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Will each Society kindly appoint some one to do this, and will the individual appointed kindly send in his report by Wednesday afternoon at latest. This will ensure a fair amount of space in our columns to the various student organizations in connection with the College.

THE Business Manager and the Editors of THE VARSITY are gratified at the universal expression of approval of the appearance of the College paper. The general opinion seems to be that, in appearance, THE VARSITY is now unsurpassed among College journals. The Editors, however, would remind their friends that success depends very largely upon the subscription list, and they would urge upon every undergraduate the advisability, both for his own culture and the good of the paper, of subscribing at once.

THE Literary Society could undertake no better enterprise this winter than a series of high-class lectures and concerts in Convocation Hall. The experience of last year would suggest that these should be in reality managed by the students and not fictitiously so, through the management of an outsider. Social reformers, humorists, poets, eminent scientists, and divines all take the lecture platforms now-a-days and we should not be so slow as we have been in taking advantage of this proclivity. The society should authorize the committee to open correspondence at once with eminent American or Canadian lecturers, or Europeans who purpose visiting this continent shortly.

THERE is, we believe, a strong desire amongst the undergraduates of University College to have a dinner, which, while confined to and controlled by themselves, will not, therefore, exclude any graduate who may wish to take a seat at the festive board. Heretofore the undergraduates have been altogether overshadowed at the annual banquets. What the undergraduates wish is not so much a "banquet," as a "dinner," which, while as informal as possible, will be in keeping with the traditions of the past. We should be very glad to have an expression of opinion from the undergraduates upon this question, as we are sure that there is no element which needs more cultivation in and around our College than the spirit of sociability.

THE University College Glee Club has got under way again, and promises to be a most successful organization this year. The Club is to be congratulated upon its selection of a President. To no one, excepting perhaps last year's President, is the Club more indebted for the admirable position it has assumed as a musical society during the last few years than to Mr. A. G. Morphy. We understand that the Club does not at present contemplate the production of any work of as extensive a kind as was produced last year. They intend to confine their efforts to part singing, which, with the material in the Club, ought to be a most successful departure. We

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Topics of the Hour.

WE beg to call the attention of the proper authorities to the want of a sidewalk between the Gymnasium and the road leading to the University. This has been required for over a year, but so far nothing has been done. In wet weather this path is simply impassable, and makes a long detour necessary in order to get from the Gymnasium to the University. We hope the University authorities will have this matter attended to at once.

IN order that every Society be properly represented in THE VARSITY, and reports of all meetings regularly inserted, it is necessary that some one person should undertake this small duty.