The violin solos by Miss Leonora Clench were excellent and were greeted with hearty applause, an encore being given each time. Her naturalness of manner, her finished playing and her correct interpretation of the genius of music always captivate the audience.

It is needless to say that the accompaniments on the Piano by Miss Clench, as well as her part in the duet for piano and violin were fault-lessly rendered.

M'ile d'Ervieux, who has only lately made her appearance as a soloist in Toronto, scored a decided success on Tuesday evening. The audience was fairly thrilled by her rendition of

Gounod's Ave Maria. Her voice was clear, pure and of wide range, and reflected well the passion of the music. We hail with pleasure M'lle d'Ervieux's appearance on the public platform, and augur for her a successful career.

The pianists of the evening, Miss Spanner and Miss Helena Anderson, graced well the part of the programme they filled. The "Duo Concertante," opening the second part of the programme, was excellently given.

On the whole we think the club, and the leader, Mr. Collins, have great reason to congratulate themselves on the success of their first concert.

## Lersonals.

THE following members of the graduating class passed their preliminary examination with a view to license before the last meeting of the Toronto Presbytery:—Messrs. John Campbell, G. E. Freeman, Alexander Hamilton, J. S. Mackay, W. S. McTavish, Thomas Nixon, and A. Urquhart.

Rev. Dr. Hamilton has completed his series of lectures on Elocution. Owing to the preparation necessary for the members of the Glee Club in connection with the recent concert, and for others connected with the public meeting of the Literary Society, his closing lecture was not so well attended, but the sudents express themselves well satisfied with the course, and with Dr. Hamilton as a lecturer and elocutionist.

We regret to record the illness of Messrs. A. M. Haig, B.A., and N. T. McConnell. Mr. Haig after a prolonged attack of pleurisy, has sufficiently recovered to resume his studies. Mr. McConnell is at present suffering from a severe attack of hemorrhage of the lungs, through

which it is feared he will be unable to take a charge for the summer. We hope soon to see all these gentlemen restored to their wonted health.

MESSRS. T. WILSON AND J. J. ELLIOTT, on the first Sabbath of the month were snowed up on the T. G. & B. R. These gentlemen reached Orangeville, and expecting the way to be open every moment remained in the car over night. Finally, Sabbath morning dawned, and with it came the intelligence that the way was clear. One of them reached his destination in time for the morning service, but the other being too far from his field, refreshed himself with a nap in the Methodist Church. The same night Mr. John Mackay, B.A., had a similar experience on the Credit Valley. However on Sabbath morning, by alternately exercising patience and wielding the shovel, he reached his place of preaching, the train arriving only about twenty minutes before service. We commend these gentlemen for the courage, the loyalty and perseverance manifested on this occasion.