

posed the toast—"Queen's." This toast was heartily drunk and responded to. Other toasts followed in quick succession, interspersed with songs and choruses, J. A. Minnes presiding at the piano.

Probably the toasts best received were "Our Absent Members" and the "Levanna Society."

The business of the society was then attended to. The constitution was revised and new officers appointed. The president announced that the class prize had not yet been claimed and that it was still open to competition. The new officers are:

President—R. S. Minnes, M.A.

Vice-Presidents—D. R. Drummond, M. A., G. T. Copeland, B. A.

After several songs and recitations, the toast "Our Host" was proposed and ably responded to by that gentleman. All then joined hands and sang "Auld Lang Syne," thus bringing to a close a very happy meeting.

The next re-union takes place in Kingston two years hence.

### JUBILEE CLASS DINNER.

On the evening of the eventful 30th, a convocation of the members of the senior year met in the City Hotel for a farewell chat together. We regret that owing to some misunderstanding we are unable, through lack of space, to give a full report of the speeches, etc., but it will suffice to say that a most harmonious and pleasant evening was spent by all, and full justice was done to the spread and to the various toasts. A. M. Fenwick was in the chair and performed the duties of his office in a most satisfactory way. Tasteful "Menu" cards, with the list of toasts, had been prepared; these the boys carried away, with the autographs of their class-mates, as mementoes of their four years' intercourse.

A class society was organized, of which N. R. Carmichael was elected president, and R. J. McKelvey, secretary. The class will meet a year hence on the evening of Convocation Day.

### OBITUARY.

One of these dispensations of Providence by which we are made to realize that we are "but mortals," but the creatures of a day, has been visited upon us lately by the demise of one of the brightest and cleverest students that has ever graced the halls of the Royal. We refer to the death of Mr. W. A. Cook. By his removal the medical college has lost one of its brightest ornaments, the Y. M.C.A. its most energetic leader, and his native town the services of a truly noble and Christian man.

Mr. Cook in the vigor of manhood and with all the energy of the faithful student entered upon his third session last October and being ambitious he entered into the competition for honors. But ere the termination of the race disease had entwined its fatal tendrils around his physical being, rendering him incapable of accomplishing all he had intended, but with that indomitable perseverance so characteristic of him he redoubled his efforts with the result that when the exams. were over he was laid on a sick bed from which he never arose, but passed quietly away to a brighter and happier home, where he was fully prepared to go.

He was president of the Y.M.C.A. and one of the foremost in advocating reforms for the spiritual as well as the intellectual advancement of the Royal. A genial man, he was respected and beloved by classmates and professors alike and his death has truly cast a feeling of deepest sadness over the whole college. We extend our heartfelt sympathy to his parents in this the hour of their bereavement

Another lamb has been gathered into the fold by the loving Shepherd, to remain at rest on his bosom till the great trump shall sound. Our beloved Principal's little son, George, after a long sickness, peacefully passed away on the morning of Tuesday, May 14th. He had been weakened by several more or less severe illnesses during the winter, and at last succumbed a victim to typhoid fever, despite the untiring care of his parents. Our deepest sympathy is extended to Dr. and Mrs. Grant in their sad bereavement. May He "who doeth all things well" comfort and sustain them.

### PERSONALS.

A. M. Fenwick, M.A., '90, expects to spend this summer preaching in the North West, somewhere this side of sundown.

We heartily congratulate Queen's on the appointment of Mr. Fowler to the chair of Natural Science. We are sure that all those who have studied here under him will be most happy to hear of this, both for the sake of Mr. Fowler, and especially for the sake of the college.

We are pleased to see that H. A. Lavell, '88, and F. King, '89, have very successfully passed their first intermediate law exam., Harry's name heading the list. What's the matter with Queen's?

Dr. Shannon leaves shortly for the Old Country, where he intends taking a post graduate course in the best medical schools on the continent.

We are pleased to learn that Mr. Maxwell, '87, has taken to himself a wife. He is now practising in Toronto with good prospects. He and his bride have the very best wishes of the JOURNAL.

Our congratulations are extended to Mr. Isaac Woods, B.A., and Mr. J. W. Campbell, who have been appointed lecturers in Chemistry and Botany respectively for the summer session.

Dan. Drummond, our managing editor, after relieving Queen's of considerable wealth, has cleared away out to the North West with his M.A. He will probably treat the natives of Brandon Presbytery to some eloquent discourses.

We regret that want of space compels us to leave out the Ladies' Corner in this number.

By accident, we heard the other day that Dr. Gandier had gone and done it. As Gus was at one time a member of the JOURNAL staff, we could hardly believe that he would take such an important step without our permission. Alas for human vanity! His better two-quarters is Miss Agnes Williams, daughter of Rev. T. G. Williams, of Montreal. The doctor has settled in Merrickville, and we wish him and his wife all success and happiness.