Wives of St. Ives." R. L. Kruse, '03, was given a vote of thanks for his services with the guitar, he having taken the place of one of the members of the Class who was ill. In response to a call for a speech he thanked the Class for its courtesy and drank a glass of milk, which some Soph. had kindly given him, to the health of 1902. After the assigned toasts Mr. Simpson called on Messrs. Kellogg and Lombard, after which followed the usual lot of stories from the other members of the Class.

It was voted to send an account of the dinner to H. E. Stillings in the Philippines and three cheers were given for Capt. Boardman, after which the regular Tech. yell and the class yell were given, and Naughty-Two's Sophomore Dinner had been a great success.


**Calendar.**

*Thursday, March 15.* 4.10 p.m. — M. I. T. Y. M. C. A., Room 11, Rogers. 1901 Class Dinner, Thorndike, 7 p.m.

*Friday, March 16.* 7 p.m. — 1903 Class Dinner at Young's. Concert by Musical Clubs at Dorchester. Lecture by F. H. Watts on Photographic Surveying before the Civil Engineering Society. 42 Pierce Building, 4.15 p.m. Meeting of the Andover Club, Room 11, Rogers Building, 1 p.m.

*Saturday, March 17.* — Hare and Hounds Run, Newton Center. Leave Columbus Ave. Station at 1.50 p.m.

*Monday, March 19.* 1 p.m. — Tech Board meeting at Tech Office. Meeting of the Football Association, Room 11, Rogers Building, 1 p.m.

*Thursday, March 22.* — Concert at Boston Y. M. C. A.

**Historic Pieces.**

During the past year there have been placed on the walls of the general library two portraits, both of men who have in the past been intimately connected with the Institute. Although they have been in our possession for several years, it was only recently that the authorities decided to put them in a place more conspicuous and better suited to those who had helped to make Technology what it is to-day. One of these, with the Rogers Building in the background, is a painting of Dr. William Johnson Walker, the first large benefactor of the Institute. He graduated from Harvard University in 1810, and from the Harvard Medical School in 1813. By his generous gifts to the Institute in its early days, he practically preserved its existence. He contributed liberally to its needs because he was in sympathy with its general purposes, and believed in its power to do future good. He always expressed a sincere hope that subsequent donations might be as unrestricted as were his own.

The other portrait is of Mr. Richard Perkins, also a large benefactor of the Institute. He left it the sum of $100,000, one half to be used for scholarships and the other half to be devoted to general purposes. His portrait was painted by order of his widow, at the same time as that of President Francis A. Walker, which now hangs in the president's office.

Directly opposite the door of the library is a magnificent bust, which has also been placed there during the present school year. The bust was made by the well-known sculptor, Mr. Henry Dexter. It is the head of Mr. Albion K. P. Welch of Philadelphia, who some years ago left a large sum to the Institute. Shortly after the death of Mr. Welch his wife also died, and, as there were no heirs, the executors of the estate decided to give the bust to the Institute.