

REV. JAMES ROBERTSON, Supt. of N. W. Missions, visited us not long ago, and told us about the state of mission fields in the West. In response to his call for men J. R. Mann, J. N. Elliott, and A. Carrick, decided to remain out this session and spend a year in mission work in Mr. Robertson's diocese. They left for their fields two weeks ago. We wish them great success and hope to see them back again next fall.

REV. JOSHUA DENOVA, pastor of the Alexander street Baptist Church, is giving a course of Friday afternoon lectures on the Epistle to the Romans, in the Mission Union Hall, College avenue. These lectures are largely attended by theological students; Knox is well represented. Mr. Denovan is a man of acknowledged ability, and has made Romans a subject of careful study for many years; hence he is an uncompromising Calvinist. We venture to say that students who attend these lectures will get clearer views of truth than they had before.

THE Business Manager sends a copy of this issue to a few who are not subscribers, but who would have been if they had a chance. He gives them a chance now. He continues sending it to a few who forgot to remit their subscriptions. Some of our friends complain that the price is too small for so large a magazine, and we agree with them. They say it should be \$1.00, and always send that amount. That is an excellent plan, as it saves making change, and relieves the Treasurer, who is much perplexed to know what to do with the large quantity of postage stamps he has on hand. It deserves a fair trial.

THE Board of Management do not seem to think that the College buildings are likely to be removed at an early date. So they are continually making improvements, that living in the Residence may be as healthy and pleasant as possible. We have no crying sanitary evils to be discussed at indignation meetings now. For these improvements we move, seconded by all the students, that a hearty vote of thanks be tendered to the Board. The Chairman, Mr. Clark, deserves special mention. Last year he had the Board Room elegantly furnished and fitted up for a Reception Room. This year he turned his attention to the Dining Hall and had it papered and kalsomined and made very pleasant. If life in the Dining Hall will not be cheerful, the fault will not be Mr. Clark's.

THE Saturday morning conferences are quite as interesting this year as they were last. The attendance is always large. On several occasions, through arrangements made by Dr. Caven, we have had addresses from prominent ministers. Rev. Mr. Parsons gave us an excellent address on "The Realization of a Personal Christ." A missionary from Turkey, Rev. Garabed Nergararian, was with us one morning and spoke on mission work in his native country. Rev. Dr. Judson, who for six years has been engaged in city mission work in New York, gave us a most interesting "talk" on evangelistic work. One of the best was the address given last Saturday morning by President Wilson of University College, on the value of education to the Christian minister. We all enjoy these conference meetings and feel grateful to Principal Caven for his efforts to make them interesting and profitable.