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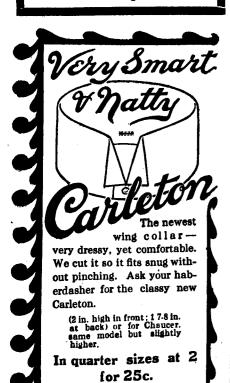
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The course will in all probability be held at four o'clock on Wednesday afternoons, but definite notice will appear later on the bulletin board.

Forestry was well represented at the Pharmacy dinner by F. S. Newman, who delivered an extemporaneous speech with very great success.

This looks well for the future of oratory among the men of our faculty; and it is a vitally important thing for men in our profession to be able to express their thoughts well to the public verbally as well as on paper.

Frank also says that the jovial "pill mixers" deserve great praise for success of their excellent dinner.

From a utilitarian standpoint it is a rather fortunate thing that Knox students are taking such a great interest in hockey. In previous years before a rink was opened there was a tendency for a certain class of students to settle down to persistent "plugging." Not that faithful and sincere work is to be discouraged; but the atmosphere about a college must be made as unpleasant as possible for that fossillike type and individual called the "plug" Explain it how often individuals are found in theological colleges who have shut themselves in from the outside world -men whose time is taken up with the endeavor to solve perplexing theological problems to the exclusion of all other things. Fortunately there is very little evidence of this type in Knox this year. This can be directly attributed to the enthusiasm taken in hockey.

A large number of the students attend the Mendelssohn concerts last week. One freshman unacquainted with the unwritten rules of college life followed the example of a senior theolog. appeared in Massey Hall with a lady.

WYCLIFFE COLLEGE

Ever on the look-out for instructive and interesting departures from the beaten track of business, the Government instituted a spontaneous oratorical display, on Friday evening last. Lots were drawn by those present, to select speakers, and the speakers in turn drew for subjects. Then followed the entertainment, fluent and sporadic, fiery and cold, vituperative and placid, all had their exponents in the

The result of the frantic appeals in Varsity for more "general culture" has had its effect in Wycliffe, by sending about a dozen men to each performance of the Mendelssohn Choir. Mr. A. D. Greene's fair partner insisted (over the telephone) that her "aunt" should accompany her, as chaperone. Alan was much troubled, as he had only two tickets! While in this predicament, the joke was gently explained to him. Having hurled most of his furniture at the informer, he went on his way rejoicing.

After all, Cooper can't very well swell any more.

WANTED

To complete its fyle records of volume No. 30, year 1910-1911, (not 1911-1912) The Varsity requires copies Nos. 18-27 inclusive 30 and 31, 35 and 36, 38 and 39 of the paper. If there are any readers who have some of these copies, and can spare them, will they kindly forward the same to the Business Manager of The Varsity.

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VICTORIA COLLEGE

Victoria is glad the Meds. enjoyed their joke if even it was at our expense.

We are glad to hear that Miss Kempthorne's condition is slightly improved.

The demand for telephones in the college is at present much greater than the supply. Five minutes passes very quickly inside the booth but seems like a century to the waiters outside. We would suggest that subscription lists be issued in order that "fussers" may obtain their positions in the waiting line.

On Tuesday evening the Y.M.C.A. was addressed by Rev. W. A. Cameron of Bloor St. Baptist Church. His subject was "What Preachers owe to Poets." The poets specially mentioned by Mr. Cameron were Whittier, Wordsworth, Tennyson and Browning. Needless to say the address was well received. Don't be surprised if in the near future you see the halls decorated with love sonnets and hockey odes.

Friends of the representative are much concerned at his appearance. Grave fears are entertained that his recovery is hopeless. The cause of it all is that when opening the box in the Hall he unexpectedly found an article. Friends standing near quickly revived him and stood him up. For a minute he appeared dazed. Then he broke away from those supporting, rushed towards the box, snatched the previous document, then dashed frantically out the door toward the Varsity office.

The members of the Glee Club are all off. A notice posted at the foot of the stairs ordered them to bring skates, toothbrush, smiles and music. There is a faint suspicion that more than singing will be done on the tour. If they are not careful the L.D.A. may call on them when they return on Wednesday.

Prof. speaking to '15—Sir Walter Scott was by nature and predeiletion a Tory (applause) but he was nevertheless an honest man and a gentleman (audible smiles from those who did not applaud).

Members of 1T5 are said to be curious to know whether the proper translation of the college motto is "Morals disappear in study.'

MEDICAL NOTES

The date of the '16' Dance has been settled for Feb. 23. It will be held in the Foresters' Hall, College St. The '16 Theatre Night will be on Saturday Feb. 10 at the Royal Alexandra. Fish out your pennants.

The Year Dinner is to be held on March 1 at McConkeys. Everyone can enjoy this function and every man of the year is expected to boost the Dinner and make it a success.

We regret to say that R. M. Harvie of '16 is suffering from an unpleasant attack of "Grippe." We all wish him a speedy

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Jim Pedley's "mattress" has been receiving a large amount of rough handling since Friday's issue on account of the letter which "Ostermoor" wrote concerning Militarism. Such honourable privates in the Q.O.R. as Bob Johnston, Herb Taylor, Bert Alley, and Joe Groves have been emphatically showing Jimmie their opposition to any attempt on his part to disparage the best regiment in Canada.

It is announced from "The Fussers' Headquarters" that Bill Parker will be the official representative of U.C. at the Conservatory of Music Ball.

Friday morning Bill McQueen was detected lugging a huge clothes basket full of hymn books to the Dining Hall. What is the idea? Are the patrons to hold service during meals?

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