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Again the literary genius of U. C. C. has blossomed forth and THE COLLEGE TIMES enters on its tenth year of existence. We greet with pleasure all past and present pupils of this school, wishing for their hearty encouragement and support either in money or matter (small contributions thankfully received). A few changes have been made in the form of this paper. Four more pages have been added, and it will in future be issued regularly every fortnight. As the staff is a large one, the additional work, we are sure, will not be too much to prevent us fulfilling our promises. We will endeavour to make the paper what a College journal should be, that is, a chronicle of all that takes place which will be of interest to the present pupils in future years when they in their turn are old boys, and which will interest all those present old boys who have still a love for their "Alma Mater"; awakening reminiscences of former days. We beg to remind the boys, and also one or two of the masters, that the staff this year is entirely different from that of last, and that, therefore, it is not quite fair to visit their shortcomings upon us.

At last we have got the long-looked-forward-to new college, and it entirely fulfils all our hopes. It is, however, in spite of its size, not large enough, several boys having been turned away by the Principal. It far outshines the old place in beauty, healthiness of locality, and indeed in everything except dearness of old connections. How we will miss the elaborate carving of the John Street fence! But we hope that the new college will live to surpass the old even in ancient traditions. The large play-ground is a prominent feature of the place; on it can be played games of cricket, baseball, lacrosse, football and lawn tennis, all at once. The new gymnasium is rapidly nearing completion, and so we will have ample opportunity for physical as well as mental training.

We have to deplore the absence from the staff of many of the old masters, notably Mr. Martland and Mr. Wedd, most of whom served the College for many years both faithfully and well. On the other hand, we wish to welcome to our new College, more particularly to the boarding house department, several new masters whom we hope will remain with us long enough to be as successful as were some of those departed.

There was a meeting on Thursday, the 1st October, of those who were interested in the revival of the Rifle Corps. It was decided to discard the old grey uniform and to adopt a blue one with white trimmings. This is a great improvement. It is the opinion also of most of the boys that round forage caps would be better than the old Glengarries. The rifle company is a great thing for the College, and we hope that it will be well supported by both the boys and masters. From all the talk we have heard, we believe that it will be a great success. The buglers have already been chosen, and Sergeant is getting them down in fine style. Every afternoon after school there can be heard the sweet (?) strains of three bugles.