tion was somewhat delayed, but now it is going on as usual. Mr. A. McEwen was unanimously elected Treasurer, Mr. Farrell being promoted to the Presidency. Principal Grant spoke to a large meeting on Friday, Nov. 3rd. He spoke of his visit to the White City and of the congresses he attended while there. He was specially impressed with the importance of good physical exercise as an almost necessary adjuvant to a true manly life. The rough game of football was particularly recommended at one congress, and the Principal pointed out that in order to excel in it a man must save all his energies for the game and not waste them in talking, much less in swearing and scrapping. We do not pretend to report his remarks in full, suffice it to say that he gave the boys a good plain, practical talk, and that we all enjoyed it.

We are now looking forward to a visit from Mr. Leslie, of McGill, the representative of the Inter-Collegiate Deputation, whom we expect about the beginning of December.

MEDICAL NOTES.

After a very keen contest for Presidency of the Æsculapian Society Dr. T. Connell carried the day by a small majority. Congratulations, old man.

The curators of the reading room are slow—but sure. It is whispered around that several dailies will be on file after Christmas; also that owing to a bad habit prevalent among Freshmen a few more large and commodious saliva receivers will be supplied.

The Concursus holds its first session next week. Tom says there is abundance of material.

Dr. Garrett—This paper, gentlemen, defines facial paralysis as follows: A man goes to bed at night all well, but when he gets up in the morning and looks in the glass he finds one or both sides of his face expressionless.

Isn't that song the boys sing about "My father sent down to Queen's, etc." rather personal?—Gr.ff-n.

O Freshman! fear nothing, for when the Y.M.C.A. neglects you, the Concursus will take you up.

Toby B.—If K. N. calls me Findlay again, I'll cut his class.

COLLEGE NOTES

There is some talk of the ladies banqueting the football team on condition that the championship cup grace the feast.

Several of the city churches have already held receptions for the students, and all of them have been very successful. The erstwhile timid and retiring freshman has been taught to wait outside the

church door till his "girl" comes out, and in many other ways his social and religious training has been advanced.

As a result of the combination of a naturally friendly courteous disposition, with a broad liberal-minded training, the editor of 'Varsity out of the realm of imagination has evolved the following: "Owing to strikes among the stone masons as well as the employees of the Kingston Street Car Company, Queen's were enabled to place their strongest team in the field."—Oct. 25th.

We hope that the Inter-year and Inter-Faculty Football matches are not to be discontinued. We have not the faintest sympathy with those who say that such competitions awaken an unhealthy rivalry. They arouse, on the other hand, a vigorous but good-natured spirit of competition, and do much to help the athletic life of the University, and to strengthen the belief which each student should have in the superiority of his own year or faculty. Every student, while with the most cordial feeling to all outsiders, should yet consider his own University to be the best in the Dominion, his own College to be the best in the University, and his own year the best in the College. Such a feeling may be provincial, but it is far better and far more productive of good work than the sickly cosmopolitanism so highly spoken of nowadays. And this spirit it is which Inter-year and Inter-Faculty Football matches tend to awaken.

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