

A private exhibition of magic lantern views was given at the close of the session by one of the students, who is turning amateur lecturer. The views were good and were highly appreciated by the audience. One of the most enjoyable parts of the evening was the effective dropping of the curtain at the close of the entertainment.

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Dame Rumor asserts that a double portion of pleasure is about to fall to the lot of one of our students by adding to the festivities of Xmas and the New Year the halo of a bridal altar. Who he is she says not, further than that it is a member of our staff who is about to wear the bridal rose beside the holly and the mistletoe.

Since the above was put in type the "double portion of pleasure" has fallen. We congratulate our colleague, Mr. A. J. Lods, and wish him and his fair partner a happy and prosperous voyage through life.

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We regret very much that the length of some of our contributions this month has forced us to omit the notes from our sister seminaries. Our regret is the more keen because of the importance of the news thus crowded out. The missionary spirit seems to pervade them all to a remarkable degree, which is a matter of gratification. In asking our Sister Seminaries to pardon this omission, we wish them a very happy and prosperous New Year.

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Mr. Robert Johnston, B.A., was presented last month with a set of Dr. Kitto's Bible Illustrator, and a handsome gold pen and pencil, by his former Bible Class in Nazareth Street Mission School. Mr. Johnston has taken charge of the newly formed Bible Class in Crescent Street Church, which has already become one of the largest in the city.

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We regret to state that Mr. A. S. Grant, B.A., has been suffering during the last two weeks from a severe illness. By the advice of Dr. Stewart he has been removed to Miss Gee's private hospital, where, under careful attention, we are happy to learn that he is steadily improving.

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The Principal continues to extend to favored students pressing invitations to call at his office. The invitations are generally obeyed with more alacrity than pleasure, yet the Principal is a very pleasant man to meet. Why this shyness?

R. MACDOUGALL.

PERSONAL.

REV G.D. Bayne, B.A., '81, has accepted a call to the beautiful and prosperous town of Pembroke. The Bible class and Young People's Association of his church in Morrisburg, lately presented him with a gold-headed cane, and his wife with a handsome mirror. The presentation was accompanied by an address. Mr. Bayne has enjoyed a successful pastorate