

A very valuable gift of old books and manuscripts has been presented by Thomas Craig, Esq., of Staten Island, for which we are most grateful.

ATHLETICS.

The Athletic Department has not been neglected. The Gymnasium was in constant use in the earlier and later parts of the winter. A competitive contest was held at the close, when a valuable trophy, presented by Mr. R. A. Dickson, was won by A. A. Ireland.

During the winter—when the snow was not in possession—the Skating Rink at the rear was freely utilized.

In October an athletic contest took place upon the M. A. A. grounds between the members of the four Theological Colleges affiliated to McGill. The events were well contested, and the occasion served to draw more closely together both the Students and also the members of the four great Protestant bodies represented.

The other branches of work within the College walls have been sustained in full vigour.

DEBATING AND LITERARY SOCIETY.

The Students' Debating and Literary Society made a fresh departure. At their invitation, the Rev. J. de Soyres, of St. John, N.B., delivered an able and interesting Lecture upon Cambridge, in the Convocation Hall.

MISSIONARY ASSOCIATION.

The Students' Missionary Association continues to assist in the support of a Student Lay Reader at Amherst Park, as well as to organize occasional missionary meetings, of which two were held during the past year. They also have undertaken to sell and distribute missionary literature, which they have done with considerable success.

Of the four outgoing graduates one is going as a missionary to work under a distinguished Alumnus of the College—the son-in-law of the late Principal—Bishop Newnham, of Moosonee. We are glad to know that the Diocesan College recognizes, and seeks