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The following is an extract from a letter received by one of the editors of THE TECH. Outside of the fact that it comes from a Sargent girl it needs no explanation:

"The Freshman Class of 1917 is a class of young men who certainly reflect great credit upon the Institute. Although they lost Field Day by one point, they certainly showed fine spirit. They should be complimented upon their quick, active work. They are as a class attractive both in facial expression and in the carriage of the body. They were quick, alert and enthusiastic in their field work and did well, considering the experience 1916 had from last year.

"Slow and steady wins the race" is an old quotation, and this was certainly demonstrated in the tug-of-war. The Sophs were quick to start, but lost their strength after the first few seconds.

"The freshmen made a good showing in football, even if they didn't win, which they came very near doing; they had it all over the Sophs. The Sophs were lucky to hold them.

"Harvard men are not in it with Tech men when it comes to work, Tech is a grand old place and something for the classes to be proud of. I saw a Field Day issue of THE TECH, and there is nothing the matter with it that I can see. I don't see how the fellows can get all their studies and get out such a paper. They must use their time to good advantage."

Spanish-American Club
A meeting of the Spanish-American students at the Institute will be held in the Hotel Westminster at 8 o'clock on Wednesday evening, Nov. 12. At this meeting Robert Sturgis, the president of the Spanish Club of Boston, and Dean Burton will address the men. The committee in charge of the dinner has found it impossible to get the addresses of all the Spanish-speaking students, and therefore the invitations to the dinner will not be restricted to the men who receive written notices.

As this is the first meeting of its kind, and hence a very important one, a large attendance is requested by those in charge of the affair. The price of the dinner will be 75 cents, and the meeting will be informal.

Freshmen Basketball
This afternoon the candidates for the Freshman Basketball Team will meet in the Gym at 4 and practice will be held at that time every day until further notice. Manager Rusch wishes to impress upon the men the necessity of a large number of candidates for the team, as the freshmen can partially redeem their defeat on Field Day if a good team is turned out. The Sophomores have a good team, but if the spirit of "I P once rises, the "hated rivals" are warned that they must show their best form. Several good trips have been planned for the men on the team, and as the opponents are known to turn out fast fives, the freshmen cannot afford to slight the matter.

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