

neat form, hailing from Winnipeg, Manitoba. "The Building of a Sonnet," "The Dream of Gerontius," "Where Music Was Prayer," "Madame de Sevigne," are articles that all betray a real literary workmanship.

The "Dedication" number of the *College Mercury* will appeal to others than to the students of the College of New York, which has but recently moved into its new home. The accompanying half-tone of the mural painting entitled "The Graduate," is a masterpiece rich with lessons for the youth going forth from his Alma Mater.

The April *Victorian* brings its usual tribute of a series of thoughtful articles. The writer who treats so exhaustively "The High School Fraternity"—though he is manifestly within the truth—is unnecessarily severe in his language on the tendency of societies in lower schools to "ape." It seems to be one of the most persistent needs of human beings to imitate the faults of as often the good points of models.

"Editors are melancholy men. They are supposed to run the paper they edit. Yet to see the editor collecting his contributions for his next number is a melancholy sight. In the first place nobody ever writes anything. In the next place they never give in what they do write. In the third place when anything does come in, it is promptly thrown out again, owing to lack of space."

—*The Mitrè.*

Priorum Temporum Flores.

At the concluding session of the Ottawa Teachers' Convention held here at the Normal School, Mr. P. Leddy, B.A., principal of St. Patrick's Separate School, was elected president.

Hon. F. R. Latchford, formerly Commissioner of Public Works, and later Attorney-General of Ontario, has been appointed a Judge of the High Court of Ontario, and will take up his duties in September at Toronto. Mr. Latchford was born at Ottawa in 1856. He graduated from this university in 1882, taking among other honors Archbishop's Duhamel's medal for an essay in Christian Doctrine, the Governor-General's medal for the best English essay, and the Pope's medal for the best Latin essay on a subject of phil-