

## THE CONCERT.

The Yale-Princeton-McGill Glee and Banjo Concert on Friday night was an unqualified success. There was no hitch anywhere. The arrangements were wisely made, and carried out to the letter. And all, students, professors, citizens, and the press are united in the opinion that Friday's Theatre Night was more successful than any other similar event in the history of McGill.

This was due to the loyalty of the student-body generally, and the alacrity with which every Faculty responded to the call, and the enterprise of the McGill Glee and Banjo Club, and—let us give real credit to those on whose shoulders the burden of the work fell—the Committees.

The various Committees—Decoration, Reception, and Theatre Night—deserve the utmost praise for the manner in which the appointments were made and carried out. It would be as difficult, as it would be unfair, where there was no jar anywhere, to single out any of these for special mention, although for obvious reasons the Decoration Committee fell in for the lion's share of the general approbation.

Our fellow-students from Yale and Princeton, and the charming cantatrice who accompanied them from New York, cannot but be pleased at the reception accorded them by the citizens of Montreal and the students of McGill. On the part of the latter it was a vociferous and enthusiastic ovation. The students of McGill are whole-souled fellows, and when they all get together, where will you find a happier-hearted, more enthusiastic, and, if we do say it, a better conducted student-crew? So the Old McGill cries rang out, and those also of Princeton and Yale, never from lustier lungs or merrier hearts than those of Friday night last.

This has been our first departure from the traditional mode of observing Theatre Night. No one will now say that it has not been a delightful one. It seems rather strange that we have not before this awakened to the idea of associating with us in our annual celebrations the undergrads of sister universities in the republic. But now we have got a glimpse at least of the possibilities of the future. Canada is not insular, nor is McGill narrow in her sentiments and aspirations. We believe with Dr. Peterson in the "brotherhood of nations."

Wherefore let us hope that if other colors may not, yet often again at our glorious festival may the colors of Yale, Princeton, and McGill be intertwined, and over all the grand old flag of England and the star-spangled banner of the land of the free.

## UNDERGRADUATES LITERARY SOCIETY.

In directing the attention of the readers of the FORTNIGHTLY to this Society, it is with the special desire to reach the student body of McGill.

The interest shown in the meetings this session has been very encouraging, and the attendance above the average.

It is, however, quite within the limit of realization to have these weekly meetings becoming larger and larger, until old No. 1 Class Room would no longer be able to hold the numbers coming up every Friday evening; and thus there would be not only a sufficient reason for moving into more comfortable quarters, but also the advantage of a grand mass meeting of the students from all the Faculties, where the University spirit might be developed and strengthened.

Let us also bear in mind that we have to win back the laurels from Toronto University, which we successfully held for so many years, as well as win fresh fame in as yet untrodden fields, so that it is necessary to have command of all the eloquence which can possibly be furnished.

The General Committee will do everything possible to make the meetings interesting, and it is expected that those who take part will find time to make careful preparation.

It is with much pleasure we announce that a promise has been received from the Principal to be present and give an address in Molson Hall at our regular meeting on Friday, Nov. 1st. An invitation is extended to all who are interested, both students and their friends, to be present at this time to hear Dr. Peterson.

It is scarcely necessary to remind McGill students of the material assistance rendered the business department of this paper by our advertisers. It is doubtful indeed if the FORTNIGHTLY could be carried on successfully without such aid. The students are therefore asked to patronize those business men who have been good enough to favor and assist us by placing their advertisements in our columns.

This is only fair.

## CONTRIBUTIONS.

## SPORTS NIGHT.

## THE PROCESSION.

"For this relief much thanks."—Hamlet.

It was a great night. They began to assemble on the College grounds as early in the evening as 6.30, coming singly at first, then in couples, then in squads, then in battalions, and from all directions. The resounding shouts of advancing regiments on east and west Sherbrooke street heading for the College