

THINGS have been somewhat lively around our Treasurer's office of late. As nearly all old subscriptions expire with the April issue, remittances are coming in from the unpaid. Conscience money is always welcome. The driftwood of the last month will help to keep the fire burning.

THE efforts of the promoters of the Queen's College Jubilee Fund, have been abundantly successful. Subscriptions for the \$250,000 have been received. Principal Grant expects to leave soon for an extended trip, possibly round the world, for the benefit of his health. He has not been able to carry on his college work this session.

THE students have turned their backs on all the frivolities of this world. The hum of industry, "the sound of the grinding" is the only music heard. There are certain prizes within sight, more substantial than the pliant myrtle and olive, and the racers, with tightened belts and firm-set teeth, are making a last bold dash.

THE attention of students and ministers is directed to this month's advertising pages. We endeavor to keep new and valuable books before our readers. Booksellers have discovered that readers of THE MONTHLY are the best book buyers and are anxious to make their advertisements as interesting and attractive as possible.

QUITE a number have taken advantage of the offer made last month of *The Missionary Review*, edited by Rev. Drs. A. T. Pierson and J. M. Sherwood, price \$2.00, to all MONTHLY subscribers, new or old, for \$1.50. This offer is still made. Any one sending \$2.50 to D. McGilvray, Knox College, will have both magazines sent for one year. The *Review* is without doubt the best missionary periodical published.

"It is thundering all around the sky" in favor of the Library. The authorities are considering the question of increased accommodation, and during the summer vacation improvements will probably be made. Friends throughout the Church are interesting themselves in raising funds for the purchase of books. One gentleman has signified his desire to be one of ten to give \$500 each for endowment. Where are the nine? The Alumni will discuss the whole question in April.

THIS is the season of the year when "your vote and influence are respectfully requested." The elections in the Literary Society took place on Friday, 2nd inst. As there was no contest for the Presidency excitement did not run very high. Everything passed off pleasantly, and a good committee was elected. The annual reports presented showed the Society to be in a flourishing condition, all accounts paid and a good balance on hand. The business manager of the MONTHLY reported the state of the magazine's finances, and urged the members to earnest effort in the matter of extending its circulation. The editors' report emphasized the benefit to be derived by the preparation for publication of one good article during the year. They expressed their desire to see a taste for writing cultivated by the undergraduates.

THE General Committee elected for next year is as follows:—President, Geo. Needham; 1st Vice-President, M. C. Rumball; 2nd Vice-President, John Robertson; Critic, John Crawford; Recording Secre-