The Freshman Class took its first exam. in Chemistry last Thursday. No flowers.

Mr. Merrich, who has had a bad attack of eczema, will probably return to the shop very soon.

Mr. Bradley Stoughton, '96, is experimenting for Professor Richards on methods of separating ores by a table.

At the last meeting of the Biological Journal Club, Professor Sedgwick spoke upon "Typhoid Fever Germs."

The date of Professor Burton's smoke talk at the Technology Club has been changed from Saturday, November 7th, to Friday, November 6th.

Runkle's Analytic Geometry, which has been used in the Freshman year, is to be discarded this year in favor of a newer book by Bailey and Osborne.

No man can receive degrees in two different courses this year unless he put in a special application as a candidate for both degrees before November 1st.

Two bicycles have been stolen from in front of Rogers this fall. Tech. men should take warning, and never leave their machines without locking them.

The steps leading down to the "Gym." have received some much-needed repairs, new steps having been put in where the old ones were badly worn.

A "trap-shooting" club has recently been formed at Tech., and is already flourishing. It owns a set of traps, and has secured the use of grounds outside the city.

A competitive examination for the selection of corporals of the 1900 battalion will take place in the Armory, December 2d. The drill will only last till 2:30 on this day.

By the kindness of Professor Schwamb, a special course in Piping and in Chipping and Filing has been arranged for Fourth-year men of Course XI. This went into effect last week.

The new strip of brick sidewalk in the alley at the Engineering Building serves as a contrast between what is and what should be the condition of the walking in the rest of the alley.

Election returns were announced in the Technology Clubhouse on the evening of Tuesday, November 3d. Special arrangements were made for the prompt delivery of returns by telephone.

Professor Cr--s, having difficulty in reading the new roll: "Now here is an N, and the next letter might be an e, or an i, or—almost anything." Looking about the room expectantly, "Does any gentleman recognize his name?"

Mr. Stanshall, of the Corcoran Chemical Company of Everett, lectured to the Industrial Chemistry division last Monday on the Manufacture of Sulphuric Acid. His lectures were supplemented by numerous designs and stereopticon views.

The members of the M. I. T. Y. M. C. A., who live at the new Student House on Massachusetts Avenue, gave a reception last week to those of the Association who are non-resident at the House. About forty men were present, representing all the classes of the Institute.

The following men compose the 'varsity Football team, and are ineligible to play in the class game: Heckle, Osgood, Nesmith, Le Baron, Mansfield, Schmidt, McCormick, Emery, Ulmer, Sanchez, Wilder, Underwood, Fairbanks, Springer, Hopkins, McConnell, Walther, Nolte.