

associate members. A great deal of work has been taken by members during the long vacation, with gratifying results. The Meditation Union is also well kept up. The officers for the ensuing year are as follows: President, the Rev. the Provost; Vice-Presidents, The Rev. the Dean and Rev. Prof. Roper; Secretary-Treasurer, W. M. Loucks, B.A.; Members of the Council, Revs. Canon Dumoulin, A. J. Broughall, Prof. Clark, J. Langtry, H. Symonds, and J. Scott Howard; Messrs. Broughall, Creighton, Leake, Lowe, McGill, Coleman.

During the long vacation two more windows have been added to those already placed in the east end of the chapel. The first one given by G. A. Mackenzie, Esq., M.A., in memory of his late father, represents St. Peter standing on the shore of the Lake of Gennesareth, while behind him is visible the expanse of water, with his own city, Capernaum, in the far background. Nearer can be seen the rigging, etc., of the boats on the lake. In the Apostle's hand are the weapons of his new life-work, viz., the keys committed to him by Our Lord, and a book representing the Faith of the Gospels. The countenance with its mingled expression of strength and contemplation, suitably depicts the strong impulsive nature of the Apostle. He is really pondering over the future of his life. Underneath lie fish of different kinds, emblematic of the Church in which he was to labour. The second, erected in memory of Provost Whitaker, represents Aaron as the High Priest, coming forth from behind the veil, and immediately behind and around him are grouped the chief elements of the service of the Tabernacle, viz., the golden candlestick, altar of burnt sacrifices, the trumpets, etc. Above the central figure are seen the wings of the cherubim encircling the central motto of the priesthood;—"Holiness"—in Hebrew characters. In the light below is the mercy seat, with the offering of incense ascending in the Holy Place. The greatest care has been taken in the working out of the High Priestly vestments. The five windows, now in position, make the chapel very much more beautiful, and we hope soon to see the whole nine complete.

The meeting of the Literary Institute, on Friday evening, 19th inst., was an exceptionally interesting one. The first feature of the evening was the ceremony of the presentation of the several new members; and as each "Fresh Gentleman," being introduced to the President and Secretary, ascended the platform with breast swelling with eloquence, to make his introductory speech, a contemplative listener could easily foresee to what an extent the Institute would be benefited by his membership. Mr. Coleman, the head of the year, expressed the pleasure and honor he experienced on being presented to such an able society, and, amid applause, was received into the body of the house. Each resident followed, agreeing substantially with this gentleman. Mr. Ross, after profound meditation, discovered that he had nothing to say,

and could scarcely find words to express the same. Mr. Webb followed, thoroughly endorsing the sentiments of the previous speaker. Mr. Orr found much more difficulty in *paddling* himself to the platform than he did in descending therefrom. The programme for the evening was then proceeded with. Mr. Carter Troop read his exceedingly well written essay, entitled "Our Only Humorist." The reader for the evening, Mr. Webb, entertained his hearers by the very amusing extract from Mathews on *Early Rising*. The Debate.—Resolved, that Retaliation on the lines of President Cleveland's message would be injurious to the Dominion. Mr. Coleman and Mr. Gemmill upheld the affirmative; and Mr. Orr and Mr. Leech the negative. Mr. Leech, in summing up for the negative, stuck to the argument most severely, and, notwithstanding a few pinches of salt, applied in the form of cross-fire from his adversaries, remained immovable until every drop of argument had been removed from the opposing case, leaving but a very slim skeleton on which to exist. This was made evident by the votes of the house in his favor. The Curator was then called upon to submit a full list of papers and periodicals, subscribed for by the Institute, and a revision of the list was made, resulting in substituting for the North American Review, the Atlantic Monthly; and the addition of the Saturday Review, and the New York Life. A committee, consisting of Messrs. Broughall, Houston, and Lowe, was appointed to take into consideration the ways and means for removing the Library and Reading Room to more convenient quarters, and the better arrangement of the same. The meeting then adjourned.

### PERSONAL.

The Provost and Prof. Roper were both in England during the vacation. The latter has returned from his trip much invigorated by the sea voyage and the long rest.

At the Annual Harvest Festival of St. George's Church, held on Wednesday evening, 17th instant, Prof. Clark preached an interesting sermon *apropos* to the occasion.

J. H. McGill, '89, has undertaken the duties of business manager in connection with this Review. We think that he will be a worthy successor of the late business manager, C. H. Shutt, B.A., and that in his hands the interests of the paper will be well looked after.

C. J. Hutton, '89, is back again with us after a year's absence.

H. P. Lowe, '89, has been placed in charge of the Chapel organ, since our old organist, J. C. Swallow, who for some time so ably filled the position, is no longer with us.

We very much regret that the serious illness of Mr. T. T. Norgate, the Divinity class scholarship holder and