Sophomore Class Dinner.

The Class Dinner of the Sophomores, held at the Gymnasium last 'Saturday evening, was a most decided success in every way. Nearly half the class was present, and those who were not missed what was undoubtedly one of the most enjoyable student gatherings of the year. The guests of the evening were Professors Burton, Wendell and Clifford.

After the "inner man" had been bountifully provided for, and F. A. Pirie had rendered a few lively pieces of music at the piano, C. L. Homer, toastmaster of the evening, offered the following toast to the Class of '04:

"Here's to the Class of '04;
May she do as others have done before:
Have her fun when her work is done,
And reach success when her course is run."

He then introduced the first speaker of the evening, Professor Burton, who was most enthusiastically received. Professor Burton's theme was "Vitality," and he spoke in an interesting and inspiring way of the enthusiasm, energy, hopefulness and courage of American engineers, and the achievements which those qualities made possible.

President Burnham then followed with a few remarks on "Class Affairs" and the social duties of students.

P. M. Smith was introduced, and made a few earnest, pointed remarks on Technique, giving a short history of the publication, and urging united efforts of the class in Technique matters. He closed by proposing a toast to Technique, '04.

The next speaker was Dr. Wendell, who, in spite of an almost embarrassingly enthusiastic welcome, spoke entertainingly in his well-known, straightforward manner of the "History of the Institute."

Following the suggestion of the toastmaster, the class gathered around Mr. Pirie at the piano, and sang a few of the well-known songs. A. J. Sweet then spoke on "Athletics," and M. L. Emerson on the "Tech Show."

Professor Clifford when introduced, recognized in the ability of the class to applaud an explanation of certain phenomena he had heard over his head in the Walker Building on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. Professor Clifford emphasized particularly the value of "College Friendships," as being among the best things of a student's life.

G. W. Eastman announced that as a result of a movement to complete the Booker Washington Fund by contributions from members of the Class of 1904, the necessary amount had been nearly, but not quite, subscribed. The amount was easily completed by those present.

E. G. Ovington was called on, and entertained the class with a few sleight-of-hand performances, after which "América" and "Auld Lang Syne" were sung, and with mutual congratulations on the success of the evening, the gathering broke up.

1905 Class Meeting.

At a meeting of the Freshman Class held Tuesday, April 15, it was decided to accept the offer of the Union Boat Club to help the class support a crew. A. C. Lord was elected manager. The class then elected S. S. Steven manager of next year's Football Team; A. J. Amberg, manager of Tug-of-War and F. B. Riley, manager of the Relay Team.

Calendar.

Thursday, April 17.—Freshman Class Dinner at the Gym.
Tuesday, April 22.—Tech Show Dress Rehearsal, Hollis Street Theatre, 2 P.M. Spring Concert and Dance, Paul Revere Hall, 7:45 P.M.
Wednesday, April 23—12:30 P.M. Junior Week Tech.

Technique comes out on Thursday, the 24th, at 12 Noon. Be on hand in Rogers Corridor for the rush. No cash will be received in exchange for books. Buy a ticket at once. Price, $1.50.