

taken to raise funds for this purpose. The alumnae, well knowing whereof they speak, regard such a residence as "an imperative necessity because of the extreme youthfulness of many of the girls entering the University, the increasing difficulty of obtaining proper accommodation in the city, and the strong desire among the girls at present attending the University to have such a Residence." The lack of such a building tells heavily against Queen's in comparison with Toronto, Victoria or McGill, and it is hoped that the efforts of the alumnae may be so assisted by other friends of the University as to provide for this need at an early date.

Thus far we have referred only to the needs of the Arts Faculty in instruction and in accommodation, but there is need on behalf of the students of all the Faculties for a building that will serve the combined purposes of Y.M.C.A. and Students' Union. Living in lodgings throughout the city, our students have no place where they can meet for social intercourse and for the cultivation of those fellowships which form in many ways the best part of college life. We need a building that would provide dining accommodation for several hundreds, with a large hall for student gatherings for which Convocation Hall may be unsuited, and with convenient rooms for Bible study, for committee meetings, for recreation and for other purposes. In many Universities the Y.M.C.A. and the Students' Union have separate buildings, but it seems quite practicable to combine these at Queen's.

These are our chief needs at present, and each of them is urgent. Queen's looks to her graduates and other friends hopefully to-day for help as in the days gone by. Her past and present use of the gifts bestowed on her is the guarantee she gives for the wise and faithful use of future benefactions. She looks and hopes for help, and surely her hope will not be put to shame.