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UNIVERSITY COLLEGE

It is 3.30 and there is not a college note on the hungry looking copy-book. Instead there is the following letter—
To the Editor of "The Varsity."

Dear Sir:
With regard to certain notices which have appeared recently in your columns, I would like to say that the standard of Journalism, which I assume, is aimed at by "The Varsity" cannot possibly be attained through such foolish articles. I do not intend to cast any slurs on the officials of this paper but on certain (not all) Faculty Representatives who insist on inserting uninteresting trivialities which make the paper more or less of a joke and these same Representatives delight in encouraging the faculty which they represent to contribute writings which are a detriment to the success of this medium of the student-body. As a means of remedying this, I would like to state that insertions which are of no interest to the readers of "The Varsity," as a whole, should most decidedly be cut out. Thanking you for your valuable space.

"A RESIDENT."
Now U.C. Men, it is up to you. Would you like to see the College news column entirely cut out? Or do you think the column is satisfactory as it is? Or would you prefer to have these notes grouped in the time honored form but improved in respect of the tone of its contents? If you answer this last question in the affirmative you must be prepared to do your share in improving this page. One man cannot cover all the College news. It is up to you.

MEDICAL NOTES

Do you Medicos ever see anything happen. If so why not tell us about it. We are receiving complaints about the class of notes contained in this column (See letter in University College Notes). That is bad enough but from the Med's. we don't even get 'punk stuff'—we get nothing.
Do not leave everything to your representative. He wants to get his year too. But hand him the news. The copy box in the Medical Building was not originally intended to be a receptacle for cigarette butts. Surely you can tell of some interesting happening in the halls or at the clinics. It is only a minutes work and the College news column will become a feature to be looked forward to with avidity.
Here is a note that has just come to hand. Give us more and more of them.
Dr.—"How would you test the seventh nerve, Mr. G.?"
Mr. G.—"See if the patient can move his ears."

APPLIED SCIENCE

Under the head of U.C. Notes you will find a very pointed letter referring to the class of paragraphs appearing in these columns. 'Resident' is right. This page, which should contain the brightest and breeziest sort of sidelights on College life has become a dumping ground for a class of articles that cannot be honestly called either humorous or 'newsy.'
One or two men can not possibly gather the news in a faculty as large as Applied Science. You must give them a little assistance if this paper is to be improved in the College News department. We have faith in the possibilities of this column but we cannot keep it going on the material that is coming in. You have two live men representing you but you can easily understand that no two men can possibly run into all the interesting and humorous occurrences that take place every day in the labs. and drafting rooms. There is a box for copy in the Engineering building. This is your chance to pass on the news. It is up to you.
Do you realise that scientific notes in simple language are far more interesting than trivial personalities about Bill Jones red and green tie.

TIME TO GO.—"Pa, is a vessel a boat?"
"Er—yes—you may call it that."
"Well, what kind of a boat is a blood-vessel?"
"It's a life-boat. Now run away to bed."—Boston Transcript.

FACULTY OF FORESTRY

Just read the letter in University College Notes and then think about it for a few minutes.
Do you want this column continued. On Monday we had to turn down enough news to fill these columns simply because we had faith in the idea that college men like the notes.
When we get a letter such as Resident writes we must conclude that the College news column must go or be improved. If there is to be improvement it must come from you.

TRINITY COLLEGE

The stirring appeal of the placard posted over the Varsity box in the front hall of the College has not succeeded in moving the stony hearts of those who pass it daily. The honour of placing the first contribution in the box is awaiting some daring student. If a half dozen or more come with their contributions at the same time they will be expected to line up and conduct themselves in an orderly manner.

VICTORIA COLLEGE

A newspaper man was once asked 'What is News?' He replied 'A dog bites a man,' that is not news, but a man bites a dog, that is news.
There is not a day passes that something interesting does not take place at Victoria but no one ever thinks of telling the Varsity representative about it or sending it into the Varsity.
We need the College News. It is up to you.

FORESTRY CLUB

A special meeting of the Club has been called for Thursday evening February 1st. "Stunt Night" showed that we are able to have a splendid programme all by ourselves, and it is partly to carry this principle further that this meeting has been called. Preparatory to the meeting each man is going to write a brief paper on "What is Forestry"—something short and to the point—not a definition only, but something that would give the layman some proper idea of what our work is. These papers will be looked over by the committee and brought before the meeting for discussion.
One of the greatest problems before the forester is to educate the public along forestry lines, to show the public what is possible where scientific forestry is in vogue, and finally to convince the public that only when forestry methods are adopted in the administration of our timberlands can the administration of our natural resources be truly economic.

SCOTCH CURLERS PLAY

University Rink Defeated Lanarkshire Team on Friday
On Friday afternoon at the Lakeview Club, a Varsity rink, skipped by A. D. LePan met the Lanarkshire rink skipped by the veteran J. Telford, and after an exceedingly hard game came out on top with a score of 15-9. The University Curling Club feel honored in having had an opportunity of meeting these curlers from across the deep, as it is the only university rink in Canada which has had the privilege, and we are pleased they gave such a good account of themselves. President Falconer was unable to play on the rink on account of important engagements. Following were the rinks:
University—E. A. Ternan, C. R. Redfern, W. M. Treadgold, A. D. Le Pan (Skipper)—15.
Lanarkshire—J. Hewitson, Capt. Ashley J. Kennedy, J. Telford (Skipper)—9.
The continued cold weather has given the new curlers of the club a good chance to get in lots of practice, and it is hoped to get the regular inter-rink games going next week. The club has been divided into seven rinks with the following skips in charge:—W. M. Treadgold; A. D. Le Pan, W. C. Blackwood, C. R. Redfern, E. A. Ternan, W. A. Kirkwood, J. W. Deyell.
The Queens University Curling Team are expected to send up a couple of rinks in about a week, and the return match will be played sometime in February.

A Hot Dish for a Cold Day

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