tages offered by virtue of the extramural courses I should never have been able to secure a degree. It is Queen's which lends the helping hand to a struggling student. It is Queen's which deserves and has the undying gratitude of a host of men who have been enabled to pursue their studies with success and it is Queen's which deserves most of the Province of Ontario. She fills a place in the country which no other University ever did or ever can fill.

## ALMA MATER SOCIETY.

THE NEW JOURNAL STAFF.

The regular meeting of the A. M. S. was held on Saturday evening, March 25th, the President in the chair.

The Journal staff was elected for next year:

Ed. in Chief—D. A. McGregor.
Associate Editor—R. J. McDonald.
Managing Editor—J. L. Nicol.
DEPARTMENTS.

Ladies - Miss M. Gordon, Miss D. Harkness.

Arts-A. G. Cameron.

Medicine-J. P. MacNamara.

Science -P. M. Shorey.

Divinity—J. M. McDonald, B.A.

Athletics—D. C. Ramsay.

Exchanges-H. P. May.

Business Manager—N. F. Black.

Assistant—W. F. Brownlee.

Bus. Com.— Miss L. Odell, K. S. Twitchell, J. Collinson.

It was decided by the Society to allow the business manager of the Journal, to look after the financial part of the issuing of the hand book.

A committeee was appointed to arrange for the seating of the students in the gallery at the Medical Convocation, and to look after other arrangements.

At the meeting on April 1st, this committee reported, W. F. Nickle and J. M. Farrell were present, and the latter outlined the steps that were being taken to receive the Governor-General and Lord Strathcona.

## Exchanges.

A N exchange tells us that one half of one per cent. of the population of the United States is composed of college men. From this number come 45 per cent. of the senators, 39 per cent. of the congressmen, 56 per cent. of the vice-presidents, 65 per cent of the speakers of the house of representatives, 83 per cent. of supreme court justices, and 70 per cent. of the presidents.

Magistrate—''You must be subjected to a great many temptations, you are up here so often."

Meek Man—"Dat's de fac', boss. Dis here am a world of temptations an' trials. But de trials hit me de hardest, boss!"—Ex.

## MODEST STUDENT.

The courier calls on the king,
And boasts of a second invitation
The student never gets vain
On receiving a second "zamination."

The singer returns with a smile When the listeners clamor for more, But the student not by a mile Boasts of a professor's encore.

→Athenaeum.

It is said that the University of Minnesota has a basketball team composed wholly of members of the faculty which can defeat any of the undergraduate teams in the University.