

cation and no doubt it is absolutely necessary that very much more aid should be forthcoming from Government sources for this latter object, but, while it may seem to be best and fairest, that the Marriage Licence Fund, together with further sums, should be spent in assisting our Elementary Schools, yet it will be found that the late Judge Irvine and the eminent educationalists of his day were right in providing assistance for the Universities, and that unless this assistance continues to be provided, the education of the province will suffer a very heavy blow.

We are glad, therefore, as we have already said, that two separate memorials are to be erected in connection with Mr. Irvine's great name and distinguished talents, the first to consist of a beautiful Painted Window to be erected by his Quebec friends and by the Congregation at the Church where he was wont to worship, i.e., St. Matthew's, Quebec, and the other, which is to take the form of a handsome Brass to be erected by members of the University and other friends among the Memorials of its Chancellors in Bishop's College Chapel, Lennoxville. The Treasurer of the St. Matthew's Memorial is R. Campbell, Esq., and the Treasurer of the Bishop's College Memorial is the Vice-President of the University, the Lord Bishop of Quebec. Both Treasurers will be very glad to receive donations towards these respective Memorial Funds. Such eminent services as were rendered by Mr. Irvine should not and will not be allowed to pass into oblivion.

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(From Our Own Correspondent.)

The last month has naturally been somewhat uneventful. Out of doors continuous snow and frost have been the order of the day, but they seem to show signs of going, so that we may expect the water and the mud before very long. For us the term is passing very quickly and examinations are near at hand, followed comparatively soon by the Easter holidays.

In connection with the Church, the students have perhaps been rather less engaged in mission work this term than usual. This is owing to the fact that some of them are preparing for their final examinations and for Ordination. We are sorry to say that at

Easter we shall lose our two senior men, Messrs. C. W. Mitchell and C. W. Balfour, of whom the former is to be at Bishopsthorpe, Quebec, for some months, and the latter is to be ordained in April at Grande Mere to assist the Rev. W. Barton on the St. Maurice River.

The subscriptions to the Hamilton Memorial are happily still coming in. The Headmaster and the Bursar paid a most successful visit to Montreal last month, collecting over \$1,050; while money has been also received from friends and well-wishers in Hailey, Kingsey and several other places. After more than one delay, three elected delegates of the students are just about to begin 'canvassing' Sherbrooke let us hope with good results.

On March 8th, a most successful joint debate (on the subject of Capital Punishment) was held here between representatives of our College Debating Society and those of the Montreal Diocesan College Literary Society. We were represented by Messrs. C. W. Mitchell and E. S. Krans, who set themselves to attack Capital Punishment; their opponents being Messrs. A. A. Ireland and C. Carruthers. Both parties acquitted themselves very well, but the victory lay with our visitors. We were much pleased to receive them here, and only hope that they enjoyed their visit as much as we did. We also hope that this debate may be the first of others to come, and so help to form a closer bond of union between the two Church Colleges of this province.

In the way of athletics there have been a number of exciting hockey matches this season. The College came out second in the Eastern Township League, senior series. The School was less successful; but more than once, though defeated, they managed to put up a good game against their opponents. Two members of the College Club (C. H. Rothera and C. Spafford) played for a united E. T. Hockey team against Montreal last week, and helped their side to victory.

If the thaw is really coming, we have to look forward to some little time of "do nothing," except "track walking," but even this pastime has its attractions when the G.T.R. provides us with the sight of such wrecks as occurred near here a few days ago, twenty-five cars or more off the rails.