STUDENT DINNERS.

W e are more than pleased to note the success of the informal Student Dinners Saturday nights at the Tech Union. Undertaken but a few weeks ago as an experiment, they have rapidly grown to be the most popular of the student gatherings, so it is a pleasure to announce they have become a permanent feature of Tech student life. And these dinners well deserve their popularity, for there is no other affair which brings out more genial good-fellowship and wholesome, rollicking fun.

Track Athletics.

Regular indoor track work started Dec. 30, under Coach Mahan. There is an unusual number of men out for the Annual Indoor Meet, as already over one hundred and eighty entries are in, and at least two hundred are expected to take part in the games. For this meet, which is to be held at the Gym at 7.30 P.M. Friday, Jan. 16, a new order of events has been arranged. Events are to be as follows: 40-yard dash, 35-yard low hurdles, high jump, pole vault, 16-pound shot, potato race and military relay race between '03 and '04, '05 and '06. In the relay race the winning teams in the first races will run off a second for the Class Championship and a handsome silver cup which has been presented. The other prizes will be gold, silver and bronze medals. This is the first time gold medals have been given. "The ATA is granted to men who win a first place in a class or open meet, or two second places in the same class or open meet," and numerals will be granted to all men making points. The Tech Musical Clubs will give a concert. President and Mrs. Pritchett, many of the faculty and some prominent alumni will be present. Arrangements have been made to have seats for three hundred. One-half will be reserved at 50 cents. Admission will be 25 cents.

There is every chance for a fast meet on the evening of the 16th. Captain Curtis and Emerson, '05, are doing good work in the high jump and pole vault. There is also some good material for both these events in the Freshman class. For the hurdles ex-Captain Baker, Haynes, '04, Needham, '04, and Emerson, '05, stand the best show of winning places. The potato race is for middle-distance men. It will cover 490 yards. Men doing good work for this event are Riley, '05, Lorentz, '05, Burke, '05, Ysuruta, '05, and Wilson, '06. Winchester, '03, and Morrill, '05, should make good records in the shot-put.

Many of the men entered in this meet will take part in the B. A. A. Meet of Feb. 14. H. S. Baker has been doing light work every day. If he enters the B. A. A. Meet he will without doubt be scratch man in the 1,000 yards and mile, as last year he was the fastest college man in the country. It is hoped that Mr. Baker, who is the only man from last year's relay race, will accept the captaincy this year.

A relay team could do great things with such men as Baker, '03, Pember, '02, Nichols, '05, and Wilson, '06. If Tech should send these men to the Inter-collegiate Meet at Madison Square Garden, New York City, Feb. 21, we would stand more than a good show of winning the 2-mile relay for New England colleges.

Coach Mahan assures us that by arranging for only finals in races which have largest entry lists, the games of the 16th can be run off in two hours and a half. It should be an evening of real enjoyment, and everyone should come out and cheer this beginning of next spring's Tech Track Team.

Senior Class Watch.

The Class of '03 conformed with the usual custom of the Senior Class of watching the new year in, and, incidentally, the old year out. About fifty from the class passed the