

We have received a communication from the "Growler." He asks "why the Engineering students of the top row, should have to bear the brunt of the evil doings of the whole class, and made the unhappy victims of a professor's sarcasm?"

Is there no way of gaining sense without passing through the mill of experience? If students had all the money they have squandered on books they did not need, instruments not required for ten years, and on grinds which a little study would have dispensed with, how much better off they would be.

There is hope and work in store for the present second year in Medicine. An effort will be made to arrange a practical class in Pathology next year, which all may and should attend without any extra fee. Dr. Johnson never spares himself when there is an opportunity of increasing the efficiency of the Pathological Department.

The Football Club made two important moves at the annual meeting, in electing representatives on the committee from the Faculty of Comparative Medicine, and by resolving that, in future, the reports of the secretary and treasurer be published in THE UNIVERSITY GAZETTE.

Every club or association in the University should have its treasurer's statement audited and published.

It is a pity that the contest for Valedictorian became so personal. Bowes has a fine presence, good manner, and striking delivery; while Bissett possesses versatility of thought, keen and clever humor, and a delicacy in flattery, while really rubbing hard the recipient. On these points the men should be judged, and not on the stupid personal issues, Anti-Zyte, Anti-Catholic, and Anti-Clique cries that were raised.

Every student will lament the accident that has befallen the Professor of Surgery, both on account of the unpleasantness to so esteemed a man as Dr. Fenwick and for the loss that missing even one of his lectures entails, but it was worth a week's illness to receive such a reception as the boys gave the old Doctor when he appeared on Monday. There was unmistakable evidence that "he was all right."

Referring to "Seniors" letter, calling attention to the ruffianism of three students who, on the 2nd of December, were guilty of the abominable conduct he

alludes to, and his enquiry as to what proportion of students are competent to such an outrage? we can only say that even among students the spirit of wantonness is not extinct. We have enquired into the case, and find it exactly as stated. The Medical students should take steps to publish an apology in THE GAZETTE.

The Y.M.C.A., in connection with the University, has two classes of members between which is fixed a great gulf—the one open to men of confessed and professed religious belief and life, the other open to any one who may choose to apply for admission without any confession, faith, or test of conformity. In the first are included some of the most upright men in the University, who stand first in their classes and in the estimation of the student world. But between many of the others and ordinary mortals there is no ready means of distinction, and those who are bound up in the welfare of the Association should take pains that not too many are attracted to their ranks by the prospective loaves and fishes which this Christian community is in the habit of distributing to those who may in any way touch the hem of its garment.

At a Meeting of the Directors, held on Friday, 20th instant, it was unanimously resolved to authorize and accept the responsibility of publishing "The Gazette" weekly, provided the Editors could see their way to furnishing the necessary matter regularly every week, and to give the extra time and attention that would be called for by such a frequent issue.

[This is an important move, and if the Editors accept the responsibility attaching to them, they can only do so upon receiving a generous support on the part of all the Students of the different Faculties of the University. The strong impetus which THE GAZETTE has received from the Faculty of Medicine, particularly in the matter of subscribers, has led up to the above resolution, but if the paper is to be continued as a weekly, and to be truly representative of all University interests, it must receive a like support from all the other Faculties. The Editors would particularly request that information may be supplied to them by all and any who are acquainted with matters of University interest.—Eds.]