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Wednesday, February 20, 1907.

Owing to the fact that the exercises of the Institute will be suspended next Friday, the next issue of THE TECH will appear on Monday.

COMMUNICATION.

The Editors do not hold themselves responsible for opinions expressed by correspondents.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE TECH:

Some time ago a body of the 1905 men in the neighborhood of Boston began to feel that it would be to their mutual pleasure and benefit, and perhaps to the benefit of the class and even, in a small way, to the Institute, if they should meet rather more frequently than the semi-annual class dinners permitted. With this in view a very informal club, called the Boston Club of 1905, was formed, its purpose being to dine together once a month. All members and ex-members of the class were welcomed to its rolls and soon a list of nearly thirty names was made up, each name being that of a man who hoped to attend many, if not all, of the monthly dinners. The second Tuesday of the month was selected as the most convenient date and the Technology Club as the most suitable place for these meetings and already three dinners have been held, the attendance ranging from twelve to twenty. Nothing formal has ever been attempted, the object striven for being primarily a good time which will induce men to come and thus keep in closer touch with Institute affairs, but the members have in many cases not hesitated to discuss the more important Tech questions and have been particularly valuable as a convenient body for the handling of such class affairs as do not demand the united action of the class and as a general advisory board and corps of assistants to the secretaries. A club similar to this, but necessarily more limited in membership and scope was already in existence among 1905 men in Philadelphia and the class hopes to establish them in all the larger centers where Tech men gather. This would seem to be an outline of a plan which might commend itself to other classes as well. So

far as I know, none of the recently graduated classes, except 1905, have taken any such action, but the enthusiasm which the members of the two organizations named have shown leads to the belief that there is an opening for these local clubs for every one of the newer and larger classes, in Boston if in no other part of the country. To show what a body we of 1905 had to draw from I may state that notices were sent out to over 90 of our men around Boston. There are undoubtedly a nearly equal number of 1904 and 1906 men around and there will be as many from 1907, 1908, etc., in due time. Here is a chance for some pushing spirits to hold their classes together before outside interests become too strong and make too great demands on the men's time.

GEOLOGICAL JOURNAL CLUB.

On account of Friday, Feb. 22, being a holiday, the Geological Journal Club will meet this week on Thursday, at 4.15, in 14 Pierce. Prof. T. A. Jagger will review Prof. Pickering's Paper, "The Volcanic Problem and the Origin of the Moors," and other papers will be presented by C. M. Hutchins, '07, and D. B. Myers, '07. All interested are invited to attend.

ALUMNI NOTES.

C. A. Sawyer, '02, III, who has been located in Greensboro, N. C., for the Andrew D. Fuller Co., has recently returned to Boston.

W. P. R. Pember, '02, IV, in association with Martin C. Miller, of Buffalo, was one of ten architects to win in the preliminary competition for in the New York State Library building. They receive a prize of \$500 and an allowance of \$1000 for making plans for the final competition. As the other winners are among the best known architectural firms in the country, the work of two such young men as Messrs. Pember, and Miller is particularly creditable.

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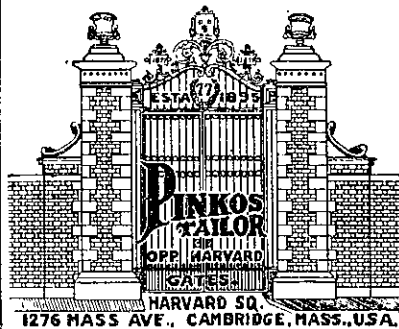
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