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Monday, March 19, 1906.

Very few Freshmen were seen wearing green last Saturday, and the fact has given rise to the question: "Was it necessary?"

The student body has been looking forward to the Walker Memorial Building with some anticipation, and Dr. Pritchett's announcement at the Kommers that the Corporation is considering the purchase of a suitable site, is hailed as the first of the final steps towards the actual completion of the building. The site is an ideal one, considering its location in regard to the other buildings of the Institute, and also the impossibility of securing a plot of land on a more prominent street. The Tech hopes that the Corporation will succeed in its endeavor to secure this land and that the building will be completed as soon as possible.

The establishment by the Harvard University Corporation of a graduate school for applied science and the merger of the Lawrence Scientific School Harvard. with the College indicates the need for professional training in the branches of engineering, which was more highly specialized and more thorough than that offered by the Scientific School. That this step has been taken indicates also the belief that engineering work is essentially not different from other professional work and that the most can be obtained from it when it is studied by graduate students, for their longer training has given them better ability to grasp the fundamentals of science and realize the proper relations of science to their profession.

This event is of interest to Technology men because it shows what might have been the final outcome of the Tech-Harvard Merger and also because it shows how important is the training that students receive apart from their technical training because it promotes and initiates original thought and so leads to the ability to reason and think clearly.

GOOD CONCERT IN WEST NEWTON.

The Mandolin and Glee Clubs enjoyed one of the pleasantest trips of the year Friday evening when they played at the Unitarian Church in West Newton. A one hour program was rendered in the clubs' best manner. The Mandolin Club introduced "Oolong Lu" from "The Chinese Honeymoon" for the first time. Mr. Arthur Killion made his first appearance with the clubs as vocal soloist and won much applause.

After the concert, refreshments were served by the young ladies of the church. Dancing followed until eleven o'clock. The program rendered was as follows:

"Winter Song" F. F. Lullard, '87
Glee Club
Banjo Solo Selected
Mr. Otis G. Fales
"In Love's Garden" Gustin
Mandolin Club
'Cello Solo Selected
Mr. Abbot H. Thompson, '08
"Three Little Piggies" Selected
Glee Club
Solo Selected
Mr. Arthur Killion
'A Bashful Bachelor" Ritchie
Mandolin Club
"Tech Forever" F. F. Bullard, '87
Glee Club

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