

The second meeting was of a devotional nature and was held in the chapel on Monday evening, November 20th.

The Rev. W. H. Clarke gave an inspiring and helpful address from the first chapter of S. Paul's Epistle to the Philippians. This meeting was also well attended, and the thanks of the Society are due to Mr. Clarke for his thoughtful and interesting words.

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The Mission Study Class has been discontinued for the term owing to the nearness of the Christmas examinations. This class has been well attended, and much interest has been shown in "Japan and its Regeneration." This subject will be continued next term at the usual time—every Thursday at 2.15 p.m.

College Chronicle.

THE supper, held in the Common Room on the night of Monday, November 20th, was a great success in every way. Good songs and recitations, good order and good cheer, all contributed to make our old-time supper all that could be wished for on all sides. We were pleased to see so many old Trinity men—grads and otherwise—present, and to know that they enjoyed themselves as they once used to do, when more closely connected with the college than at present.

The presence of Messrs. Wadsworth, Osler, McMurrich, Campbell, Canfield, Parmenter and Baldwin assures a downright good time, but when added to that all the College men turned in also with a right good will, it goes without saying that the supper of November 20th will long be remembered as one of the most enjoyable events of the term.

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Rev. S. A. Lawrence was in College the other day. He looks well and strong after his long stay in Muskoka and returns to his parish with renewed health and strength.

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THE REVIEW is glad to hear that Mr. E. Murrell Wright, B.A., is improving wonderfully. The broken limb is mending rapidly, so rapidly in fact that Mr. Wright will be able to sit up in a few days.

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It has been said by some wise man that "coming events cast their shadows before." If this be true the great number of "sporting" oaks and an exceeding great demand for coal-oil may be classed as the shadows of certain examinations which are reported to be approaching. We would beg our readers to consider the shortness of this column as one of those shadows.

Trinity Medical College.

THE hunting season is over, and a couple of our professors who make this an annual outing have returned to resume lectures, full of health and venison. They speak highly of the invigorating influence of the Muskoka climate and would urge any student worn out with over-study to spend a few weeks there. There were plenty of deer and every member brought home all the law allows. We did not enquire, but we suppose they did the shooting themselves; Muskoka guides, we know, are first-class shots and it's nobody's business who shot the deer.

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Early in the session a new committee was formed, viz. the Athletic Association. These gentlemen have proved themselves to be by no means silent partners but have been very diligent in looking after the sports in connection with the school. The gymnasium, which has been getting more and

more out of repair each year, has been very much improved by them. They have put in a first-class punching-bag and a set of the very best boxing-gloves. These are fully appreciated by the boys, for there is no time in the day when some one is not making use of them. The punching-bag will be responsible for the growth of many a biceps and triceps, and scores of fellows will be led to glory in their strength. It has become the rule that between lectures there shall always be two antagonists in the ring, with a goodly crowd to view the scrap. No special rules seem to govern; those in force are unwritten but none the less binding. Before spring no doubt we may look for new challengers of Corbett or Sharkey. So far no nasal bones have suffered or orbits been colored nor has any one's solar plexus been reached.

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A couple of weeks ago, the Primary Years went up for examinations on bones and brain. That ordeal over successfully, they turned their attention to the dissecting room with its array of "subs." There they spend several hours each day learning more surely that man is indeed fearfully and wonderfully made, most of them wishing, I ween, that he had been put together in a simpler manner. By this time they are on the most friendly terms with their "subs" and you see no longer that blanching of countenance as they button on their aprons and go to renew their acquaintance. They have passed the stage when they expressed themselves in the words of one of the '01 men who has since left the school: "Ba goosh I fear I weel be seek." Now instead you hear those of one table criticizing the "sub" on another table and eloquently dilating on the good qualities of their own. Familiarity breeds contempt here as elsewhere, and looking in on these men at their work one—especially if he belonged to the laity—would be led to think they had lost all human feeling; but we venture to say that there is not one of them to whom at sometime the question has not arisen, "Who was his father?" "Who was her mother?"

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The dinner committee has settled finally on December 8th, as the date of the dinner. This event, the greatest in the whole year, is to come off in the Temple Cafe, and, it is not necessary to say, will be carried out in a most splendid manner. The Earl of Minto is to honour us with his presence. There will be many other men of distinction present on that occasion, so that no fears are held for the success of the affair; and those who come expecting "a feast of reason and a flow of soul" will not be disappointed. The banquet is something which no one should miss and we feel sure that every man will do his utmost to be there. Come and have a good time, and when we have passed out of the College and have grown old in the profession, we shall look back on such occasions and be able to live them over again and enjoy them to the full.

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Then on the 13th we look forward to another night's enjoyment, for the Literary Society is going to hold its concert on that date. The committee is going to secure the best talent our city can provide and we may expect a crowded house. Every freshman is urged to bring his best girl or girls, for there is no limit set to the number. On that occasion the rules governing freshmen are void; it is a hallowe'en for him and he will not be brought to account, if he *does* carry a cane and bring a lady of his own.

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For a few weeks a number of our boys have been writing on the council examinations, styled very well by some one the "*pons asinorum*" of medical students. We express a hearty wish that they may cross it successfully.