### SCHOOL OF PRACTICAL SCIENCE.

"We freeze to win" is the motto recently adopted by the Civils of the Third Year.

"Tommy" Irvine, who is attending McGill this year, came down with the Montreal athletes on Thursday.

Mr. W. C. Tennant, B.A.Sc., has been appointed to the Fellowship in Civil Engineering rendered vacant by the resignation of Mr. Harkness.

"Ethyl cannot exist alone but only in combination with some other radicle," remarked the lecturer in Applied Chemistry. "Poor Girl," murmured a sympathetic Senior in the back row.

The Freshman who posts his letters by dropping them on the window-sill, where incoming mail matter finds a resting place, will be disappointed to learn of the non-delivery of his missives. The delinquency of the post office authorities is amazing.

We greatly regret having to report the resignation of Mr. J. A. Duff, B.A., Lecturer in Applied Mechanics. For two years he has been struggling against ill-health, but not until a short time ago did he abandon the hope of resuming his work with us. The sincere sympathy of the School goes out to Mr. Duff. Mr. J. McGowan, B.A., B.A.Sc., has been appointed as his successor.

It appears that a certain loquacious Freshman has misgivings as to the charitable feelings entertained for him by the Sophomores. Consequently the other day when they endeavored to show in some tangible manner their appreciation of his youthful simplicity, he straightway proceeded to apprise the neighbors of the event in no uncertain voice. The latter also seemed to doubt the benevolent intentions of the Good Samaritans and forthwith began to extract names for future reference. Oh, the ingratitude of humanity!

The locations of those members of the Faculty who have recently resigned are as follows: Mr. W. Monds, B.A.Sc., is engineer for Messrs. Munro & Piggot, contractors, Spanish River, Ont.; Mr. A. H. A. Robinson, B.A.Sc., is on survey work in the Temiscaming region; Mr. J. T. M. Burnside, B.A.Sc., is an officer in the West-African Constabulary; and Mr. J. A. De Cew, B.A.Sc., is chemist for The Canada Paper Company, Windsor Mills, P.Q. We wish unlimited success to all. Mr. Burnside will be particularly missed by all good sportsmen, and the work which he did in the cause of University athletics cannot soon be forgotten.

News of a happy reunion comes from Shenectady, N.Y. School of Science graduates and their Canadian friends met in the Union Street House, the Canadian Club of Shenectady, and spent a few hours recalling old times. The guest of the evening was Mr. W. J. Adams, an Honor Graduate of Lehigh University, and who is at present in a responsible position with The General Electric Company. Among those present were Brebner, Henry, Grey, Saunders, Barley, Henderson, Graduates of the School of Prac-

tical Science, Toronto; Johnston, Smither and Wright, Undergraduates of S. P. S.; Stewart, of London; Laidlaw, of Hamilton; Haugh, of Toronto, and Lushbrook, of Peterboro'. After a sumptuous supper, toasts to "The King," "Canada," "The Land of the Stars and Stripes," "The Principal and Staff of School of Science," "Our Sister Universities," and "The Ladies" were heartily responded to. It is intended to make the event an annual affair.—Globe.

One night, not long since, a poor, sorrowful-looking chap was seen wandering through the Park with three pots of paint in one hand and a corresponding number of brushes in the other. Tours fell from his eyes, for he knew not where to put the pigment. Finally he came to some property belonging to a certain community of sawbones that dwell across the way from the abode of the righteous. A sigh of relief escaped from him, and after applying the substance vigorously he passed on in happiness. Now it happened that the color of the pigment or its place of application didn't suit the aforementioned parties, and a few nights later another wandering dauber happened along with three other pots containing tints more suited to them. He apparently was not at a great loss to find a place of deposit for the burden, for when he came to the Temple of the Meek and Peaceful he proceeded to plaster it about in various configurations, much to the discomfiture of the Saints of the Park. In view of these occurrences, we think it would be to the interests of all if a monster board fence were erected on the campus where errant daubers could relieve their over-wrought souls and incidentally empty their paint pots.

#### FACULTY OF MEDICINE.

W. T. Kergin, M.B., left on Friday for British Columbia, where he will practice the healing art.

Messrs. Fletcher and Archer, winners of the First and Third Faculty Silver Medals, '02, are on the House Staff of the Hamilton General Hospital.

The Class of '02 has two of its members serving on the House Staff of the Hospital for Sick Children, Drs. J. A. S. Graham and A. B. Wright.

Mr. N. H. Sutton, of '03, has returned after a vacation spent in British Columbia. He has reasons of his own for wearing a nice, new, black beard.

The new six-years' course in Arts and Medicine is meeting with considerable favor. So much so, that some 20 men in the First Year are registered in it.

A promising Freshman named Meril Was observed to converse with a geril, But such conduct as this Is considered amiss, And so of the tap he's in peril.

Messrs. Spahn and Goode, of '05, rejoin the Class this week. We regret to learn that severe illness was the cause of the extra holiday in the case of each of the gentlemen named.

Judging by the stories told in the corridors it would be interesting to have

full accounts of how medical students spend their vacations.

Does anyone know what has become of "Cap." Robinson? He is about the most missed man in the Class of '05, and the place he made for himself last year will probably be a long time empty.

P. W. Saunders, who ranked equal with H. E. Roaf, for the Faculty Gold Medal this year, is House Surgeon in the Toronto General Hospital. Mr. Roaf is in Liverpool, Eng., engaged in post-graduate work.

The Executive of the Medical Society held their first meeting last week. Besides arranging for the usual supply of periodicals for the Reading Room, it was decided to provide a piano for the old school and another for the Primary Class at the Biolog.

The new Medical Building is progressing well towards completion. Readers of The Varsity will recollect a full description of the plans published in one of the spring issues. It is confidently hoped that it will be ready for occupancy before the New Year.

J. E. Davey, M.B., is engaged in research work in the old school in connection with the George Brown Memorial Scholarship, while A. Moir, M.B., is similarly engaged in the Biological Department, in connection with the Reeve Scholarship in Medical Science.

Active preparations are being made for the usual entertainment following the annual elections of the Dinner Committee on Hallowe'en. Dr. Reeve very kindly entertained a number of the boys who met on Wednesday evening to consider the musical programme.

A certain Freshman takes encouragement from the superior airs of his seniors. He says that a certain article of diet and commerce, although much prized in the fresh state, yet, if judiciously sat upon, often develops into something of greater value. He has strong hopes of a bright future, reasoning from analogy.

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