

With such an executive, there is no reason why this body should not prosper. All that is wanted is the co-operation of the members. Great trouble has always been experienced in collecting the fees and in securing men to take the debates. Such should not be the case. When one considers the benefits to be derived from debating, it is a matter of great wonder that the executive finds trouble in the securing of debaters during the season. A little more spirit—like that which animated the members of the French Society last year, and which rendered it so successful—is all that is necessary. If you are a member at all, you should be willing to do all that is required of you. If you are not so inclined, then, don't join the society at all.

A little more than a month and the Inter-Collegiate debate will take place. It will be an event in the history of this institution. It will be the first Inter-Collegiate debate ever held in Ottawa. Prepare yourselves accordingly. Let not the grass grow under your feet. As soon as possible agree upon the subject for debate and choose your debaters.

Rev. Dr. Sherry and Mr. Burke, are the representatives of the Debating Society to the meeting of Inter-Collegiate Debating Unions. They are respectively the Honorary President and Vice-President of that body.

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The exterior of the New Arts Building is all but completed. For seven long months the contractors have been striving to make the elaborate plans of the architect a reality. That they have succeeded few will deny. When finished it will be one of the most beautiful of Ottawa's beautiful buildings. It is an ornament to the city; a credit to the country. For all time to come it will stand a lasting monument to the pluck and energy of the Oblate Fathers.

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On St Edward's Day, October 13th, the feast of the Very Rev. J. E. Emery, O.M.I., D.D., our esteemed President, the students were granted a grand congé. And it was most opportune. Occurring as it did, the boys were enabled to see the great lacrosse match between the Capitals and the Shamrocks for the Journal Cup.