

the Club will hold an informal meeting at the Union. Topics of general interest to mining men will be discussed, and a good time is anticipated.

The next meeting will be held on Wednesday, Dec. 9. The following papers will be read: L. T. Buell, "The Tin Deposits of the Malay Peninsula;" P. M. Paine, "The Laurentian Peneplain;" Prof. W. H. Niles, "The Life of Joseph LeConte."

All-round Athletic Contest.

In order to encourage a more general practice of athletics among the students, there will be held at the Gymnasium on the following dates, an all-round athletic competition, consisting of six events in which prizes will be given to the five students scoring the greatest number of points.

The schedule of events and the scoring will be as follows:—

Thursday, Dec. 10, 4.15 P.M. Running High Jump, 1 point for each inch over 4 ft. 6 in.

Thursday, Dec. 17, 4.15 P.M. Putting the 16-lb. Shot, 1 point for every 4 in. over 29 ft.

Thursday, Jan. 14, 1904, 4.15 P.M. 35-Yard Dash: First, 15 points; Second, 12; Third, 9; Fourth, 6; Fifth, 3; Sixth, 1.

Thursday, Feb. 11, 4.15 P.M. Pole Vault, 1 point for each 2 in. over 8 ft.

Thursday, Feb. 18, 4.15 P.M. 40-Yard Low Hurdles, points to count the same as in the 35-Yard Dash.

Thursday, Feb. 25, 4.15 P.M. Potato Race, 10 potatoes 2 yards apart, points to count the same as 35-Yard Dash.

Thursday, March 3, 4.15 P.M. Putting 16-lb. Shot, points to count the same as on Dec. 17, but only the best record of the two trials to be scored.

N. E. I. A. A. Rules to govern all contests.

These contests are open to all students of the Institute.

Entries close Dec. 10, 4.15 P.M.

Entrance fee for all six events is 50 cents, to be paid to Mr. LeBaron Turner, Treasurer.

FRANK H. BRIGGS, *Chairman.*

Hockey Team.

The first practice for the Tech hockey team was held last Saturday, when ten men collected at Hammond's. They lined up against a team consisting mostly of the men who played on Harvard last year. The Tech men had never played together before and of course could not be expected to put up an equal game against men who had played together for at least a whole season. Still, toward the last they began to play together a little, and the Harvard boys had a very hard time getting near the goal. After this the Tech men practiced a little by themselves, trying formations against their goal, the point and cover point, together with the goal, defending, while forwards did the rushing. This brought a little team work into play, and showed that they had fairly good material for a team. These men, together with Snow of Yale, and Major both of whom were prevented from showing up for practice, ought to form a very good team, provided they can get the time and a place to practice. Doubtless there are more than twelve hockey players in Tech and it is hoped that they will come out.

The following men should call for old letters at the Cage as soon as possible:

J. R. Abbott, T. M. Brown, C. A. Bowen, J. P. Bulkley, S. R. Bell, F. C. Bickford, R. Clark, C. Campbell, J. E. Crane, R. S. Clark, W. H. Clarke, G. Crane, G. E. Crane, W. R. Crowell, G. L. Davenport, A. S. Douglass, P. A. Draper, F. S. Danforth, K. Eldridge, H. C. Elliott, A. Emerson, W. D. Estes, Otto Faelton, E. Fowler, W. H. Foster, T. Furness, F. Farnsworth, L. A. Freedman, F. W. Friend, E. Fowler, W. Griffing, M. Gupta, W. Goddard, G. W. Hawthorn, K. H. Heingen, H. Haskins, L. F. Hallett, T. L. Hinckley, E. Harrington, B. W. Harvey, A. Kingsbury, R. D. Kelley, G. K. Kaiser, F. Lord, F. Longley, D. A. Loomis, W. H. Lincoln, J. S. Lang, W. J. Lambert, C. McGinnis, P. W. Mack, J. E. L. Monaghan, H. MacDonald, S. F. Newton, C. R. Pritchard, H. R. Robbins, L. A. Riley, W. C. Richeleau, R. E. Shedd, A. E. Sweetser, J. R. Stowe, A. D. Smith, J. W. Taylor, H. S. Whiting, F. S. White, J. B. Watson, G. E. Willcombe, W. Walcott, G. Witmer, W. R. Greeley, R. E. Smith.