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The outcome of the Intercollegiate Cross Country run, to be held at Travers Island today, is anxiously awaited by all interested in Tech Track Athletics. This is the first opportunity of seeing how our long distance men compare with those of the "Big Six," and everything indicates a good showing. The preliminary run with Harvard, on November 11, showed that we have two fast men; but that the team as a whole is not well balanced. Even though we were beaten, first and second places went to Tech men. Since then the team is reported to have improved rapidly, so that now the men are in prime condition.

In the run at Travers Island, the team will have to compete against men of several years experience, which is a great handicap. If they win, the victory will be the more creditable. We hope their first run in the Intercollegiate Cross Country Association will be successful.

The presence of Dr. Henry Van Dyke at the Convocation yesterday, emphasizes the fact that through the efforts of our President, Dr. Pritchett, there does exist for Tech men all opportunities most as great an opportunity to see and hear men of prominence from the outer world, as that enjoyed by any body

of undergraduates in the country. Perhaps we disregard this opportunity, and refuse to see that it exists from our being in an educational center, surrounded by far different conditions from any we shall hereafter meet. The opportunities to hear men from the business world at the Society of Arts, the Lowell Institute lecture courses, and at the numerous engineering societies in Tech, should be deemed a most unusual privilege by every undergraduate. It should be remembered that there is little that is humanizing or broadening in a purely technological course of study, such as we approximate here. It remains for us to acquire outside of studies as much interest as we can in a wider world and a higher life. Every man should be grateful for such an opportunity as that offered yesterday.

COMMUNICATION.

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TO THE EDITOR OF THE TECH:

That we live in an age of progress and discovery, was very clearly demonstrated by an article in the last issue of your paper. Up till now the exact facts of the death of Caesar have always been more or less shrouded in mystery and thinking men have felt, that such an act of treachery as the murder of his best friend was entirely incompatible with the loyal and manly character of Brutus.

The recent discovery, however, clears up the mystery. Mary Antony angered no doubt by the power exercised by Caesar over her husband, allowed herself to be so carried away by her passions as to commit, in a moment of mad jealousy, the deed which has made the name of Brutus forever synonymous with treachery and faithlessness.

All honour is due to THE TECH for thus fearlessly daring the storm of disbelief and derision, which is ever the portion of pioneers in the field of discovery.

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