

much enjoyment would attend a simple repast. We meet, not so much for what we are to eat and drink, as that all the members of a class may come together once a year somewhere outside of the class-room. Thus they would spend an enjoyable evening and strengthen the bond of union existing between them.

THE suggestion of "Graduate" under Correspondence, *in re* the advisability of the use of the wine-cup at our class Re-unions, is timely and we heartily concur with his sentiments. It is indeed a reproach to young men, and especially college men, if they cannot meet and enjoy themselves without the aid of wine. We are authoritatively assured that the committee in charge of the arrangements for the Senior Re-union to be held in the course of the next fortnight, has been careful to provide against this most unpleasant practice. Let this be a precedent for future years.

THE result of last Saturday's match with the Victoria College club, though a disappointment to all who were interested, was the finest exhibition of Association Football ever witnessed in Kingston. Our defeat can safely be attributed to accident rather than the superior play of our opponents who played a purely defence game from first to last. It is but fair, however, to our visitors to state that the loss of two of their best players in the early part of the game weakened their team considerably.

Our club take the defeat like men, and while congratulating the "Vics" on their success, are unanimous in the opinion that they never contested in foot-ball with more gentlemanly fellows than the students of Victoria College. It is more than probable the same teams will confront each other again in the course of a few days in the final

ties for the Central Association championship cup, when we hope Queen's will reverse the result of Saturday's contest.

THE season for foot-ball is now almost at its close, after having the most successful run in the history of the college, both clubs winning laurels for their Alma Mater. But now some attractive out-door exercise, in which all can join, is needed to take its place, and nothing we think could be better in this way than snow-shoeing. It is true we have already, among the multiplicity of our societies, a snow-shoe club. But we want something more than the mere organization, something more than a club, whose operations are confined to the annual election of its officers. We want in fact a live club. This, of course, we cannot have unless a sufficient number of students take an interest in it, and it is for this very reason that we advocate such a step, believing that the bare mentioning will be sufficient to awaken among students an interest in this sport. There is no need to speak of the benefits of snow-shoeing, any more than there would be of foot-ball: they are quite obvious. Neither is there any reason why we should not have a good club, as a large number of the boys are already snow-shoers. We hope, therefore, to hear soon of the re-organization of the Q.C.S.C., of a full attendance at its meeting, and what is of more importance, of many enjoyable tramps thereafter. Now is the time to take hold of the matter, that the club may be in full swing, and ready to take advantage of the first opportunity that presents itself for such exercise.

At the University of St. Petersburg, 500 students have matriculated this fall, making the total in attendance 2,300. In consequence of the disturbances of last year nearly 300 young men were expelled.—*Ex.*