ORGANIC LABORATORY.—Enter student, with camera: "Is there any objection to my taking the laboratory?"

Preoccupied instructor: "No; but be sure and give me an order for it."

Professor to Jones (who has just computed on the blackboard the head of water necessary to drive a certain turbine): "Seems to me, Mr. Jones, you have a remarkably large head."

FACT vs. THEORY.—Scene: Freshman in laboratory, during explanatory lecture.

Instructor: "What is produced when sulphur is burned in the air, Mr. Luffy?"

Mr. Luffy (with the assurance of absolute knowledge): "A very bad smell, sir."

A general explosion followed.

Instructor in photography, examining negatives: "Seems to me that in getting a good view of Trinity you have made the Brunswick look rather too full."

Junior, absent-mindedly: "That's because last night the Brunswick made us—I mean the camera slipped."

Robert H. Richards, '68. Recently elected President of the American Institute of Mining Engineers.

H. M. Howe, '72. Elected to Board of Managers of American Institute of Mining Engineers.

Mr. Howe is at present in the West, collecting data from a work on "American Steel Manufacture," which is to be published in the columns of The Engineering and Mining Journal. The latter paper speaks of him as being "universally recognized as probably the most competent engineer in America for the special work in question."

John R. Freeman, '76, late principal-assistant engineer Essex Water-power Company, has accepted the position of Inspector for Boston Manufacturers Mutual Fire Insurance Company.

W. A. Chapman, '85. Proprietor of a hotel and skating-rink, Galveston, Texas.

A. D. Little, '85, formerly editor-in-chief of The Tech, Chemist with Chas. S. Wheelwright, manufacturer of wood-pulp, Providence, R. I.

O. T. Stantial, '85, assistant chemist with Lehigh Zinc Works, Bethlehem, Penn.

W. H. Ellis, Jr., '86, student in chemistry at Heidelberg, Germany.

Geo. W. Paterson, '87, was one of the two gentlemen who, at Chautauqua, in the summer of 1880, saved from drowning Miss Mina Miller, recently married to Thomas A. Edison, the electrician.