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UNIVERSITY COLLEGE

There will be no tutorial groups in second year pass history. Many ardent students will heave a sigh of relief—that is to say will be sadly disappointed.

The fourth year skating party has been finally settled for February 1 at Aura Lee rink. The evening will commence with skating, which will be followed by refreshments and a dance. Tickets are being sold by members of the executive.

The advance guard of the ghosts of May is heaving into sight for the second year Religious Knowledge Students. Their final comes off next Friday the 26th.

The venerable College clock is playing some strange pranks with lecture hours. Time is no object.

FACULTY OF MEDICINE

The annual elections of the Medical Society will be held on Feb. 16. This year they will take place in the gym instead of the society rooms in the Medical building as on former occasions. The athletic society are arranging a programme of stunts for that evening to entertain those interested in the elections.

Mr. Allan Jackson of the first year who underwent an operation for appendicitis during the holidays is recovering nicely and was able to leave the hospital on Thursday.

Mr. Paul McMann was taken ill with appendicitis and left for his home in St. Catharines.

An open meeting of the Medical Society will be held on Monday to be addressed by Dr. N. A. Powell. His subject is "Northern Trails." The students know Dr. Powell and there will no doubt be a large attendance.

Dr. Ralph Hooper will address the Student (Medical) Volunteer Band meeting in the Y.M.C.A. at 9.30 Sunday morning. There should be a large attendance. The meeting is over in time for Convocation Hall when H. Roswell Bates, the famous New York slum worker will speak.

VICTORIA COLLEGE

The Hockey Match between the Juniors and Seniors was not as one sided as the score 8.2 would request fair indication of the play would have been about 23-13. As all the members of the Senior's septete showed great class it is unnecessary to mention the playing of any particular person. Dr. Barton attributes the defeat of the IV year to overtraining and for that reason the team have been taking a rest for the past few days. It is rumored that the girls Hockey team will challenge the IV year: and it is likely that they will accept, provided several of the team do not join "The Varsity Firsts."

"Dan" Gray is able to be out again after the School dinner, Friday evening. There was no meeting of "The Lit" Saturday evening, owing to the rsession of the Missionary Conference.

The Seniors are urgently reminded that their prophesies are over due.

WYCLIFFE COLLEGE

We are very sorry that, for reasons of health, A. L. Elwood has been obliged to stay out of College for at least a year. The reaction from his pessimism always made one cheerful!

Mr. Townsend is contemplating writing a book on "The question as a direct means of giving information."

On Wednesday last, Wycliffe played Knox on Knox's rink. In spite of valiant efforts on our behalf, we were unable to add the necessary decisive point, and after a hard game, we retired with the score 3-3. Somebody was heard to murmur that hitherto he had had the idea that ice was smooth.

The denizens of a certain corridor in the new wing have been much disturbed lately by awful groans and wailing proceeding from Room 10. Although we commiserate with the inhabitants of that room in the bitterness of his separation, yet we should like to have a little sleep occasionally.

The "leader" of the Moderate party successfully repulsed the Radical attack on Friday evening last. Interest was not very keen. How can the Lit expect to compete with Massey Hall and 'Varsity Rink? We now have three weeks concentrated committee work and expenditure checking, in preparation for the Conversazione. It will be dull, but let us all attend all the meetings called, both special and ordinary. It is the only way to make the Conversat. successful.

Next Friday, the speaker at the High Tea will be Dr. Stenhouse, who will speak on "Hypnotism." We guarantee an interesting time.

APPLIED SCIENCE

Ques.—Why would one of the thermo lecturers have to travel by freight?

Ans.—Because he can't express himself. School men are reminded that there is hockey practice on Monday, Wednesday and Friday between 5-6 at the Rink. It is hoped that there will be a still larger attendance of School men than has been the case and players are requested to turn out.

The 4th Year men in the Strength and Hydraulic Lab. changed over during the week. As a result of this there have been junk sales of overalls and drafting boards etc. Our financial correspondent reports a brisk business.

A hockey match will be played between the "Reds" and the "Blacks" of the Strength of Materials and Hydraulic laboratory parties at 10 o'clock on Wednesday morning up at the Varsity rink. The line up will be as follows: Reds—Dunbar, cherry red; Flook, sherry red; Allan, red head; Hyatt, dizzy red; Elliott, light red; Hoover, nearly red; Temple, will be red. Blacks—Wright, wrong black; Wilson, blackety black; Ewing, dark black; Elliott, dirty black; McDonald, smutty black; Brouse, fatty black; Patton, lamp black.

DISCUSSION CLUB

The Women's Discussion Club of the fourth year held its first meeting of the Easter term at the home of Mrs. Falconer on Wednesday evening. Mis McQueen introduced the subject for discussion "Imperialism" with an excellent summary under the headings of constitutional changes involved, the question of defence, the future fiscal policy and effects of Imperialism. The discussion which followed developed these points but was soon centred on the question of contribution to the defence of the Empire by its several units and the need in that case of some form of Imperial representation. This turn in the discussion seemed to emphasize the idea that Imperialism is making its strongest appeal to Canadians not so much on the question of fiscal policy, as that of defence of the Empire.

PHYSICS SEMINAR

The first meeting of the Seminar in Physics for 1912 was held on Wednesday afternoon. Professor McLennan gave an account of some experiments carried out as tests of the "Quantum Theory" now being developed especially in Germany. It would seem that energy is transferred, in any particular case, not continuously, but in unit quantities, and the experiments described were attempts to measure these quantities.

Professor Burton discussed the points of similarity between oil water emulsions, and metal colloidal solutions.

Mr. Gilchrist described some experiments on anomalous dispersion in luminous mercury vapour, an echelon being the resolving instrument. Interesting comments on the difference between ordinary heated vapour and luminous vapour as to absorption were made.

At the conclusion of the Seminar Professor McLennan described some apparatus used at present in Yale University to illustrate Boyle's Law and the phenomena of electrolysis and battery action.

INDOOR TOURNAMENT

Boxing, Fencing and Wrestling Meet Next Month

Toronto, Queen's and McGill Universities have now agreed to hold a Tournament of Boxing, Fencing and Wrestling, the teams to be composed of fourteen men each. In the boxing and wrestling there are six classes, viz., 115 lb., 125 lb., 135

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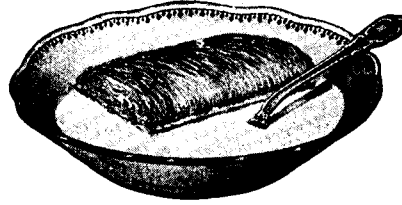
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The Tournament will be held in Toronto probably on Saturday Feb. 24.

Mr. Chapman, the new Instructor, will be in the Gym. from 5 o'clock to 6.30 on Tuesdays and Thursdays, and from 10 o'clock till 12 on Saturdays. It is hoped that there will be a large and enthusiastic turn-out to prepare for this Tournament. The teams at McGill and WQueen's are already in training, so it is very important that hard work should begin at once.

UNPALATABLE.—The Rev. Charles H. Spurgeon's keen wit was always based on sterling common sense. One day he remarked to one of his sons:

"Can you tell me the reason why the lions didn't eat Daniel?"

"No, sir. Why was it?"

"Because the most of him was backbone, and the rest was grit."—*Youth's Companion.*

At a meeting in Toronto on Monday last, an audience was greatly amused to hear a college graduate in divinity spoken of as a 'raw student.' We are often libeled but has it come to this?

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