

Here and Away.

"THE best yet."

This was the verdict of all who attended the College Opening and Alumni meetings.

WE are bubbling over this month with piths and points and paragraphs, but the exigencies of space shut the safety valve. There were so many things deserving of note in connection with the Alumni meeting that this Department counted on six pages.

THERE was the election of officers, shewing Dr. Armstrong, Ottawa, President; J. Campbell, Granton, Vice-President; G. E. Freeman, Toronto, Secretary; W. Burns, Toronto, Treasurer "Goforth Fund"; and a good Executive. Then came the "Library" Report shewing activity and hope; the "College Mission" brighter than ever, while the financial statement of the MONTHLY was a delightful surprise. Then came the re-election of the associate editors and the nomination for the Senate. The public meeting in the evening with Principal Caven's great speech on "The Duty of the Ministry and the Church in view of Jesuit Aggression" could not be a failure.

THE second day's Alumni meeting was perhaps the most important. At it the question of additional lectureships in Knox College was discussed. R. C. Tibb introduced the subject and was supported by about a dozen members. Several felt themselves on delicate ground and tried to go softly lest they should be misunderstood by the Professors. But Dr. MacLaren cleared the way by joining with those who advocated the foundation of such a Lectureship and asking that his own department be given prominence. Several subjects were mentioned, among them that of "Comparative Religions," but as no plan was proposed a committee was appointed to consider the whole question, bring it before the Church and report to the next meeting of the Association. This committee is composed of Dr. MacLaren, R. P. Mackay, R. C. Tibb and the Editor of the MONTHLY. They will be heard from at an early date.