

Editorial.

Another vacation has slipped away and once more the familiar halls of our college re-echo with the resolute step of many an earnest student of Theology and many an aspiring undergraduate in Arts.

With the opening of the Session of 1903-4, the JOURNAL enters upon the twenty-third year of its history. To our many friends we would extend cordial greetings, as we begin the work of the session. To our subscribers and contributors of past years we desire to offer our thanks, and to express the hope that they will extend to us the same cordial support and co-operation during the present session that they have always shown in the past. The JOURNAL is entering on its twenty-third year slightly hampered by financial considerations, and we therefore hope that each graduate and undergraduate will rally to the support of the editorial staff, and by their hearty co-operation and sympathy assist in maintaining the standard of the JOURNAL up to what it has been in past years.

Many of the features of past years will be reproduced. Our readers will be glad to learn that Dr. Campbell has again consented to contribute his Talks about Books, which have afforded so much pleasure and profit to all who have had the privilege of reading them in the past. A special effort will be made to secure a series of short articles from graduates, bearing on matters of general interest to ministers and students of Theology. The Graduates Column will also form an important feature, and items of interest relating to the graduates will be heartily welcomed by the corresponding editor. The local department will also be maintained, and should our local and exchange editor be found guilty of indulging in gentle humour at times, we trust our readers will bear with him, and remember that,

"A little nonsense now and then
Is relished by the wisest men."

As students, our experiences during the past summer have been many and varied; some have returned from spending the summer on the prairies of our great Northwest.