

his chief study at present, and it is his intention to publish a book on this subject at an early date.

L. H. Cass, '93, is now in Manitoba, and intends to purchase a farm in that province.

### Local.

#### Notice to Collectors of Historical Objects.

For Sale: (1) The sawdust of the live-stock class-room.

(2) The pen with which the vice-president of the Literary Society signed his resignation.

(3) Feathers of all qualities (5c. a ton). Apply to the Prof. of Organic Chemistry.

(4) An essay on the "Culture of Bermuda Lillies" scored full marks for originality. Note—Title may be changed to suit any particular culture. Very good opportunity for 2nd year men.

(5) Tin cans, 5c. a dozen, apply to Freshmen.

#### Scientific Dictionary.

1st year men contributors.

Cotton wool—Product of the lamb of the goat. This interesting animal is raised mostly in Yorkshire Co. (W-r-o-th).

Potato—One of the best cereal crops of Ireland. (B-a-m-t).

Berry—A fruit with the seeds stuck in a fatty mass. (Forbes).

Fuicrum—Same thing as a siphon. (Ice).

Spy apple—A round fruit, with a greenish green color. (Monroe).

Who says that spoon feeding is not what the first year require? Look at the honor list in book-keeping: 52 names! and there might be a good many more if the rest had not handed in blank papers.

How can a Crow's eye be suddenly changed into a Hawk's eye? Well the thing has been done in playing "Hawk-ey."

"I'd rather loose \$25 than to be seen on a manure load" said once this noble young man. How the mighty have fallen! Is not that same young man seen every day hauling the despised stuff from the Royal town? O stop! or your girl won't know you.

"New varieties of grain may be obtained by careful and scientific crossings," said the Prof. of Agriculture, "but *Sports* always spring by accident." It is said that a certain first year man got wild and left the class.

Red Top begs us to announce that he has found an infallible preventative against the Grip. The only objection against the remedy is that it tends to produce red hair and red noses. This however, he assures us, can be prevented by Dr. Andy's cure.

"Students of the O.A.C. receive every day an unlimited supply of fresh dairy butter." (Statement made by Pres. Mills, Jan. 9, 1899).

"A bird in the hand—said "Blow-me-down" in a moment of eloquence—is worth two in the bush."

"A tooth in the mouth," said cynical Sports, "is worth two on the floor."

"They have been advertising that strong man 'Bovril' for a long time," said the freshman, "I wonder when he is coming to Guelph?"

It can hardly be denied that a Chester, even if not quite white, is still better than a snake (*with apologies*.)

A 2nd year man, aimlessly wandering through the college halls has found a new bath-room, the existence of which nobody ever thought of; strange to say it seems to have been used already.

Prolonged and grating noises, in the midst of the night, have recently thrown into alarm the residents of the tower. Careful investigations have revealed that these mysterious sounds were due to Crow winding his watch.

I will get a box of candies for that girl, even if I had to buy a dozen, by dad!

Cote has given up the pipe and is taking dancing lessons. What would not a good young man do for his girls?

Chemistry class room—Prof: "Do you follow all right, Mr. Va—?" Joe: "He was all right when I went home at Xmas, thank you, Sir." (turning to a class-mate) "Wonder where Mr. S. met my father?"

Unfortunate Joe had understood: Is your father all right?

Once upon a time 3rd year men could be easily distinguished from the rest of the mortals at the O.A.C. They used to raise moustaches and were quite skilled at it. Some could even show a decent crop of whiskers, ranging in color from the deepest black to the brightest red. This