the Rogers Commemoration by Prof. F. H. Smith of the University of Virginia.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE TECH:

Those of your readers who knew Mr. William Chaille Martin, of the class of 1903, whose death you recently noted, will recall the frank, cheerful manliness, and the earnestness of purpose which characterized his student life here, and they will be glad to learn that, even in the brief opportunity allotted him, he had given a good account of himself. He held a responsible position, — an associate professorship, I think, — in industrial chemistry at his alma mater, the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas, at

College Station, Texas, and was regarded as the most popular instructor in the college, and, also, on the part of his colleagues, as a successful teacher, who gave much promise for the future, although it was his intention to enter the technical field after another year of teaching.

His death followed an illness of a few days, and has saddened a great many friends in Boston, as in Texas, who keenly regret this untimely ending of a life which seemed to be developing into a high type of manhood.

H. P. TALBOT.

Notice.

The Executive Committee of the Class of 1906 will hold an important meeting in regard to the Prom Committee, on Monday, in Room 11, Rogers, at 1 o'clock.

We have received notice of the death on Saturday, December 10, of Macy S. Pope, '92, I. The funeral was held yesterday from the residence of Charles F. Cutter, Beacon Street.

Considerable comment has been occasioned by the statement from Yale University that for the year ending July 31, 1904, the running expenses were \$41,926.28 in excess of the income, notwithstanding the fact that the general funds of the institution were increased within the same length of time by the sum of \$445,678.18.

It seems, however, that the greater part of this amount has been given for certain definite purposes, and, like the \$50,000 profit realized by the Football Association, is unavailable for general expenses. The Alumni will probably be called upon to assist in raising funds to meet the deficit.

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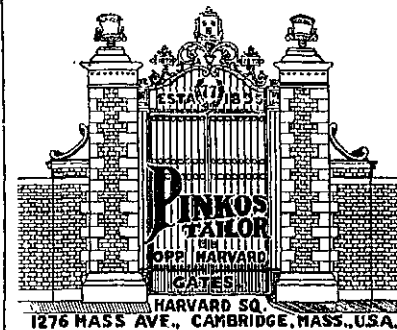
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