SPECIAL FOR MINING LABORATORY: The mining laboratory is to be treated in a special manner at the request of Dr. Porter and Mr. Bell. The floors of this laboratory are to be of mill construction, and finished on top with hard wood floor laid in tar, and all floors so graded that the water will readily run off into specially prepared gutters. The walls of this laboratory are to be finished in cement, and walls and ceilings painted battlesship grey.
All steel beams in the floor construction in this department are to be left exposed to facilitate the attaching of shafting and other apparatus. MUSEUMS: The Museums are to be finished in a manner similar to that used in the Electrical laboratories, that is, buff brick dado 6' high, with plaster above and hardwood floors. LECTURE ROOMS: Lecture Rooms to be finished the same as Museums. The windows to all Lecture Rooms will be supplied with dark blinds running in alots to shut out the light, when required. All Lecture Rooms will be supplied with platforms and Lecturer's desk similar to those in the present Engineering Building. OFFICES: The floors of offices will be of hard wood as above mentioned. The walls and ceilings to be plastered and finished in cold water paint to colours required. We do not propose to use any ornamental plaster work with the exception of plain cove in halls and stairways. STAIRWAY: It is intended to build a wrought iron stairway with landings and treads of grey Missisquoi marble and throughout the halls and stairways there will be a dado 5' high of grey Missisquoi marble with a plain 8" base and 4" cap. The walls and ceilings above dado to be finished and plastered and painted. COMMON ROOM: The common room will be finished the same as offices.