Have you commenced to study for the annuals?

Mr. David Rice, '86, has left the Institute and gone South.

It is rumored that Prof. Atkinson has evolved an original joke on Turkey.

The Glee Club is rehearsing for its next concert, which will take place May 5.

Prof. Atkinson recently gave his Sophomore classes a synopsis of the Eastern question.

A Soph says that optics dazed him completely, but that electricity is what makes the hair rise!

All the Senior mechanicals put in an appearance at the Senior Ball, for whole or part of the evening.

President Walker, accompanied by his daughter, is to sail for Europe, May 9, to take a short vacation.

Why cannot the New Building be provided with a supply-room? It would be a great convenience to the students there.

The Base Ball nine this year is neatly uniformed in white suits and red stockings, together with red and white striped sweaters.

An afternoon party occurs at the English High School drill hall to-morrow (Friday). Techs are invited. Tickets fifty cents.

From appearances at the Senior Ball we should say that it was fashionable for low-necked dresses to become still low-nakeder. (Positively anonymous.)

The third-year Miners were invited to tea at Mrs. Prof. Richards', on Tuesday, April 14. A very enjoyable evening was passed by all who were present.

The Hammer and Tongs held their monthly dinner at Young's on Saturday.

"You see our charge is becoming dissipated," said the lecturer in electricity; and a very sleepy looking Soph, who had just come in twenty minutes late, started up and glared at him.

Thursday, April 9, Prof. Lanza gave a reception at his house to the third-year Miners and Mechanicals. A very pleasant evening was enjoyed by all, and upon leaving, a hearty cheer was given for Prof. Lanza.

Mr. Thomas Doane lectured to the third and fourth year Civils, Thursday, April 16, on the alignement of the Hoosac Tunnel, describing the methods employed in transferring the line from above to below the ground.

The Freshman battalion gave an exhibition drill at the Soldiers' Home Carnival, Saturday, April 11, which seemed to be highly appreciated by the visitors. The young ladies attending to the booths were especially struck by their appearance, and gave special rates to students.

Examinations for entrance to the Institute will be held June 4 and 5, in the following cities: Boston, New York, Philadelphia, Chicago, St. Louis, Cincinnati, San Francisco, New Orleans, Washington, Nashville, St Paul, Atlanta, and Denver. For further information address the Secretary of the Institute.

The Portfolio Club met at Young's Hotel on the 8th inst. After the business meeting, during which officers for the club supper, to occur in May, were elected, the members listened to interesting papers by Messrs. Howard and Atkinson, and vocal music by Mr. Wakefield. The remainder of the evening was spent in a social manner.

An anxious Soph wants to know if all that electricity which the professor wipes off of his instruments at every lecture remains on his person, and if it is at all likely to pass into the examination papers and make them "attractive." No, we think more probably it would cause them to "positively electrify" the examiner, and "negatively electrify" his folks; that is, when the CPF's come in.