Copies of Technique, 1900, are now on sale at A. D. Maclachlan's.

The Architectural Society French Dinner will be held on Thursday, Nov. 2nd.

A meeting of the Mechanical Engineering Society is to be held soon. Members of Courses II, X, and XIII should watch bulletin boards.

Brackley A. Shaw, ex-1900, IX, has returned from Canada, taking an adventurous trip to Denver, Colorado, on the way. He is attending a business college in Boston.

About ten per cent. of the Senior Class is already engaged in the active preparation for their thesis, and of the remainder only a small minority have not yet definitely settled upon their subjects.

The Walker Club held its second meeting of the year last Wednesday and elected W. W. Dow manager of the play. The decision as to the object of the proceeds has been indefinitely postponed.

There will be a meeting of the Andover Club Friday, Nov. 3, 1899, in Room II at 10 o'clock. All men who have in any way been connected with Philips Andover Academy are urged to attend this meeting, as the election of officers and program for the coming school year will be acted upon.

The 529th regular meeting of the Society of Arts was held at the Institute on Thursday evening, October 26. Mr. H. C. Spaulding, '87, read a paper on "Visual Signals," illustrated by stereopticon. A new day distance signal of Mr. Spaulding's invention, the "Telegnophone," was seen in operation and proved of great interest to those present.

On Friday evening, November 3d, at eight o'clock, there will be held at the Technology Club the first "smoke talk" of the season. Mr. Howard A. Carson, '69, will give a talk on "Some Things Seen by an Engineer During an Excursion in Egypt," illustrated by the stereopticon. It is hoped to continue the "smoke talks" at intervals of two weeks throughout the winter.

The following are the nominations for the Senior Class officers: President, C. M. Leonard; P. R. Ziegler; First Vice-President, W. A. Dorey; Second Vice-President, F. D. Chase; Secretary, L. L. Cayvan, S. C. Sears; Treasurer, J. H. Batcheller; Directors, G. E. Russell; Institute Committee, R. H. Clary, H. D. Jouett, P. E. True. The election will be held on Friday, Nov. 3.

At the last meeting of the 1901 Technique Board, held Thursday, Oct. 26, at one o'clock, W. T. Aldrich was elected to the position of Artistic Editor. So many applications were made for the office of Associate Editor of Technique that no ballot was decisive. The final election will be held at the next meeting. Also, a new member is to be elected to fill Mr. Aldrich's place on the Artistic Staff.

The fact that the Navy Department has decided to discontinue its course in Naval Architecture puts an end to the possibility that the Class at Annapolis would be sent to the Institute to take the course given here in Naval Architecture. At the time the course at Annapolis was given up the men then in the class were sent to study abroad. When they return the number (40) of constructors allowed in the U. S. Navy under the new personnel bill will be filled out. As the present constructors are all comparatively young men there will apparently be no need for more men in this branch of the service for some years to come.