evil influences of many of these principles on the social sciences, and the absolute necessity of discarding them for the advancement of learning. Most of the foreign scientists are bitterly opposed to Darwinism, and it is only a sort of national pride that keeps us still in the ranks of the Darwinians. It is only fair now to ask, says the writer, that there be a halt in the process of Darwinizing popular thinking, and above all the social sciences, until the vanishing element of value in the Darwinian theory has been estimated at its true worth, by those who, because of their intimate relations with biology, are in a position to judge what is likely to be the ultimate significance of the very plausible and interesting speculations which came into biology just half a century ago, and have taken the observations of the intervening period to show their illusoriness.

J. M. J.

## Priorum Temporum Flores.

Canon Corkery, '76, recently paid Alma Mater a visit, and left in the Sanctum his annual contribution to the "sinews of war." Many thanks.

The Most Rev. A. Dontenwill, O.M.I., D.D., formerly professor at Varsity, paid a visit to his old home this month en route for Rome. The Review extends its respectful and hearty congratulations to his Lordship on his recent elevation to the Archbishopric of Victoria.

Rev. Jno. Dowd, '03, P.P. at Cantley, Que., was a welcome visitor to College halls during the month.

Rev. J. J. MacDonell, '02, has returned to his duties in Cornwall, greatly improved in health.

Rev. Jno. O'Gorman dropped in a few days ago to renew old acquaintances. Although the Rev. gentleman has been pursuing his studies for the past few years in Europe, he still says, "Canada is good enough for me."

During the month Alma Mater was favoured with a visit from Rev. J. R. O'Gorman, 'or, of Haileybury.

Among the "Old Boys" who, on their way to the Grand Seminary, Montreal, dropped in to spend a pleasant evening visiting "Old O. U." were the following: J. J. Harrington, W. Dooner, H. Letang, T. Sloan, J. George, C. J. Jones, A. Reynolds, A. B. Coté, A. Houle.