Dr. Stevenson, (reading to second year from "Adventures in Contentment")—"Sir, you have arrived at the psychological moment."

Gowdie (entering late)—"I beg your pardon."

Rumour has it that if baptism by sprinkling preceeds future chemistry lectures someone will be finding his hospital ticket a good investment. This is not a threat—merely a warning.

## A MISUNDERSTANDING.

It has been a stipulated rule that all first and second year men must attend roll-call every morning, but the students have tried to outlive the letter of the law by assembling in Massey Hall in time for devotional exercises and then awaiting the calling of the roll. However, it chanced recently the Dean overlooked the scripture reading and prayer and called the roll before the students had assembled in toto. Some thought the oversight was the outcome of forgetfulness while others concluded there was a purpose in it, as with one accord the Sophs automatically dismissed themselves as soon as the Dean had the names of the absentees,regretting of course that the devotional exercises had been overlooked.

We trust that in future the Dean will continue to hallow our mornings with devotional exercises preceding roll-call.

Prof. Harcourt's ruling that the girls shall enter chemistry lecture room by the front door while freshmen enter by the side entrance in order that the sheep may be separated from the goats has met with general disfavor. If it is a reflection on "Mary had a little lamb," the boys will be feeling rather sheepish.

Beattie and McDonald accompanied two Mac Hall girls from church to the brow of the hill on a recent Sabbath, and then bid them farewell and hastened along alone. Was the deep snow alone the cause of their cold feet?

Quirie has a peculiar ankle. It is always in good condition for sports and general use, but when he begins to get the wrong end of any play that ankle is accused of being weak. An ankle support or a diet of 'grit' have been suggested.

Pawley says he's just "Aitken" to attend another Mac Hall social.

After exhaustive research and special experiment on Parfitt, Dunn and Shepherd, our Bacteriology Department has succeeded in isolating a new and virulent bacillus which they have named the Mac Hall germ.

Many of the O.A.C. students show symptoms and many others fear contagion, but some consider themselves immune. McLean says it won't Work on him and as yet McLennan's Day has not come, but Ziegler shows symptoms which are hard to diagnose, tho' they closely resemble Hay fever. Allen is now suffering from an attack but he still has a Bright future before him. Sibbick's case seemed hopeless for a while but we think he will retain his Sole. Geddes has decided to Gow home for a while if the spread is not soon checked.

None are really immune from these ravages but a good preventive is a mustache like Munny Munro's or a cane like George DeLong's.

If Dr. Creelman had stayed away a little longer we fear that Murdock would have been handling the reins of government in more than year '20.