All exercises at the Institute will be suspended Saturday.

An examination for students desiring excuse from drill on grounds of previous experience, and also for the selection of officers for the Freshman Battalion, was held on Saturday, October 7. Candidates reported at the Armory yesterday.

At a meeting of the Class of 1902 on Oct. 4, a motion to challenge the Class of 1903 for the Cane Rush was passed. The class election will take place on Oct. 13th. The treasurer's report, showing a balance of fifty dollars on hand, was read and accepted. President Lombard has appointed Messrs. A. W. Allyn, C. A. Sawyer and H. H. Saylor a committee to arrange for the Cane Rush.

The following are the nominations for the Officers of the Class of 1902: President, H. O. Bosworth, A. E. Lombard; First Vice-President, C. H. Boardman, C. A. Sawyer; Second Vice-President, D. D. Field, J. L. Taylor; Secretary, P. E. Chalifoux, C. W. Kellogg, Jr.; Treasurer, C. P. Tolman, K. E. Stow; Directors, P. Hansen, F. C. Fruit; Institute Committee, I. R. Adams, E. W. Hadcock, R. Proctor, Jr., H. H. Saylor.

The largest class that has ever entered the Institute held its first meeting in Huntington Hall on October fourth. N. L. Danforth, President, 1901, called the meeting according to the usual custom. Mr. Miller and Mr. R. P. Marsh were elected temporary secretary and chairman respectively. A committee of six, including President Danforth, was elected to draw up a constitution, and also a committee of five to arrange for the first election. The Parliamentary proceedings were a trifle crude, but the meeting passed off very smoothly in spite of the presence of several Sophomores.

**Technology Calendar.**

*Thursday, Oct. 12* — Society of Arts, 8 p.m. Paper by Mr. J. L. Woodbridge Stevens, '86, on "Some Practical Applications of the Storage Battery."

*Thursday, Oct. 12* — The Electrical Engineering Society, 8 p.m., 23 Walker.

*Friday, Oct. 13* — Class of 1902, 6 p.m., 42 Pierce.

*Friday, Oct. 13* — Class of 1902, 8.30 a.m.—4.30 p.m., Election of officers.


**Communications.**

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**To THE EDITORS OF THE TECH:**

All men desiring to try for the Track Team will report at the gymnasium immediately. The Fall Meet will be held Saturday, October the twenty-first. This is a handicap meet and all men have a fair chance of winning a first. It is especially desired that a large number of Freshmen report, as new material is needed. Men will be found at the "Gym" each day at four o'clock to direct the candidates for the different events.

F. K. Baxter, (Capt.)

**To THE EDITORS OF THE TECH:**

The Class of 1901 will hold a meeting in Huntington Hall at one o'clock on Friday, October 13, to provide for the election of class officers.

William Whipple, Sec. 1901.

Little Mabel (visiting New England for the first time) — But, mamma, why do all the trees here wear garters?

— Lampoon.