F. D. Chase, 1900, from Evanston, Ill., has won many prizes in bicycling, and is a very fast rider.

Last year's victorious relay team has returned to the Institute entire this year. It should win some indoor races this fall.

Morton, 1900, who graduated from Exeter in '95, is a crack rope climber, and Oppenheimer, also from that school, plays good football.

H. Cummings, Jr., our champion mile runner, and captain of the '96 varsity Track team, has returned to the Institute for a P. G., and will incidentally add five more points to our score at Worcester next spring.

Captain Grosvenor has announced that the Fall Meet of the Athletic Club will be a handicap meet. This gives new men a fine chance, and was adopted in order to bring them out. The Meet takes place on the 24th of this month.

Ninety-nine Football team met October 1st, and elected K. M. Blake captain. Three games are already scheduled for the team,—Brookline High, October 17th, Medford High, October 24th, and Needham A. A., October 31st. Games are much desired for November.


Some of our men are at present interested in forming a fencing class, under Mr. Boos, and need a few more to make a sufficient number. The initial outfit costs about $4.50, and the fees will be $3 per month for two lessons (evening) per week. Mr. Boos has reduced charges to this merely nominal fee on account of his own intense interest. The exercise is one of the most beneficial, though it has ceased to be as prevalent as was necessary in old duelling times. It trains equally the eye and hand, and every muscle of the body is brought into constant play. Besides this individual muscular benefit a man gets with proficiency in this noble art an easy grace and muscular self-command that would otherwise in many cases be hard to acquire.

In response to a request we publish the following summary of the spring games of the M. I. T. A. C. last May: 100-yard dash, 1st, Grosvenor, '98, 2d, Gray, '97, time, 10 2-5 sec.; 220-yard dash, 1st, Grosvenor, '98, 2d, Pugh, '97, time, 24 1-5 sec.; 440-yard dash, 1st, Stebbins, '97, 2d, West, '99, time, 56 sec.; 880-yard run, 1st, Stebbins, '97, 2d, Lathrop, '99, time, 2 m. 8 sec.; 1-mile run, 1st, Hooker, '97, 2d, Campbell, '99, time, 5 m. 2 sec.; 2-mile run, 1st, Osgood, '97, 2d, Rumery, '98, time, 11 m. 53 sec.; 120-yard hurdle, 1st, Ferguson, '99, 2d, Rumery, '98, time, 17 3-5 sec.; running high jump, 1st, Butcher, '98, 2d, Ferguson, '99, height, 5 ft. 4 in.; running broad jump, 1st, Butcher, '98, 2d, Kimball, '99, distance, 20 ft. 8 in.; pole vault, 1st, Butcher, '98, 2d, Kimball, '99, height, 9 ft. 2 in.; putting 16-pound shot, 1st, Jones, '98, 2d, Kimball, '99, distance, 35 ft. 1 in.; throwing 16-pound hammer, 1st, Jones, '98, 2d, Lootz, '96, distance, 82 ft. 11 in. The Class of '98 won the championship for the year with nearly one hundred points.

TO THE CLASS OF '00.

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Blessed with the cipherous name!
Under the shade of our classic trees
We are dumb glad you've came.
—Harvard Lampoon.