

plays, for which Turner, O'Reilly and Sparrow were mainly responsible. The teams were as follows:—

'97.		1900.	
Roy .....	Back	..... Hughes	
Sparrow .....		..... O'Reilly	
Halling .....	Half Backs	..... Haszard	
Robertson, H. M. ....		..... Duffy	
Gilday .....	Quarter	..... Hill	
McRae, W. R. ....	Scrimmage	..... Hall	
Tierney .....		..... Jones	
McLaren .....		..... Armstrong	
Gordon .....	Wings	..... Ross	
Lyster .....		..... Wilson	
Smith .....		..... Supple	
Hindman .....		..... Cartwright	
Keenan .....		..... Henry	
Hayden .....		..... McKee	
Curran .....		..... Turner	

MED. '99 vs. MED. 1900.

This match was held on Nov. 10, and was very bitterly contested. In the first half 1900 had decidedly the best of it, but in the second half '99 played up in grand style and won out the match by a narrow margin. The names of the players will show how strong a team both these years can put in the field:—

'99's Team.—Shore, Burnett, Ross, Sutherland, Law,

Reynolds, May, Tanner, Symmes, Cunningham, McKenzie, O'Brien, Woodley.

1900's Team.—Henry, Haszard, O'Reilly, Duffy, Currier, Richards, Hall, Armstrong, Hill, Turner, Cartwright, Hughes, Ross, Wilson.

#### REPORT OF '99.

The much talked of Rugby match between the Second and Third years is over and resulted in a defeat for the former '99, however, declares that they put up the best game and are confident that given another chance, as they may have, they will reverse the score.

Mr. J. P. Brannen has been appointed our representative on the rink committee. As only \$375 is required from the whole University, and \$175 has been promised by the Athletic Association, the prospects of having a rink this winter seem good.

We are glad to be able to welcome Mr. J. Martin back to the class after his recent illness.

Perhaps some kind reader will volunteer an answer to the questions asked your reporter as to who owned the scientific kitten, which devoted so much of its time to solving physiological problems.

## Societies.

### UNIVERSITY LITERARY SOCIETY.

30TH OCT. 1896.

The regular weekly meeting of the University Literary Society was held on Friday evening, 30th October, 1896. In the absence of the President, Mr. W. G. Bishop, '98, 2nd vice-president, took the chair. A few unimportant items of business were dealt with and the programme of the evening was then taken up. Mr. DeLancy Johnson, '99, read an humorous selection from Lover's inimitable "Handy Andy." Mr. Dubois, '00, who had been placed on the programme to deliver a song and Mr. Horsfall, also '00, who had been requested to read an essay, were both absent. This absents oneself from a meeting without due notice to the Committee when one has been assigned a part in the programme, is not only discouraging to those whose aim it is to make the society a success, but also shows a lamentable lack of politeness on the part of the defaulter.

The chairman then read the subject of the debate; "Resolved, that woman exercises more influence over man than money does." Mr. W. B. Heeney, supported by Messrs. A. P. Scott, C. K. Ives and W. G. Brown, upheld the resolution; while Messrs. E. G. Place, J. G. Saxe, Ryan and Ewing spoke against it. After an interesting discussion, a decision was rendered in favour of the affirmative. Mr. S. G. Archibald, the critic of the evening, performed his rather thankless task to the satisfaction of everybody. The meeting then adjourned.

It should be stated that Messrs. Marler and Stewart of Law, who had been placed on the programme to speak on the negative side of the question, were not present. No blame, however, attaches to them for their absence, as the Committee had neglected to place a programme in their Faculty.

NOV. 6TH, 1896.

A regular meeting of this society was held on Friday evening, Nov. 6th at 8 o'clock, the president in the chair. There being no business the programme was at once proceeded with, a note being read by the secretary explaining Mr. McKeracher's absence and consequently that of his recitation. Mr. Place, Arts '98, then read an essay on "My Early Literary Aspirations" which was followed by the rendering of several choruses, one of which, being Mr. McKeracher's composition, was received in place of his recitation.

The debate of the evening was next in order, the subject being:—"Resolved, that party allegiance is preferable to independent action in politics."

Mr. Ball, Law '99, opened for the affirmative. He showed how party made men use their right of franchise, how when the balance of power is with the independent member the country is ruled, not by the people, but by one or two constituencies, and ended by pleading that in "union is strength."

Mr. Duff, Arts '98, then opened the negative, contending that though party was a necessity, yet every man should exercise his free will with regard to party questions.