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## Editorials.

## Alma Mater Society Elections.

THE Journal, for the first time in many years, is taking part in the Alma Mater elections. It is not taking part, however, and in line with any faculty or candidate. Pictures of all the candidates are reproduced in the present issue, together with a reference to the university activities of each. It is generally true that the men who face the student constituency for office are capable, energetic and deserving. This year this fact is obvious. The two candidates for the presidency are extremely competent men, both steady, level-headed, honest-minded. Both have clean records and each may appeal without hesitation to the student body. When the results of the election are announced next Saturday the most scrupulous member of the A.M.S. will be able to say 'The Society has a good president.' This condition of capacity on the part of candidates is after all the primary one for an interesting election.

The candidates for the other offices are also in almost every instance evenly matched in regard to the qualities the careful voter keeps in mind. The contest for the secretaryship should give rise to great interest. For this office Mr. John MacKinnon is representing Arts, while Mr. Hugh MacKinnon has been nominated from Medicine. No higher compliment could be paid these gentlemen than that implied in the fact that each in his own department was regarded as the strongest candidate available.

The accounts of the work and activities of the various candidates who are up for office in the approaching contest do not in any way represent Journal opinion. We are not in a position to express a preference in any direction and do not want to have anyone under the impression that we have taken sides.

As a function in the political and social life of the college the Levana Tea is year by year assuming greater importance. From an institution of doubtful existence it has developed into an established item in the extra academic life. As an activity it requires the expenditure of a great deal of time and thought on the part of those who are responsible for its management. It is also fixed for an opportune time: and like the Dramatic Club Performance and other functions that have their being in the week before the Alma Mater elections is sure to receive careful attention from the students. But it is a function that is worthy of every attention. Its management this year and other years has reflected a great deal of credit on the Levana and it is to be