

itself to careful scientific investigation of practices or enactments elsewhere. No one, moreover, could be more competent to conduct such investigation and work out conclusions in connection with it than Professor Skelton.

The afternoon service in Grant Hall a week ago was remarkable for the excellence of the music. The large massed choir filled the magnificent chamber with a volume of sound which was good to hear. Those responsible for the training of the choir deserve unstinted praise: and to the members themselves is due the gratitude of all the students who attend these afternoon services. It is to be hoped that this choir will be heard more than once during the remaining part of the session. Indeed there seems no reason why Grant Hall should not be utilized for all University services.

At the present time, the graduates of the University are voting on the question of separation from the church. The result of this vote will aid materially in the solution of this vexed issue. Equally valuable would be an expression of opinion by the undergraduates of the University. Many of the latter are more conversant with the existing conditions than the majority of the graduates. On this special point it would seem that the undergraduate is in a position to judge better than the graduate. A great many graduates have not kept themselves familiar with recent developments in the "separation question." The students are most vitally concerned and their opinions should be worth something.

A woman was the downfall of Troy, and a woman turned victory into defeat for McGill on Friday night. One of the Montreal team secured the puck near his own goal, rushed past his opponent and was nearing Queen's goal for a sure tally—when a shrill, piercing shriek rent the air asunder: the McGill man swayed, trembled and fell—and the game was saved.

There appears in another part of this issue of the Journal a letter in connection with the proposal to secure a students' pastor. This letter will bear careful reading. It states the attitude of many men about the College.

A University Pastor.

DURING the next few weeks, a canvas of the students will be made to find out their attitude to the scheme for a university pastor, so it is necessary that the students clearly understand the nature of the canvas. In the first place, it is not undertaken by the college authorities, but is entirely in the hands of the students. In the second place the canvas is not connected with any college organization, religious or otherwise, but is directed by an independent committee. This committee recognizes that it has no authority, and its sole aim is to arouse definite interest among the students, so that a committee may be appointed with authority to act for the student body. In this preliminary work the committee hopes for the active co-operation of all