A FRENCH LESSON.

Twas a bright and moonlight evening. And we wandered on the shore, Quite alone and unmolested, As we oft had done before.

First we talked about my college, (While she tried my heart to wrench With sweet smiles and blushing glances, Then she chanced to speak of French

"Decline un baiser, please," she murmured, While closer to my side she drew; "Twas very wrong. I know, but yet, I could not well decline; could you?

F. W. H.

Correspondence.

Editors University Gazette.

QUEBEC, March 23rd.

Dear Sirs .- I am content to allow the matters in dispute between Mr. Palmer and myself to be judged by our respective reputations for veracity; but, as he has made several fresh charges against me, I must beg that space be accorded me for brief answers to them.

 I was guilty of no breach of faith in disclosing the identity of "X," because my answer to him was written before I had returned to the board; and my discovery of his authorship was made simply by get-ting from each of the other persons, who were in a position to have written the letter, a denial of being its perpetrator.

2. Instead of telling me plainly of his proposed course, Mr. Palmer merely remarked in a jocular way that he was going " to slang" me in the next GAZETTE I never dreamt he spoke seriously and had entirely forgotten the circumstance, until reminded of it by a

3. The authority for the interview spoken of by me, is Mr. Palmer himself, and it was related before a witness

4. Mr. Palmer's resignation was tendered at the shareholders' meeting by a fellow zite and friend.

5. Any one who bears in mind the talent for theatricals, exhibited on various occasions by the zites, will take Mr. Palmer's explanation of his acting as managing editor with a grain of salt.

6. The statement made in my previous letter about the editorials includes those of No. 5.

7. It has been a frequent practice with editors of the GAZETTE to cancel matter after it has been in type and is one which is still pursued.

Yours faithfully,

W. H. TURNER.

A Scotchman in London was at the bedside of his dying wife, who had originally come from the Highlands, and had always retained a strong affection for the land of her birth. "Promise me, Angus," she said, "that ye'll bury me in the Hielands; I could never rest quiet down here." "Weel." replied the prudent Angus, "I'll just see. If I find that ye canna rest quiet here, I'll hae ye removed to the Hielands." -Ex.

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