
The Review.

Current History, an instructive and reliable quarterly magazine, places before the public, in concise and systematic form, all important events of recent date. Not too exhaustive, yet comprehensive enough in its treatment to give thorough acquaintance, it deals in an interesting way with international affairs and continental occurrences. Recent political and social history of every country in Europe, Asia, Africa and America is found reviewed in its columns. Under the title "Record of Progress" are recorded all latest researches in science, literature, art, archaeology and religion; while "Necrology" notes all deaths of prominent men with graphic sketches of their lives. To say that the last issue displays an amazing breadth of scope and variety of topics treated is no exaggeration. Throughout, numerous illustrations of a first class order serve both for instruction and ornament, while facts, which might by some renderings be made dry and tiresome, are so presented as not only to be instructive but pleasing. The result of attentive perusal cannot help but be a broader knowledge and a clear apprehension of existing conditions in all parts of the globe. Those who give any care to the consideration of this valuable magazine will have no hesitation in saying that it is both an important and necessary adjunct to every man's means of keeping abreast of the times. Being especially adapted to the needs of educated men, and containing reliable matter treated in so interesting a manner, its successive volumes will form a most reliable encyclopedia.

Varsity comes to us regularly, freighted with its burden of news. Most of it is interesting, especially the issue of December 7th which noted some successful work of Mr. H. N. Shaw, who for so long a time held such a warm place in our hearts. Assuredly we can never forget him and his diligent work among us. The literary department of *Varsity* seems somewhat crowded out by weekly news thus rendering it in some respects more like a weekly newspaper than a college journal.

McGill Fortnightly is a new exchange with us this year. It shows that our friends in Montreal have attained to a good degree of excellence in college journalism.

Our exchanges have been slowly arriving during all the first term and now the list is about complete. Among those we have not been able to notice are, *Amherst Literary Monthly*, *Theologue*, *McMaster University Monthly*, *Presbyterian College Review*, *Colby Echo*, *Niagara Index*, *Manitoba College Journal*, *Cadet*, *Acta Victoriana*, *Haverfordian*, *Owl*, *Academy*, *King's College Record*, *Bowdoin Orient*, *Trinity University Review*, *Normal Offering*, *Delaware College Review*, *Monthly Bulletin* and *Sydney Academy Record*.

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