Review of the Mining Summer School.

A meeting of the Mining Engineering Society was held Wednesday, October 26, in Room 2, Rogers Building. The following men were elected to membership: J. P. Varian, '98; W. A. Sheldon, '98, and F. C. Jaceaud, '07.

Mr. R. Kibby, '05, gave a very interesting talk on the Mining School at Silver Plume, Colorado, and described the lead and zinc mines which they found there. Mr. E. Burton, '05, followed with a description of the gold mines at Idaho Springs, explaining the method of separating the gold from its ores by the amalgamation process. Mr. R. W. Sonner, '05, outlined the Metallurgical trip which followed the Summer School. He gave an interesting account of the refining of gold and silver, at the Globe Smelting Works in Denver, and he also told of the visit to creating plants at Colorado Springs and Cripple Creek.

The Thursday Convocation.

The first general convocation of students and instructors was held in Huntingdon Hall, Thursday, at two o'clock. The attendance was very large, the hall being completely filled.

President Pritchett, after a few remarks, introduced the speaker, the Right Reverend Charles H. Brent, Bishop of the Philippines.

Bishop Brent spoke of the Philippines as a field for future scientific work, and said that the next few years might see here an advancement of civilization unrivalled in the history of the world.