

modesty, I'll just ask who has a better right to write than I have? Haven't I watched them all, and don't I know just the ins and outs of them better than any of the youngsters that are only sprouting up in the College? Now, Mr. Editor, if you'll just give me a chance at them, I'll try and tell you the truth and nothing else. Supposing we were to begin with the divinities that are going off this year. There's that man Jock Muirhead (of course if it was for printing I should say J. W. Muirhead, B.A.)—who knows him better than I do? Haven't I heard his yell for these years back? Many's a time I've come out of the cellar thinking it was the principal calling me. Of course since they've begun that noise up stairs with Connery—"yellocution they call it"—I'm trying to see the great value in Jock's voice, especially for a sleepy congregation. Well, I needn't tell you all the times we've had over the fixins of the Athletic Committee. He has given me some bother now and again, but you know you can stand that from a man who works like he does. In fact, Mr. Editor, that's just what I admire in him. He's not one of the kind who's all talk, but he puts his shoulder to the wheel and shoves hard. He's been the backbone of the JOURNAL, he's at it all the time in the College societies, and he's the same hard worker everywhere. But the curious part is he didn't drop any of this when he entered Divinity Hall; not even the yell. He keeps up his work and minds his own business. I'm told too that he finds time for other things. They say when he was in the Glee Club he found out what hard work it is to sing solos, and he then made up his mind to tackle the psalm of life as a duet. Well, I hope he will always stick to that, especially the psalm part, for I must say I don't care for these new-fashioned hymns. I see somebody has been rakin' them up in the JOURNAL. But to return to my subject, Mr. Editor: when Muirhead goes away, his place won't be like that hole in the water we hear about—we'll all find it hard to fill. The people that gets him will be lucky, Mr. Editor.

P.S.—If I was writing these things for print I'd sign my name "Understander," to signify where they were from, but being it's only to you I don't mind signing

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✦College News.✦

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THE meetings of the Society lack an element which always proves interesting and attractive, viz.: the entertainment. We can sympathize with the members of the executive who often attempt to procure entertainment, but through the seeming modesty or lack of interest on the part of those students who can assist, their attempts are made in vain. Discussion on the business of the Society is at all times beneficial and entertaining, but a repetition of the same or similar proceedings grows monotonous. Therefore it would be a pleasure to all if some of our members would make a slight sacrifice in overcoming their modesty, lack of interest, or whatever hinders them from benefitting themselves and others. The class in elocution have here an opportunity to set the ball rolling in this matter, and we have no doubt but that their example will be followed by others.

The following is a synopsis of the business of the Society:

A bill from Mr. Ohlke *re* some picture frames was referred to the Treasurer for investigation.

Another bill from Mr. Pense for A. M. S. notices of meetings was ordered to be paid.

A communication from Knox College asking for a representative at their Annual Dinner was referred to the Senior year. Another from the Bachelors of Kingston requesting the President and officers of the Society to their ball was received.

Another communication was read from Mr. T. C. Wilson, asking the students to take some steps in regard to six robes that were lost at the Conversat. A committee was appointed to investigate the matter and confer with Mr. Wilson.

A motion of Mr. Mowat's was carried, that a committee of Best, Grey, Fralick, McDougall and Mowat prepare a list of voters eligible to vote at the Alma Mater elections.

Mr. Muirhead, chairman of the Conversat committee, gave his report in which the work of the general committee and of the sub-committee seemed to have been done willingly and successfully, and a small balance left in