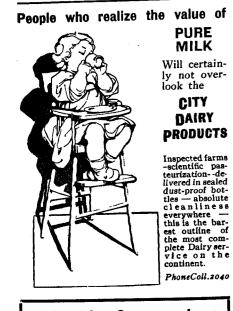




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FACULTY OF MEDICINE

Things are shaping up nicely for the Meds. Daffydil Night in Convocation Hall on Feb. 26. The Med. Orchestra is practicing daily for the event and the Med. Octette are getting up some special songs for the occasion. Some special "stunts" are being arranged for and everyone is advised to speak to "HER" ahead of time so that "she" may be able to keep that date open. Everybody is talking of the big night so get in line!

Nominations for the officers of the Medical Society for the years 1912-13 will be held in the 4th yr. Room at 4.30 on Friday the 9th of February. The elections this year are to be held in the Gym. from 7.30 to 10 p.m. for the first time in years. The Medical Athletic Society are going to put on some stunts on the Gym. floor and everything looks good for a glorious "old time" night. Freshmen are specially requested to wear sweaters—it is not necessary to warn the other years.

Lately there has been a large attendance at the Orthopaedic Clinics on Saturday afternoon. Whether this is due to the knowledge that is obtained there or to the well-known beauty of the nurses at the Orthopedic Hospital remains open to doubt.

Anyone wishing to uphold the honor of the Meds in oratory should communicate with some member of the Executive of the Medical Society as candidates are needed to enter in the Oratorical Contest.

Some of the third year men of the five years' course are complaining that their clinicians in medicine have a tendency to sleep in in the morning. When the Medical Students take special pains to get up early enough to reach the hospital by 9.10 it is but right that the clinicians should show their appreciation by being on time. The 4th yr. B. and P. graduating class

are proud of the one moustache that represents their efforts in this direction. It is whispered that even this may disappear soon.

WYCLIFFE COLLEGE

A society, called the North West Association, has been formed, to facilitate the study of problems and needs in the far North West, particularly in the dioceses of Athabasca, Yukon and Mackenzie River. Clergy and others familiar with the country and its needs will be invited to speak to the Association.

Last Saturday, at 'Varsity Rink, a team of Bluenoses met a team picked from men not in the first seven. A fast game ensued, in which the Bluenose captain lost two teeth, and the non-Stars lost the game 5-0.

There has been a persistent rumour, lately, to the effect that the first hockey team will play a game in the near future. An official denial may confidently be expected.

Mr. Ireland-Jones is taking Moderns,

APPLIED SCIENCE

A. Fr-er, Esq., of the staff, shows an aptitude towards possessing a formidable form of description that would be worthy of a continental guide. Having occasion to show a friend through the laboratories he came upon three or four lofty fourth year men about to test a bar of mild steel in the 10 ton Riehle Machine. Out broke the proclivity of the guide: "These men are testing steel. They stand around and watch the specimen until it breaks and then they duck and run."

J. Coy Roy, Jr. (J. R. Freeman, Esq.), tells a good story on himself. Recently he had occasion to draft until 5.30 (p.m.). Going for his coat which was in the fourth year study room he found the door locked. Excitedly he hastened hither and thither, bursting into room after room, interrupting more than one enthusiastic professor working overtime, in his anxious desire to find some one who could open the door. In the obscure moze-like hallways of the basement, after an hour's exhausting torture J. Coy, Jr., found the night man who proceeded "instanter" to relieve Roy's mind and burden his body.

Mr. D. E. Murphy, '14 is around again after six weeks in the hospital with scarlet fever. Welcome back, "Murph."

Tuesday, the first year draughting room was the scene of an important political meeting in the interests of Senator Jones. Jones was the chief and only speaker, and was assisted to the platform by his numerous friends, who in the excitement got him turned end for end so that his head was next the platform, whereas it is usual for the feet to occupy this place. His words of wisdom will long be remembered by those who did not hear them. Is this the first gun of the annual Spring elections?

The second yr. practises have been extremely encouraging so far and a fine septette will result therefrom. If we can only turn out a couple of wings like Sinclair and Gouinlock the second yr. men on the Junior Varsity team, the cup will be cinched for 1T4.

KNOX COLLEGE

The missionary society report progress in regard to enlisting men for mission work for the summer months. Already over forty-five men have signed up.

The inter-year hockey games are in full swing. On Tuesday first year Arts defeated third year Arts 4-1. Wednesday, Second year Arts defeated Second year Theo. 4-1, and Fourth year Arts defeated First year Theo. 5-1. The Athletic Association purpose holding in the pear future a dinner in honour of the winning team. An exceedingly novel toast list is being prepared. The dinner will probably be "dry"; although the Oriental men of Third year Atrs are bitterly opposing this proposition. It is to be hoped that an amiable agreement may be arrived at.

Jno. Mutch had a letter recently from A. S. Orton who is in Jericho. At the present time there is a modern Jericho a short distance from the historical village. Orton stated that he had an unexpected encounter with a robber and that all he had left when he finally made his escape was his conscience and Boston hair-cut.



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The cancellation of the Conversazione is a great disappointment, but "'tis an ill wint, etc.," for already there is talk of subsidising the Mission Society, the Athletic Society, of a Skating Party, a big graduating dinner, and of a general blessing in the form of a dollar a head.

May we draw attention to the fact that the University College Oratorical Contest will not take place in the Chapel, but in the Convocation Hall.

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Next Thursday, February 15, the election of next year's Rugby Club officers will take place in the Gýmnasium. Every locker-holder of the Gym. is entitled to vote. One of the most important offices is that of the Secretary-treasurer who has charge of the tickets, etc. Here is a splendid chance for some live U.C. man to show his ability and incidentally bring honor to his faculty. Ye men of University College, nominate a capable man for the position and let every U.C. lockerholder get out and vote for him!

The year of 1914 extends its sympathy to Prof. Robinson of the Department of Philosophy in his illness. Lumbago is preventing him from lecturing and the class is both sorry for him and happy over the latter. Here's to his speedy return to health.

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