

young there was a great future before him; if he lives to a ripe old age he is simply in the way and living to save funeral expenses. Life is a funny road but we all like to travel it just the same."—Ilya Yaka.

The March issues of nearly all the Catholic College magazines contain accounts of how St. Patrick's day was spent in our sister colleges. Some of them like ourselves celebrated with feasting and speech-making; others gave special concerts, and still others, particularly the Catholic colleges, held athletic contests. All the Catholic periodicals, and even some of the non-sectarian ones contain references to Ireland and to Ireland's heroes. The *Patrician* has a neat little sketch on Daniel O'Connell, "Reminiscences of Killarney," a poem, and "St. Patrick in Ireland," a prose sketch, are the best articles in the March *Angelos*.

We beg gratefully to acknowledge receipt of the following: Abbey Student, Acta Victoriana, Agnetian Monthly, Argosy, Allisonia, Academic Herald, Central Catholic, Columbiad, Echoes from the Pines, Exponent, Fordham Monthly, Geneva Cabinet, Georgetown College Journal, Ilya Yaka, Laurel, Leader, Martlet, Pharos, *Patrician*, Queen's University Journal, Trinity U. Review, Vox Collegii, Villa Shield, Naverian, Xavier, Vox Wesleyana.

Books and Reviews.

The University Magazine, for April, among other excellent contributions, has a well written and carefully thought out article entitled "The Lords, the Land and the People," by Dr. Francis W. Grey, of Ottawa. The author having a very intimate knowledge of English life and conditions, was particularly happy in the choice of his subject. It is particularly refreshing, especially at the present time when so much is being printed upon this question, to hear from one who is writing from knowledge gained from personal experience.

"Canada vs. Australia?" is an article in the current issue of the *Empire Review*, in which the writer treats of the emigration problem and reviews the advantages offered to the prospective emigrant by Canada and Australia. Such subjects as climate, productiveness of the soil, education, character of the people, future possibilities are dealt with. The article is of much interest to the general reader as presenting a contrast between the two great rival colonies.