At a recent meeting of the Chicago Club, Mr. Harahan was chosen to succeed Mr. Grey on the Executive Committee, as Mr. Grey is not back this year. The first dinner will be held November 14th.

Mr. H. W. Ballou, of Course I., '97, has returned to school once more. Mr. Ballou suffered from a severe illness during the latter part of the summer, and has just regained sufficient strength to resume work at the Institute.

At a meeting of the Cincinnati Club held Tuesday, October 20th, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, E. R. Motch, '97; Vice President, J. T. Lippincott, '98; Secretary and Treasurer, W. H. Lee, '98.


The new Rotch prizes were awarded for the first time this year. They consist of two awards, each being the income of $5,000, for the graduate and the special student holding the best record. Miss Esther Stone, '96, and Mr. Russell W. Porter are the recipients of the prizes.

The membership of the M. I. T. Sextette is as follows: 1st violin, S. W. Hussey, 1900; 1st violin, S. A. Neidich, '98, Leader; 2d violin, W. A. Cleaveland, '98, Manager; viola, F. B. Stearns, '99. There are several applicants to play 'cello. No selections have been made as yet.

The following officers of the Senior Class were elected last week: President, Wilfred Bancroft; First Vice President, F. H. Le Baron; Second Vice President, G. H. McCarthy; Secretary, J. A. Collins, Jr.; Treasurer, E. M. Hawkins; Executive Committee, A. C. Lamb and T. R. Weymouth.

The new officers of '98 are as follows: President, G. R. Wadsworth; First Vice President, A. W. Grosvenor; Second Vice President, J. Nolte; Treasurer, D. Mayer; Secretary, H. I. Lord; Executive Committee, L. Alland and H. W. Jones; Institute Committee, G. A. Hutchinson and R. S. Willis.

The Class of '99 held its first meeting for the present year last Friday. Messrs. West and Burch were elected Captain and Manager respectively of the Track team. A committee, consisting of Messrs. Copp, Blake, and Corse, was appointed to consult with a similar committee from 1900 in regard to the holding of the cane rush and football game.

We are glad to see that the spirit of progression has taken possession of the gymnasium classes this fall. Although it has been usual each year for Instructor Boos to start, in a fair-sized class on the chest weights, this year it is larger than ever before, and the men are taking an interest in general "Gym." work, from which they will undoubtedly reap much benefit.

On the evening of Saturday, November 7th, the Technology Club is to hold its next meeting. Prof. A. E. Burton is to give a Smoke Talk on his "Experiences with Lieutenant Peary in the Far North." Professor Burton while on this trip collected many rare specimens in the way of clothes, canoe models, etc., which will be of great interest, and will aptly illustrate his talk.

On Wednesday and Thursday of last week, sections of Course I., '97, students in "Hydraulics," took trips to Lowell, where they measured the discharge of two of the flumes.