

advance upon former years was made in having instrumental music. More than the usual amount of missionary work is done this year, most of it at places in or near the city. Whatever collections are received for such services go into the funds of the Association. At the last meeting of the Association, the question of continuing the mission in Labrador was very fully discussed, after which it was unanimously and enthusiastically determined to continue the work there for at least another year.

Midsessional examinations are upon us. "Grinding" is now the order of the day. Evening lectures are disregarded, and even "At Homes" seem to lose their usual attraction.

Dr. Burns seems never to get weary in well-doing for our College: A Christmas gift from him this winter added to our library a handsome Homiletic Cyclopædia, and also "Modern Europe," by Russell and Jones, in three volumes.

During the Christmas vacation we had a pleasant, though brief, visit from one of the editors of last year, Rev. A. W. McLeod. He was on his way home from Harvard, where he is studying this winter.

Rev. Anderson Rogers also spent a few hours with us, and showed his wonted interest in his *alma mater*. He has accepted a call to Windsor, N. S., where we predict for him a repetition of his past success.

Rev. A. J. Mowatt, another of our graduates, has been translated from Fredericton to Erskine Church, Montreal. May his future labors also be as successful as his past.

Notwithstanding the many improvements we still long for a telephone. In our isolated condition it would be of constant service to the students. It would often also be a great convenience to the church agent and to several of the stations we supply. Some of our friends have expressed their willingness to share the expense.

The most of our students attended the Dalhousie "At Home." It was a brilliant success and a great improvement on the method of celebrating Munro Day in former years. We congratulate the Dalhousie students on their successful management of the affair.