

HALLOWE'EN

UNIVERSITY COLLEGE.

A company of Senior Arts men, numbering some sixty in all, dined together at Webb's. Never before in the history of the class had so many of its members sat down together around the festive board, and the evening spent in each other's company has good reason to be considered the pleasantest in the annals of 1904.

Dinner was served shortly after 8 o'clock, and an hour and a half later Mr. Dix, President and toastmaster, called upon the class to drink to the health of His Majesty, King Edward. The toast was given to the accompaniment of the National Anthem. Mr. McIntyre proposed the toast to "The Empire," to which Messrs. McKee and Creelman responded. "Alma Mater" was given by Mr. Vanston, drunk to the Toronto yell and the rousing chorus of "The Blue and White," and replied to by Messrs. McGregor and Overend. Mr. Montague, in his eulogy of athletics, was supported by Messrs. Ballard, Gilchrist and Parker. The speakers thought that, "though we are rather slow on skates," we had taken our part with a will in other branches of sport. "The Class" was in good keeping in the hands of Mr. Vance, who concluded a thoughtful speech by reading a message to the class of 1904 from "our one and only poet, Sardonius." Noughty-four gave "Boonke-chink" and quaffed lemonade; and Messrs. Dix and Baird replied briefly.

The class orator, Mr. A. M. Ross, proposed the health of the ladies with great gusto, and gentlemen well qualified to speak on the subject responded. Their names must go down to posterity—O'Leary and Workman.

Messrs. Thornton and Andrews rendered vocal, and Messrs. Collins and Foulds instrumental solos, at intervals during the evening. In accordance with precedent, everything was encored, Mr. Andrews' second song, "In It," fairly bringing down the house.

Mr. Vance moved a vote of thanks to the committee, consisting of Messrs. O'Leary, Creelman and McKee, and the singing of "Auld Lang Syne" brought the evening to an end.

The Freshmen took the men of the Sophomore class in hand Hallowe'en night and entertained them with an oyster supper.

About one hundred and thirty in all sat down to the feast, and to say that every man enjoyed himself puts it mildly. The Sophomores demonstrated the fact that they are as accomplished in the art of oyster eating as in the art of giving advice to the Freshies.

W. S. Verrall, President, '07, occupied the chair. On his right Principal Hutton was seated, and President Gibson, '06, occupied the chair to the left.

The toast of "The King" was responded to most heartily by all singing the National Anthem. "Our Alma Mater" was proposed by President Gibson. Mr. Blue, '06, and Mr. Cameron, '07, gave most appropriate replies. "Our Guests" was proposed by the chairman, and replied to by Messrs. Duncanson and Buchanan.

Mr. Lazenby, '07, in a remarkably well chosen address, proposed the toast to the Faculty, and Principal Hutton responded in a very interesting address.

Mr. Shearer, '06, proposed the toast to "The Freshmen," and was very happily responded to by Mr. Baird for the Freshmen.

Messrs. Sweeney, '07, Gray, '06, toasted "Athletics."

Last of all Mr. McElheran, '06, showed his deep interest in the weaker sex by proposing a toast to the Freshettes. Mr. Weatherall replied.

MEDICAL FACULTY.

The annual Hallowe'en entertainment and supper for the Medical students was held as usual in the Gymnasium, the men being the guests of Dean Reeve, the Faculty of Medicine and the President of the Medical Society. The elections to the Dinner Committee preceded, the pools being opened at 5.30 and closed at 8.15. For nearly three hours the canvassers worked might and main, using all the influence of their voices and even rubbing it into the heads of those apathetic to less violent means. There were no free smokes distributed before the voting, but a liberal supply of cigars and cigarettes had been provided from a common fund raised by the candidates with which the electors were treated when their ballots had been deposited.

The entertainment was presided over by Vice-President McLure who made a capital speech to begin with. The musical programme consisted of songs by Messrs. Wickett and Snider, a mandolin solo by Mr. J. J. Cameron, and a piano duet by Messrs. Clarke and Cameron. Professor Walker gave an illustrated lecture on British India, based upon his experiences in the wilds of that country as an officer of a Government exploring expedition. It was unfortunate that there was a time limit on this address, as it was full of interest from beginning to end. The means of transportation included everything from the elephant to the coolie, and down to the yak and even sheep and goats. The roads were enough to make an S. P. S. engineer ache to improve them. The same engineer would have seen pictures of the cantilever and suspension bridges in the most primitive stages of their evolution had he been present. The people, too, were of all sorts, from the Rajah in regal attire to servants in gaudy liveries, and away below that to Mowgli's mankind pack in the jungle. The belle of the jungle was not exactly ravishing in her beauty, but a look at her father made one realize that the poor girl couldn't help it. The result of a successful tiger hunt was shown in the last picture.

Professor Sheard addressed the audience on the Medical Student—his life, character and opportunities, and the physician's work and influence. It was his first appearance before a majority of his hearers, but he established himself as the orator of the faculty without a rival. He made the students feel that in electing to study medicine they had chosen the highest calling possible, and that the self-sacrificing life of the general practitioner was ideal.

The Dean and Professor Rudolf spoke briefly, and supper was served. This was so nicely timed that it had just ended when President Sheahan entered with the list of successful candidates. This was as follows: President of the Dinner Committee, Mr. George Shaw; Vice-President, Mr. Geo. Ford; Second Vice-President, Mr. Smythe; Representatives to Sister Institutions: McGill, Mr. Mugan; Buffalo, Mr. Frayleigh; Varsity, Mr. Adams; Victoria, Mr. Wilson; McMaister, Mr. Barber; Trinity University, Mr. Berwick; Queen's Mr. Eakins; Bishop's, Mr. Hughes; London, Mr. Swanston; Osgoode, Mr. Lancaster; Dental College, Mr. McKinley; S. P. S., Mr. Cruickshanks; Knox College, Mr. Reid; Graduates' toast, Mr. Durnin; Ladies' toast, Mr. McMillan; Freshmen's toast, Mr. Kerswell.