The regular meeting of the F. Σ. Τ. was held at the Parker House, Friday evening, Feb. 1. Mr. C. H. Bartlett, '85, was initiated, after which the meeting was adjourned for dinner.

'86 leads off in the discussion of class suppers. They evidently want to have it over, so as to have plenty of time to recover from its effects. The Freshmen are talking of forming a Greek-letter society.

It is said that the Freshman class will not give a class supper this year. Better give an afternoon tea.

Prof. Osborne's notes on differential calculus have been printed and supplied to the Sophomores, proving a great convenience.

The Faculty have granted the Tech the use of room 18, Rogers Building, for an office, where we shall be glad to receive our friends in the course of one or two weeks.

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The Gymnasium committee are doing good work in improving the gymnasium. A set of vertical bars, parallel bars, and several pairs of boxing gloves have been added to the apparatus. The addition of hot water in the bath-room was made at the suggestion of the committee.

Prof. Wells's new Trigonometry is used by the first-year class.

A new and large bulletin board has been placed in the entrance hall of Rogers Building, for an office, where we shall be glad to receive our friends in the course of one or two weeks.

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The Rogers Memorial Tablet, through the action of the committee, approved by President Walker, was during the vacation removed across the hall, where the light on the face is much better. We regret to note that Mr. Bartlett, the sculptor, is very ill, and was consequently unable personally to superintend the transfer of the Tablet.

A serious fire was narrowly averted at the Institute last week. At about eight o'clock in the morning of Wednesday, the 6th, the janitor discovered smoke arising from the floor of the fourth story of Rogers Building. A little water extinguished the fire. No damage except the charring of some timbers was done. The fire had evidently been smouldering for some time, and had there been more draught the damage would have been more serious. The cause of the fire is unknown.