

and Burton. Misses Ferris and Bates, each beautifully rendered two selections. Besides these, four members of the Kingston Association sang in fine style a quartette. Piano duets were given by Misses Yates and Dupuis, and Misses Chambers and Farrell, and a piano solo by Miss Munroe. At the close the President of the College Association, in a few words, returned thanks for himself and brother members and then asked Dr. Grant, who was present, to supplement his remarks, a piece of work which the Dr. well performed. The many students who were present enjoyed themselves so well that we think if it is the intention of the Kingston Y.M.C.A. to repeat the dose very often, the names on the book of our College Y.M.C.A. Secretary will be largely added to.

THE truth of such aphorisms as, "The more haste the less speed," "The longest way round is the shortest way home," "Look before you leap," &c., &c., was fully comprehended by a Junior on New Year's day. In his haste to finish his list of calls before dark, he tried to drive over a fence which intercepted his path. The horse got over all right, but the sleigh paused on the top rail and not being used to such an elevated position, became dizzy, reeled, and turned this man of '81 out on the road. Beyond suffering a contortion of the tarsal ligaments which gave him a graceful limp for two or three days, we believe he was uninjured.

WE believe a subscription is to be set on foot to hire a cart in which "John" can bring up the missives of Cupid (?) on the 14th inst. It is a good idea. We are sure his post bag will be altogether inadequate.

THE Professor of Metaphysics says that without a *soul* no sensation can be experienced. A man who has stepped on a tack with his bare feet will be inclined to doubt this assertion.

SEVERAL students have met with sad family afflictions since our last issue. Mr. A. McTavish has lost an uncle and niece, and Messrs. Jas. Murray and Grant have each lost a brother. These gentlemen have our sincerest sympathy.

AT the recent congregational meeting in Chalmers' Church, the ladies' association decided to raise a tribute to the memory of their late pastor the Rev. P. Gray (for a short time a lecturer in Divinity Hall) in the shape of a Scholarship in Queen's College. The amount and object to be afterwards decided.

WHAT is to be done to that student who refusing to pay fifty cents for a season ticket for the series of public lectures now being given, takes advantage of his coming in with several others who have tickets to walk on and utterly ignore the door keeper.

WE have had the pleasure of receiving a copy of Vick's Floral Guide for 1880—a pleasure it has, indeed, been to meet with such a beautiful work of Art. The printing engraving, etc., have all been done on the premises by artists under the supervision of James Vick, who is an old printer himself, and the whole of the beautiful book shows great pains in its "get up." Having had an experience of 25 years in the seed business his reputation is now world wide, and if any person desires to cultivate the beautiful we would advise him to send to Vick of Rochester for seeds, of which he has an endless variety.

WHEN the news of Prof. Mackerras's death reached Winnipeg a meeting of the Alumni of Queen's was called in the office of Mr. J. M. Macdonnell, and the following resolutions were adopted: "Having heard of the death of Rev. J. H. Mackerras, M.A., Professor of Classical Literature in Queen's College, we wish to express our deep sorrow at his early removal and our sense of the

great loss our Alma Mater has thereby sustained. His sterling integrity and sincere devotion, his ripe and varied scholarship and his genial disposition, make his death an irreparable loss to the Church and University—both of which he so faithfully served. We wish also to express our deep sympathy with Mrs. Mackerras and her little ones in their sad bereavement." The following were those at the meeting: Thomas Hart, M.A., '68, chairman; J. M. Macdonnell, B.A., '68, secretary; Alexander Cambell, B.A., '62, Hugh W. Bain, B.A., '71, M.D., W. B. Thibadeau, M.A., '65, A. H. Cameron, M.A., '75, R. Ferguson, M.D., '63, David Young, M.D., '71, F. A. Drummond, B.A., '77, D. Henderson, M.D., '58, and J. J. Campbell.

## PERSONAL.

THE Princess Louise, wife of Sir John Douglas Sutherland Campbell, I.L.D., '79, Marquis of Lorne, arrived at Halifax on the 2nd February, after having spent most of the winter in England.

P. A. MACDONALD, B.A., '76, is to be congratulated at being "Freed from the Law"—examiners, having been called to the bar during last term. We believe it is his intention to settle down in Winnipeg, with J. M. Macdonnell, B.A., '68.

G. W. THIRKELL, M.D., '61, of Sodus, has just retired from the office of Master of Sodus Lodge, A.F. & A.M., having held the position for six years. He had previously served as Master of Frontier City Lodge, Oswego. The Doctor now retires contrary to the wishes of his brethren: such is the popularity of the sons of Queen's.

T. D. CUMBERLAND, B.A., '75, has passed his second intermediate Law examination with flying colors.

REV. M. Macgillivray, M.A., St. Andrew's Manse, Scarborough, was on the 2nd January, made the happy father of a male.

JAS. AWDE, B.A., '79, has accepted the position of Assistant High School Teacher at Williamstown.

J. B. McLAREN, M.A., '78, recently "saved his bacon" by successfully wrestling with his attorney examination at Toronto.

## MARRIED.

LANG—GRASS.—At the residence of the bride's father, on the 4th instant, by the Rev. F. W. Dobbs, Portsmouth, assisted by the Rev. T. G. Smith, Kingston, the Rev. William A. Lang, M.A., '76, Lunenburg, Ont., to Esther Emma Maria, only daughter of Charles Grass, Esq., Lake View Villa, Kingston.

MCGREGOR—MCNABB.—On the 25th Dec., at Ashton, P. C. McGregor, B.A., '66, of Almonte, to Kate Ferguson, only daughter of the late John McNabb.

MACARTHUR—WRIGHT.—On January 7th, at St. Paul's Church, Kingston, by the Rev. W. B. Carey, M.A., James MacArthur, B.A., M.D., '78, London, Ont., to Augusta M., only daughter of Clark Wright, Esq., Kingston.

DUMBLE—NEILSON.—At Belleville on the 13th day of January last, Thomas H. Dumble, M.D., '77, of Gananoque, to Agnes, daughter of James Neilson, Esq., of Belleville.

SCOTT—GREENSHIELDS.—At Danville, Que., on Xmas eve, at the residence of the bride's father, by Rev. Principal Tanner, of St. Francis College, Richmond, Q., Rev. A. H. Scott, M.A., '78, of Knox Church, Owen Sound, to Agnes Schuler, second daughter of John Greenshields, Esq.