A course in glacial geology is in preparation and will be offered next term. This is to include a number of field excursions to the most interesting regions of glacial phenomena in this vicinity, one of which will probably be a two days' trip to Cape Cod. The course is one much needed by men engaged in surveying and engineering work as well as by those who confine themselves strictly to geological research.

The afternoon and evening performances of "The Midsummer Night's Dream," on Monday, January 4th, at the Bijou, were crowned with well earned success. These were given by the Class of '95 of Smith. The aim has been to give a well rounded completeness to the production and a unity to the several elements of the play. The proceeds of the performance, which was an eminently profitable one, are to be given to the college.

The mentions for the problem in Junior Design, Course IV., have been made. The problem was an entrance and plan for a school of Technology. The Junior mentions are as follows: First mentions: 1st, Miss Ryon; 2d, B. F. W. Russell; 3d, A. S. Keene; 4th, G. P. Stevens. Second mentions: 1st, H. P. Richmond; 2d, G. E. Mathews; 3d, T. O. Schroeder. Third mentions: W. W. Stevens; Heathman E. Coombs.

At a meeting of L'Avenir last Friday a profit of about fifty dollars on the recent performance was announced. A committee was appointed to see the creditors of the society and attempt a settlement. Mr. G. L. Smith offered his resignation as President of the Society on account of leaving the Institute, and Mr. Winslow was elected to that office. Mr. Cottle was chosen Secretary in Mr. Winslow's place. Votes of thanks to Mr. Bernard and to Mr. Pierce, custodian of Huntington Hall, were passed and a programme committee of Messrs. Mason, Chapin, and Cottle was appointed.

The fourth Hare and Hound chase was held by the M. I. T. Hare and Hound Club at Arlington Heights. The roads, and country in general, were in a very soft condition, but the run was a great success, and the men felt well repaid for the effort.

It is hoped that a large number of Tech. athletes will enter the B. A. A. Games on the 6th of February. Besides the usual events there will be a special invitation scratch 40-yard dash, in which Wefers, Grosvenor, Bigelow, Clark, and Roche have been asked to enter. A number of team races will be run; besides the Tech.-Brown race there will be Harvard-Pennsylvania, Yale-Princeton, Amherst-Williams, Georgetown-Holy Cross, and B. A. A.-Knickerbocker A. A. races.

The Amateur Athletic Union has just passed a very important rule, which requires that after March 1, 1897, every athlete who wishes to compete in open games sanctioned by the Union shall be registered, and shall receive a number. The fee for registration is one dollar, and is to be paid yearly in advance. Moreover, in order that an athlete shall keep his number, he must compete at least once in some open contest during the year. After March 1st all entries must be accompanied by the athlete's registered number. The rule, however, does not apply to closed games.