It is commonly believed that of all persons the Law Students are most guilty of an unnecessary verbosity on all occasions and opportunities that may arise. The following specimen appeared on a postal card issuing from the Arts Building, and transfers part of the onus to the broad shoulders and stout muscles of the winners of the Tug of War.

Carus Pater :-

The exigencies of a residence of several months duration in the crowded districts of civilization and centres of higher intellectual and physical development demand expenditures to an unanticipated extent. Those important and extensive allotments orig inally designed for the remuneration of the proprietress of my temporary domicile have, I deeply regret, been seriously encroached upon and well nigh annihilated by the necessities of recreative indulgence or social participations. Accordingly with respectful acknowledgments of my culpable extravagance I am compelled to request a speedy and celeritous reply, accompanied by an amount of sufficient magnitude to liquidate the requisitions herewith enclosed. Or in Horace's beautifully simple yet forcible language I might express myself:-

Senme sommo Moni. Sine qua non vivere possum.

M. J. D.O. M. Z.

Dolor Patris.

Then the father grim and growly
Reached up for the closet peg
Where there hung the pants of Johnnie
Large in waistlet long in leg.
"Ugh!" he growled, "I like this business:
Things have changed around somehow:
Erstwhile papa's pants fit Johnnie,
Johnnie's pants fit papa now."

Tro Hands

Last night I held her hand in mine,
Her hand so slender and divine
Endowed with all the graces.
But now another hand I hold
A hand well worth its weight in gold
Just think of it......four aces.

We had hoped to publish in this issue the opposition filed by Mrs. Morley in the famous "cat case" in the Magistrates Court. We find, however, that the record has been placed under lock and key until the 9th of December, when the case comes up for P. & H. The fate of the numerous "pussies" is therefore still undecided. Their lot has so far been full of bitterness, they having been already twice evicted from St. Louis de Mile-End and Maisonneuve.

As to whether they are saisissable or not can perhaps be best answered by the bailiffs interested. The process-verbal of seizure however describes them at length, and carefully divides them into the two groups of tortoise-shells and Thomas'es.

Personals,

Dr R. Tait McKenzie (of the M. G. H.) is, we regret to learn, indisposed. We look for his sleepy recovery

Mr. Craik, B.A. '92, has been settled at Waterville.

Mr. John A. Nicholson, B.A. 1886, for some time superintendent of Education for the province of Prince Edward Island, is now the principal of Cote St. Antoine Academy.

The marriage of Mr. Blatchford, B.A. '92, is reported.

Mr. H. C. Sutherland, B.A. '90, has been inducted into the pastorship of a flourishing congregation in Carman, Manitoba.

Dr. W. E. Inksetter, '90, who was one of the M. G. H. house surgeons in 1890-1891, has just finished a year of study in Great Britain, and now has accepted the position of Parish Medical Officer, of Ronsay, Orkney, Scotland, for one year.

Drs. W. D. Smith, '90, W. A. Farwell, 1891, and Howard Kemp, 1899, are practising at Sherbrooke, Que.

Dr. E. A. Robertson, B.A., has returned from a 6 months visit to the British Schools to take up practice in his home, Lennoxville, Que.

E. H. Hamilton, a former football captain, chemist for the Bergen Pt. Chemical Co., New Jersey.

C.B Kingston, Sc. '92, has left to fill a position in Colorado.

J. K. Addie, Sc. '80, is town engineer for Sherbrooke, P.Q., and is said to have a good surveying practice.

G. S. Smith, Sc. '92, has been appointed assistant to Prof. Nicolson.

H. M. Ramsay, Sc. '91, is in the emple of the Pennsylvania Ry.

Dr. D. B. Holden, B.A. (class '91), has settled in British Columbia after his year in England and Scotland.

E. J. Bullman, Sc. '91, is on H. M. S. "Galnare," engaged in coast survey work in the Gulf of St. Lawrence.

H. W. Walker. Sc. '91, who is prospecting in Montana, is said to have a good thing there.

We are pleased to learn that Mr. E. S. Mattice, App. Sc. '99, has been appointed one of the Govt. Engineers on the Cornwall Canal.

P. L. Naismith, '89, is at present employed on the waterworks of Denver, Colorado.

P. N. Evans, Sc. '90, who was awarded the "Great Exhibition" Scholarship, is studying chemistry in Leipzig.

R. E. Palmer, B.Se., is one of British Columbia's most promising civil engineers.