and the cornet is played by Master C. Boudreault. Phil Cornellier executes upon the flute.

Mr. Martin O'Gara, one of the graduates of 1910, who is at present following the course of studies at the Grand Seminary, Monntreal, paid Alma Mater a visit on Thursday, Feb. 6th and was the guest of the students at dinner. At the conclusion of the meal Mr. O'Gara addressed a few reminiscent words to the students, remarking a scarcity of familiar countenances in the ranks of the collegians. Mr. O'Gara concluded with a few words of praise for Alma Mater.

In the January number of *The Review*, Mr. Thomas McEvoy of Exeter College, Oxford, is found to have contributed an exceptionally interesting article dealing with the various phases of student life at the famous university, and also with the curriculum of studies and examinations.

The students are interested in the efforts of the members of the St. Patrick's Literary and Scientific Society to secure an increased membership to that organization. A large number of the day students have already been enrolled.

January 31st was a holiday for the students, this being the conge accorded them by His Lordship Bishop Ryan.

Leonard Kelley and Joe Coulas entertained at a supper party in Allen and Cochrane's drug store after the play "Julius Cæsar" on Thursday night, Jan. 30th. About fifteen students enjoyed the hospitality of these two popular young gentlemen.

## WEEKLY DEBATES.

"That the abolition of Capital Punishment is in the best interests of humanity" was the resolution which occupied the attention of the members of the English Debating Society on Monday evening, Feb. 3rd. The affirmative was represented by Messrs J. Sullivan, J. O'Reilly and W. McMillan. Speaking for The negative were Messrs. J. O'Brien, V. O'Neill and W. O'Hara. The debate was awarded to the affirmative. Mr. A. Maher presided over the meeting. The judges were Messrs. Hayes, McNally, Quain and Fallon.