

reception was gotten up and carried out although very little time was at the disposal of the committee. Hundreds met them at the station, and headed by a band a procession was formed and the town paraded. At the City Hall speeches were made and congratulations extended. In behalf of the boys the JOURNAL thanks the citizens of Kingston for the magnificent reception accorded them. In conclusion we hope this feeling of friendship may long continue between "town and gown," and with the hearty support of the students and the good wishes of the people of Kingston may a team from Queen's long continue to bring the championship trophy to the "Old Ontario Strand."

COLLEGE NEWS.

A. M. S.

THE regular meeting of the Society, held on the 18th of November, was very well attended, and the proceedings throughout were interesting and enthusiastic. The motions by F. Hugo, M.A., that the Executive Committee arrange a series of Inter-Year debates and that the Mock Parliament be re-organized were discussed and carried. A communication, dealing with certain relations existing between the Football Club and the Athletic Committee, brought forth able addresses from Messrs. Mowat, H. R. Grant and several others, and after much light had been thrown on the matter by these gentlemen, the question was amicably settled. The fact that last Saturday night was nomination night, brought out a great number of the students, including many medicals, and when President Walker called the meeting to order, Convocation Hall was pretty well filled. A motion by G. F. Macdonnell, M.A., dealing with the relation of the Athletic Committee to the different Athletic Committees, was carried. It was decided to hold the annual Convesazione on the Friday before the college closes for the Christmas holidays, and a committee was appointed to arrange for the same, consisting of Messrs. Davis, Beaton, Ross, Farrell, W. G. Irving, Macdonnell, Mowat, J. M. Millar, Peck, Horsey, Peacock, Ford, Fleming, Kirkpatrick, C. F. Laird, Hugo, Shortt and Gandier. A committee was also appointed to solicit subscriptions from the friends of Queen's to provide suitable trophies to be presented to each member of the football team. The well-known voice of W. F. Nickle, B.A., was heard on behalf of athletics. He spoke at length upon the condition of the Campus and advised that steps at once be taken to place the same second to none in Canada. He also very kindly offered to use all his influence in soliciting subscriptions for this improvement. The committee appointed to select leaders for the Mock Parliament reported and advised that G. F. Macdonnell, M.A., be appointed leader of the

opposition. The nominations for the executive officers for the ensuing year were then received. The speeches of the nominators were interesting and well delivered and from the enthusiasm manifested in the nominations a very spirited contest for every office may be expected. The following were nominated: For President, J. M. Millar, M.A., T. H. Farrell, M.A., and Frank Hugo, M.A. Mr. Hugo retired from the contest in favor of Mr. Millar. For Vice-President, J. S. Shortt, E. R. Peacock and A. E. Ross, B.A. For Critic, W. McKellock and Geo. R. Lowe. For Secretary, J. A. McInnes and J. H. Turnbull. For Treasurer, Robt. Burton and G. A. Butler. For Assistant Secretary, J. Leckie and W. B. Gorden. For Committee, A. B. Ford (Medical), C. B. Foxe, '94, E. L. Pope, '95, G. F. Weatherhead, '96 and W. A. McLroy, '97.

Y. M. C. A.

During the week of prayer for young men special meetings were held each evening at 7 o'clock. With the kind permission of Mr. Williams, General Secretary of the city association, we met in a cosy corner of their building, and for half an hour held sweet converse with one another and with God. Remembering that a student's first duty is to study, we endeavored to encroach as little as possible upon the evening's work by meeting at an early hour and remaining no longer than thirty minutes. The first arrangement was for two meetings only, but all were so highly pleased with the first that it was unanimously voted to meet every night till Friday. The average attendance was over twenty-five, and the result of these gatherings upon the college at large, as well as upon the students who were present, cannot but be good. It may be that they were a partial cause of extra members coming out on the 17th, so that the English room was then filled to overflowing.

W. W. Peck, '93, was leader and C. H. Daly, B.A., was in charge of the singing. After opening exercises the leader spoke from the text given on the programme: "Wherefore it is lawful to do good on the Sabbath day," (Matt. xii, 12).

He first called attention to the spirit with which the Jews at this time were listening to and watching Jesus. They were not seeking for instruction, nor honestly trying to understand the guiding principles of Christ's life, but were anxious to drag Him down, to discredit, by finding in His remarks or actions something opposed to their traditions and customs. With this attitude the speaker contrasted that of Christ. He was a student of the same law as were the Jews, but He was not, like them, in bondage to the mere form or external expression of that law, but had looked into and understood its spirit and acted accordingly.