Pennsylvania picked to win Intercollégiate.

Catholic Club to hold annual dinner.

Meeting of Technique Electrical Committee.

FOREST RESERVES TO PROTECT WATERSHEDS

Geological Survey by provision of the Weeks Bill to make field examination of land.

Parties already at work.

Survey to decide whether Reserve will protect navigability of streams.

Active steps have already been begun to put into effect the provisions of the Weeks Bill. In the last session of Congress, creating a National Forest Reservation, the Alaska State Bond Act was primarily for the purpose of regulating the flow of our navigable rivers. Field examination following the receipt of the report of the President of the United States a few months, especially in the White Mountains where the need for conservation is imperative.

Section 6 of the bill provides that preceding the report a hearing be held and a field examination be made by the Geological Survey to determine if the benefit derived from the establishment of a forest reserve has been sufficient to justify the purchase. The report of the Survey to the Secretary of Agriculture must show "that the control of such lands would be for the public benefit by promoting the transportation of streams on whose watersheds they lie," It is expected that the report will clear the way for the final decision of the navigability of streams lie with the National Forest Reservation Commission or the Secretary of Agriculture.

However, the Geological Survey must make the field determination and its certificate as to the navigability of the purchase must be the first step. The survey's report will state whether the control of the land, the purchase of which is contemplated, will have any material effect on the stream and navigability of the stream and the navigability of the stream will be determined based on the consideration of such questions whether the stream is a navigable stream and the soil and rock surface of such character that vegetable cover is necessary to check run-off; whether the topography, geologic and glacial conditions favor serious erosion and the extent of a protecting vegetable cover; whether protective cover in the headwater region would prevent loss of storage capacity of reservoirs in the headwater region to prevent or mitigate floods and determine what amount of additional storage capacity of reservoirs may be derived from the establishment of a forest reservation.

Although the Geological Survey possesses so much data on the proposed areas already, still it is not considered that the amount is sufficient to cover the requirements of the Weeks Bill and steps are under way to obtain immediately the needed information. Field parties are being sent to the Southern Appalachian and the White Mountains and the Geological Survey is working in the White Mountains and continues through the field season.

CALENDAR

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PRICE TWO CENTS

TUESDAY, MAY 9, 1911

BOSTON MASS.

APRIL 28, 1911

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HER EVEN WELL BALANCED TEAM HAS BETTER CHANCE THAN ANY OTHER COLLEGE IN COUNTRY

YALE TO TAKE SECOND

Fight for Places to be keen and Dope May Be Upset.

On Friday and Saturday, the twenty-sixth and seventh of May, the biggest track meet ever held in this city will be at the Stadium at the time of the meeting of the L.C.A.A. There will be representatives from twenty-four colleges in the number of over seven hundred individual entries. The meet shall be a good one and the public should come in the clow of the events, but it is thought that it will not come up to one of the best which have previously been held.

The race for the championship this year promises to be very close although at this time, the odds are a little heavy on Spenos of Harvard. He should come right behind in a fight for second Penn late in the meet. Boston is sitting on the fence and whoever tries will have a fine chance. Williams College is sure to be up and the Harvard is one of the best all-round athletes seen in college, in fact there is but little chance of his losing. In Missouri, it was also a Penn man. Kennebec who will represent the broad auburn and low hurdles that have never been equalled. Penn will not win the meet through a bunch of first place men but the grand excellence of the town that will pick up seconds and thirds to enough to win.

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