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Senior Mechanical Trip.

The recent inspection trip taken by the Senior Mechanicals through a number of the large industrial plants of Philadelphia, Trenton and New York attorded an instructive insight into modern manufacturing ideas. The party was accompanied by Mr. A. J. Wood and, for two days, by Prof. Reber.

An entire week was devoted to the trip and much time was spent in the large establishments, acquiring ideas supplementing the knowledge gained in the classroom.

At Philadelphia, the Midvale Steel Company, Baldwin Locomotive Works and New York Ship Building Company were visited. All of these concerns are of great size and a thorough inspection was made. The R. D. Woods establishment in Camden and the Link Belt Engineering Company of Nicetown were also taken in. While the party was in Philadelphia, the North American Building was visited just at the time when the morning edition of that paper went to press.

On the way over to New York, the party stopped off at Trenton in time to pass through the shops of the Roebling Cable Company, and the De Lavell Steam Turbine Works. While in New York the Central Power Plant Station, one of the German Line steamships, and the New York Tunnels were visited. A number of the Seniors went to the Brooklyn Navy Yard and the whole party after inspecting the Brooklyn Eagle Printing establishment was given a dinner by the company.

Philadelphia and New York present many places of amusement and the evenings generally found the Mechanicals "doing" the theaters. Enjoyment was thus linked with instruction and helped to pass away the evenings.

Governor Pennypacker has appointed Marlin E. Olmstead of Harrisburg a member of the Board of Trustees of the College. New England Alumni Dinner. The following account of the dinner of the New England Alumni Association held during the early part of December, 1906, was received too late for insertion in the preceding issue. We do not hesitate, however, to insert it at this late date, as it manifests the interest and pride taken in their Alma Mater by those who have left the halls of this institution.

The "State spirit" and enthusiasm were manifest again in "Boston Town" at the Fall Dinner of the New England Alumni Association.

In the shadow of the Old State House with the cuisine of the Quincy at its best, there assembled on Saturday evening, December 1st, a loyal crowd of State alumni. "Good Cheer" was the pass word and with the "Reminiscences of the Olden Days" by C. M. Green, stories of "Early Athletic Struggles" by C. H. Hile and Wm. P. Rothrock, "Present Athletes" by C. M Kaiser, "Artillery Practice for the Young Idea" by Geo. C. Shaad, and a talk on "Present Conditions" by Dr. Walker, there was much of interest to those who have gone out from the shadow of "Old Main."

Also the happy smile of our esteemed president, B. J. Bowen, who has recently become a benedict, was much in evidence; and another toast was given "to the growing popularity of the State men with the 'fairer sex' of New England." Mr. Bowen replied in a few well-chosen remarks sparkling with his characteristic wit.

At a business meeting held after the dinner it was voted that the New England Alumni Association extend to the football team, and its associates, their great appreciation of the admirable work done during the past season.

Those present at the dinner were: Dr. W. H. Walker, '90, A. M. Green, '91, C. H. Hile, '92, E. W. Bush, '92, Robt. Mathews, '95, B. J. Bowen, '96, J. R. Maddock, '02. J. C. Clendenin, '03, Geo. C Shaad, '00, J. H. Yarnell, '05, B. C. Butler, '05, R. L. Kreidler, '05. W. E. Kaiser, '05, Wm. P. Roth rock, '93, E. R. Bitler, ex-'07.

Longest College Baseball Trip.

The following item was clipped recently from the Philadelphia North American.

"Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 31—A special from Stanford University says that Captain Presley of the Varsity baseball team has received notice from Manager Iso Abe of Waseda University, Japan, accepting the challenge of Stanford to an international base ball contest to be played in Tokio, Japan, some time in May. The Japanese team played Stanford's nine last year in California, the Americans winning."

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