

sity on the evening of Friday, Nov. 23rd. The Society decided to embrace the opportunity of giving its members and the Kingston public what promises to be an exceptional treat and appointed a Committee to make all arrangements for the Lecture on the above date. Mr. Murray is at present lecturing in Boston and is receiving the highest encomiums from the critical press of that city.

ARTS SOCIETY.

A meeting of the Arts Society was held at 5 p.m. on Monday, for the purpose of amending some of the clauses in the constitution of the "Concursus." The first question discussed was the fixing of the number for the quorum of the grand jury, and clause 19 was made to read, "That the officers of the 'Concursus,' with the exception of the Chief Justice, hereafter constitute the grand jury, eight of whom shall form a quorum." Formerly only students in Arts could be brought as witnesses before the "Concursus," and as this restriction often hampered the counsel, for both the prosecution and the defence, it was decided to allow any student, registered in any faculty of the University, to testify in court.

YEAR MEETINGS.

'94.

On Thursday evening, Nov. 8th, the class of '94 held its first meeting of the session. Although the "Concursus" was in session at the same time, a large number of the members were present, and all agreed that it was quite refreshing to see so many of the "old familiar faces" together again.

The first business before the meeting was the appointment of necessary permanent officers, and J. C. Brown, B.A., was chosen as president, and J. Johnston as historian. These two in future are to keep track of the whereabouts of the members and serve as a committee of general reference. R. C. Redmond was re-appointed to act as recording secretary as long as the year continued to hold regular meetings.

A committee was appointed to have the names printed on the "Year photo," and have it placed in the reading room.

The meeting then discussed at some length a proposition to establish a literary and scientific society, where papers on various subjects could be read and freely discussed. Such a society would give the students an opportunity to do some independent thinking, and allow a freer and fuller expression of their opinions than is possible in the regular classes. The meeting decided in favor of the proposition, and a committee was appointed to try to start such a society as soon as possible.

'95.

Ninety-five held its regular meeting on Thursday evening, Nov. 1st. The President occupied the chair. A committee was appointed to make arrangements for the class photograph. The intention is to have this very important matter attended to during the present term. It was also moved that the President of the Arts Society be requested to call a meeting of the Society at an early date to consider certain proposed changes in the constitution of the Concursus.

A special meeting was held after the Alma Mater meeting on Saturday evening, Nov. 10th. The business was the appointing of a representative to the Trinity College Dinner on the 13th inst. The choice fell upon Mr. C. L. Begg.

'97.

A business meeting of the class of '97 was held on Wednesday, 7th inst. A committee composed of Messrs. Smart, Harris and Smith were appointed to organize a team to take part in the inter-year football games. Another committee of members from the Executive was appointed to arrange the programmes for succeeding meetings. It was decided to hold the next meeting on Thursday, 15th inst., when the first programme of the term will be presented.

'98.

A special meeting of '98 was held on Monday evening for the purpose of receiving the report of the committee appointed to draft a constitution for the year. The committee brought in their report and after a short discussion the constitution was adopted clause by clause. The meeting was addressed by Mr. R. Laird, M.A., who pointed out that the class owed its heartiest support to the COLLEGE JOURNAL. The next meeting will be held on Monday, the 26th, when a very interesting programme will be presented.

Y. M. C. A.

The Y. M. C. A. opened under the most favorable auspices, on the first Friday of the session, with a very large attendance. This certainly speaks well for the quiet work that was done by the executive during the few days preceding. The chair was taken by the President, J. H. Turnbull, who gave an address of welcome to the new-comers. Others followed in the same strain, and we are sure that all strangers could not but feel that in the Y. M. C. A. at least, they would find something homelike.

The meeting of the second week was led by W. H. Cram, but Mr. Goforth, lately returned from China, was introduced, and Mr. Cram's paper was not read. Mr. Goforth is a visitor in whom we take a great interest, as he is a fellow-worker with our own missionary, Dr. Smith, and we are glad to hear him,