HE more thoroughly we become "acquainted" with the Corporation and Faculty, just so much better do we realize their constant anticipation of our needs and desires. Of course they are greatly handicapped in these measures by many circumstances, but still they continue endeavoring to increase our facilities and comforts. This is evident from an interview with President Walker relative to the action of our Institute Committee concerning a combined reading and trophy room. It seems the Corporation has often discussed the advisability of maintaining a complete reading room for the students, and perhaps keeping it open evenings, but the only obstacle at present is lack of necessary space. The recitation rooms are even now over used, and not one can be given up. The combination suggested met with the President's approval, and he says that we shall have adequate accommodations of that nature just as soon as more room is forthcoming. Another building is already contemplated, and may materialize in the near future. Then may we trust that the Corporation and Faculty will fulfill our desires.

HEREAFTER there should be no opposition to payment of gymnasium dues, inasmuch as there has been a decided change in the management of the funds through the kind efforts of Lieutenant Hawthorne. Formerly all dues paid for lockers have gone into the general Institute fund, but now this money will be kept by itself, and used solely for the gymnasium apparatus and equipments, which are at present so very much needed.

IN the Boston Journal of March 22d we were pleased to notice an account of the financial condition of the Institute. There is at the present day no institution more worthy of endowment, and yet the rich seem to grow richer, and the poor poorer. Technology's alumni are not very old now, so there must come a day when she will be wealthy.

THE concert to be given Saturday evening by the Technology Glee and Banjo Clubs promises to be an unprecedented success. We have this year clubs that are well worth our heartiest support, and so urge all who can to attend. Thus may personal enjoyment be combined with encouragement of good organizations.