

10 o'clock everyone felt that he was an old friend. Though this reception was last it was by no means least.

The objects of these receptions are to get the students acquainted with the city churches and to promote a spirit of friendship between students and city

young people, and these objects are well attained. The results are even more far-reaching as many a graduate has proved. Is it any wonder that gatherings of this kind often end with the singing of "Blest be the Tie that Binds?"

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#### ALUMNI CLASS '17 MACDONALD.

Friends of the '17 graduating class of Macdonald Institute will, we are sure, read with interest the items of this article, and thus learn just what each member is doing to promote the ideals of Household Science.

Among the Housekeeper Class many have gone out to take positions of responsibility and trust, and we know that each will truly represent and uphold the high standard of Macdonald Institute. Five of the class are occupying positions as housekeeper and dietitian. Edith Elliott is in the General Hospital, Fort William; Etta Birdsall is in Regina Hospital; Helen Grant, in Montreal Hospital; Mabel Witmer, in the Y. W. C. A., Calgary and Helen Winslow in the Convalescent Home, Guelph. Rona Fraser is back with us this year, and although not as a student, we welcome her as one of the members of Macdonald Staff. Edith O'Fynn is recuperating from her arduous duties at "Mac," while visiting friends in the West. Miss Heary also has been spending the summer at home before commencing work in the Fall.

Of the Associate Class, four have found it impossible to withstand the

lure of "Mac" Life and are back to take the third year Associate Course. They are Doreen Bright, Dorothy Chown, Margaret Creelman and Edna Montgomery. After spending some time at the Battle Creek Sanitorium as pupil dietitians, they have returned to Macdonald Institute, which they think is "the place." Elizabeth Langford is pursuing pupil-dietitian work in Toronto General Hospital, and Verna Smith is in Detroit Hospital. Marie Sheridan has completed her term as pupil-dietitian in Hamilton Hospital, prior to taking a position in Toronto. "Jerry" Balkwill is making St. Thomas happy by her presence there.

The Normal Class have practically all taken up dietitian work. Florence Cooke, alone, is the only one who is teaching Household Science. Her work is in Halifax Ladies' College. Those in pupil-dietitian work are: Aleda Lammiman and Dorrit McCully in Montreal Hospital; Mabel Geddes in Wellesley, Toronto and Mary Duff in the Toronto General. Three girls of the class went out West to take summer schools, but not finding conditions very congenial, only one, Jean Grant, stayed with the job. Betty Birkett is now