

Divinity.

A few years ago a Theology student of one of the Scottish universities was supplying in one of the smaller towns during the summer. This student, who is now a well-known author and professor in a theological college, was in the habit of smoking on the street. One of the elders of the kirk undertook to point out to the student the bad influence this habit would have on the boys of the town. The student's answer was, "Well you can't expect all the virtues for a guinea a week." This was certainly a witty rejoinder and was not intended to justify the habit. But it no doubt brought to the mind of the elder the position of responsibility that each must assume who undertakes the part of critic. In other words criticism can never be wholly or even chiefly negative. One cannot set to work to show that existing conditions are wrong or accepted beliefs untrue, without the question staring him in the face,—how are you going to make things better? This is said to be a critical age, and it is truly so, just because there has never been such general acceptance of the responsibility of each for things as they are, and such willing effort on the part of each to in some way make them better.

A large number of students attended the postponed meeting of the Q. T. S., on Wednesday of last week, to hear Prof. Morison's review of "The Religion of the Future," a book written by President Elliott, of Harvard University.

Mrs. Ross was "At Home" to the students of the Theological faculty on Friday evening of last week. A most delightful evening was spent with the Dean and Mrs. Ross.

Education.

ONE phase of the work in Education was concluded last week, viz.,—the practice teaching in the public school. While we can speak only in terms of the highest praise of the courteous treatment we have received from all the staff of Victoria School, yet we cannot help feeling delighted that one section of our work is really finished.

Mr. W. J. Weir, B.A., left Tuesday to assume the duties of acting principal of Arthur High School. We congratulate him on his success, but are sorry to lose a member of our faculty.

Miss Jean Reid, B.A., of the Education class of '09, is teaching in the Drayton Continuation School.

Some original definitions of musical terms have been contributed by a member of the faculty and will, no doubt, prove valuable information, especially to the students in the department of music.