

their places next year, down to the "irrepressible freshman." Truly we are sorry to lose the students of the class of '93, and shall watch their future careers with interest.

The following are the appointments of students for the summer, made by the Missionary Society, with the exception of the last two, these having been privately arranged: Geo. W. Ball, Liverpool, N. S.; Jas. C. Watt, 2nd church, Hamilton; W. P. Jackson, Noel, N. S.; H. E. Mason, Stratford, Ont.; Geo. Extence, Cornwallis, N. S.; John L. Brown, Franklin Centre, Que.; Frank J. Day, Granby, Que.

One fact indicative of the sterling good qualities of this year's graduating class is that all who were open to take churches have been sought for at once. Mr. W. S. Pritchard, B.A., goes to Bowmanville, Mr. Geo. E. Read to Fitch Bay, Que., and Mr. E. O. Grisbrook to Barrie, Ont. Mr. R. O. Ross, B.A., will continue his medical studies at McGill, in order to thoroughly equip himself for his life-work, that of a medical missionary.

#### M'GILL NOTES.

As we write, the examinations are in progress. Those of the ordinary course will conclude on the 17th; honors about the 22nd.

Convocation this year will be held on Saturday, April 29th. It is expected that Sir Wm. Dawson will return from the South about the 26th. We, therefore, anticipate his being present to confer the degrees. All students will rejoice at seeing him once more among us.

This year we have no students from our College in the graduating class. This is something unusual. We hope that in future years the numbers may be much larger than usual. A man who can take the full course will never regret it.

Mr. Frank J. Day has been appointed to represent the Y. M. C. A. of McGill at the "World's Students' Conference," at Northfield, Mass., July 1-15. From the advance programme, we should judge that the services will be of unusual interest and profit. Among those who are to be present are such men as Prof. Henry Drummond, Mr. Moody, and Rev. Dr. Vandyke.

### Literary Notices.

WORTHINGTON'S MAGAZINE.—The May number opens with an able and interesting paper by Lita Angelica Rice, entitled, "*Some Women Artists of New York City.*" It necessarily concerns but a few of the more prominent women artists, but of these few many interesting items are given regarding their studies, their methods and special line of

work. The numerous and beautiful illustrations are from original drawings, and from photographs made from the paintings especially for this article. The second illustrated paper is "*A Summer in Hoch Tyrol,*" written by Mrs. Jean Porter Rudd expressly for *Worthington's*. It is a sketch of life in a typical Tyrolean village, written by one who noted its varying phases, entered into the experiences of its people, and found that there is no spot on earth so small or so remote that it does not hold all there is of life—its comedies and tragedies, with the laughter and the loving that come between. Mrs. Rudd, who is now resident in Italy, writes in a vein that is vivacious, thoughtful and sympathetic, and her word pictures are charmingly supplemented by the numerous illustrations which have been beautifully reproduced from photographs. A. D. Worthington & Co., Hartford, Conn. \$2.50 a year.

THE MISSIONARY REVIEW OF THE WORLD for May comes to hand overflowing with items of interest from all quarters. This admirable periodical ought to go into every Christian home in the world, so inspiring and helpful are its pages. Each one of its six departments: I. Literature of Missions; II. International Department; III. Christian Endeavor Department; IV. Editorial Department; V. Monthly Concert of Missions; VI. General Missionary Intelligence; is well edited, and the spirit which it breathes throughout is broader than any denominational lines. Funk & Wagnalls Company, 18 and 20 Astor Place, New York. \$2 per year.

TREASURY OF RELIGIOUS THOUGHT for May, is a good number. Every minister and student, and studious Christian, should have it. It is worth much more than its price. Three sermons, with twenty-five articles on various departments of Christian thought and effort, offer a tempting intellectual feast. Monthly. \$2.50 a year. \$2 to ministers. E. B. Treat, 5 Cooper Union, New York.

METHODIST MAGAZINE; May. William Briggs, Toronto. \$2 a year. "Tent Life in Palestine," by the Editor; "Our Gracious Queen"; "Parkman's History of Canada"; "Forty Years among the Zulus," and other articles, several of them elaborately illustrated, make up a good number.

COLLECTIONS FOR THE UNION.—Let the churches remember the annual collection for the Union, on the first Sabbath of June. Better perhaps, at the business meeting end of May, to make a definite grant from the church's funds; and not run the risk of a wet Sunday or a small attendance.