English Language on subjects proposed by a committee appointed by the council. Further particulars may be secured by applying at Prof. Sedgwick’s office.

A meeting of the Executive Council of the Tennis Association was held last Wednesday. Fifty dollars was appropriated for laying out courts, and the Executive Committee was directed to begin work as soon after March 17th as possible. The courts will be two in number, and will be open only to members of the Association.

Professor Sedgwick’s course in Sanitary Science is immensely popular. It is not of such a technical nature but that a student unprepared in Chemistry and Biology can comprehend what is being talked of, yet is of greater value to one who has closely watched the actions of Bacteria and understands the process of fermentation.

The withdrawal from the Institute of Mr. Geo. Munroe has led to several changes in the Banjo Club, of which he was leader. Mr. Lawrence Addicks, ’99, is now in charge, and Messrs. Jameson, ’96, Guitar, and Burdick, ’99, Banjeaurine, have recently been admitted. A medley and several other productions are being arranged, and the Club is practicing constantly. More guitars are greatly needed.

Professor Homer has, in his course in Architectural History, devised a plan for taking notes and making sketches during the lectures which somewhat puzzles his class. The views left from the stereopticon are left on the screen for less than two minutes, and it is expected that they will be sketched, while notes upon the lecture are also taken. All this must be done in a darkened room.

The following officers of the United States Army will act as Judges at the intercollegiate drill next May: Captain W. E. Wilder, 4th Cavalry, Adjutant of the Military Academy, West Point; First Lieutenant E. St. J. Greble, 2d Artillery, Regimental Adjutant; First Lieutenant H. C. Hodges, 22d Infantry, Professor of Military Science and Tactics at the New Hampshire College of Agriculture.

Three important books on the Bacteriology of Dairying have been received by the Biological Library. Few who have not studied the subject realize the strides which Industrial Bacteriology has made during the last few years. Many of the vital processes in Tanning, Dairying, and Food preserving are dependent upon this science; perhaps, the latest development is an attempt to impart the flavor of June butter (due to bacterial action) to that made in winter.

The architectural department is fortunate in being again the recipient of costly gifts from Mrs. Draper. They consist of very large photographs framed in oak of the Cathedrals at Exeter, Toledo, Cordova, the mosque of St. Sophia and the Chateau at Pavia. These now grace the walls of the architectural library. She has also presented a set of very valuable books relating to antique monuments. Mr. Gaffield has presented six volumes relating to the ruins of Pompeii and Herculaneum.

The lectures in aid of the French and German societies will be given in Room 11, Rogers, at 8 p.m. on March 24th, 27th and 31st, and April 3d. The first lecture will be in French by Professor Van Daell on “Le Misanthrope de Molière.” The second will be in German, by Professor Dippold on “Richard Wagner’s Ring des Nibelungen.” The last two lectures will be in English, by Mr. Blachstein, on “Emperor William I. as a man,” and by Professor Vogel on “Goethe’s Hermann und Dorothea, and Longfellow’s Evangeline and The Courtship of Miles Standish.”

On the invitation of Captain Bigelow, Major Reilly, the Commandant of the Watertown Arsenal, recently delivered a lecture to the Freshman Class on “The Manufacture of Gun Carriages for Heavy Guns.” He paid a high