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The Tech regrets to announce the resignation of Sidney C. Neff, from the circulation department.

The Tech takes pleasure in announcing the following appointments:

Associate Advertising Manager, Christopher Fallon. To the Circulation Staff, C. B. McClelland and E. G. Brown. Circulation Associate in charge of mailing and distribution, Wm. Guild.

Now that everyone has had a hit at the freshmen directly and indirectly at the use of the Union it might be well to publish the original resolutions concerning the founding of the Union that were given in the Acting President's Report last year. "Whereas a new and magnificent Union has been provided for the use of the students of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology through the efforts of the Committee on Student Welfare of the Corporation and through the gifts of members of the Corporation and Alumni, and whereas, the management of this Union has largely been vested in the hands of the students, be it,

RESOLVED by the student body of this institution that their heartfelt gratitude be extended to the said committee and all others through whose generosity this important development of student life has been made possible, and be it also

RESOLVED that the students by their use of the Union will at all times demonstrate this appreciation, and be it further

RESOLVED that a copy of these resolutions be sent to the members of the Committee on Student Welfare of the Corporation, and to all other members of the Corporation and Alumni who have contributed funds for the erection and equipment of the Union."

This points out the fact that this is a part of our life undertaken in our interests and as a means of making something at our cost. By many, the Union has been treated as a toy to be enjoyed for a brief while and after that to be turned topsy turvy and made to look like a wreck.

If some men do not like the Union, why should they come to it? There are those who do enjoy its privileges and why should those who do not, spoil it for those who do by coming to it and leaving it in such a disorderly condition.

Let us do our best to live up to the resolutions.

A campaign has been started at Andover to raise funds for a swimming pool. The pool itself is to be thirty by seventy-five feet.

THE "DOPESTER"

This, from the "Boston Post," Dec. 15, sounds good. "Technology will have a good track team this season and hopes, besides having a winning relay team, to make a good showing in the New England intercollegiate next spring. Come fellows, get out and help Kanaly hold to this statement.

The board track, on the Irvington St oval, is about as fast as any around Boston and all the Institute sprinters should try it out.

Columbia University is to hold a big indoor track meet in Madison Square Garden, New York, Tuesday, March 22 and are trying to arrange for a relay race between the B. A. A. and N. Y. A. C. teams. The "Herald" says that "Carl Gram, the former Technology track captain," may be one of those selected for the B. A. A. team if they accept.

"Oh you sleuth," said the man on the inside of the Tech office, to the man outside trying to work the combination lock.

COMMUNICATION

To the Editor of The Tech:—

I understand that there is a committee, one member of which has charge of the Union social room each day. Is it not the duty of this committee to see that the publications which are subscribed to by the Union committee, are placed in the proper covers and left in the Union? The Tech gives to the Union a number of its exchanges for which files have been provided. These are delivered to the Cage and I should think it is then up to the committee in charge to put them on the file. But instead of this, when a fellow wants a current copy of a certain periodical or an issue of an exchange, does he find it? He does not. Why not? I have been a little curious to know and this is the result.

The periodicals arrive on time and the papers are received from The Tech and both are left at the Cage. The member of The Tech who has charge of this matter told me that he left the papers at the Cage. I knew for a fact that certain periodicals were out; I went into the Union to find them. I found only a great number of empty magazine covers and a lot of back numbers of exchanges. I went to the Cage and inquired if they had on hand any magazines, and was told, there were a number left there and that there was also a pile of exchanges left. It looks to me as though the committee was to blame.

Of course this is only my personal view of the matter. If the committee can show that I am wrong, I am perfectly willing to admit it.

One who likes to read.

The faculty of the Stevens Institute of Technology has announced three new prizes to be awarded to the senior class of the Stevens Institute. The subjects for excellence in which these prizes are offered differ widely. The Stillman Prize of fifty dollars is competed for by students in Applied Technology. The Cyrus J. Lawrence Prizes for fifty and twenty-five dollars are awarded to the two seniors most active in promoting student activities, in fostering a spirit of co-operation between the faculty and the student body and, in general, in contributing to the elevation of the ideals of student life.

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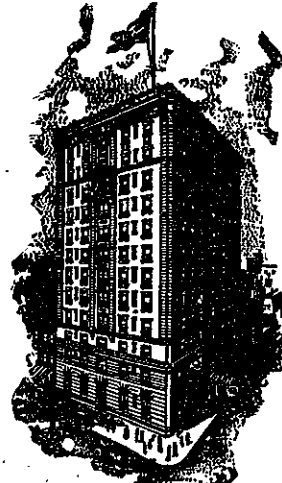
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