

## ASSOCIATION FOOT BALL CLUB.

The 'Varsity played the first of its ties on Saturday last with the Victorias. Since the match on Convocation day, the efforts of the officers of the college club have been directed to the elimination of the weaknesses which were then brought out so prominently; and their efforts have been rewarded by there being a much better team on the field. During the first half neither side scored a goal, though the 'Varsity men kept the ball well up the field. With change of ends there was a change of fortune. Milligan, ('Varsity) had to keep himself warm by running around the goal posts, while the Forwards made try after try on the Victoria's goal. Three times they were successful, but one was disallowed as an 'off side.' Hughes played a splendid game throughout, and the 'Varsity has a valuable addition to their force in Owen,—his half-back play being admirable.

'Varsity prospects, which looked rather dull at the beginning of the season, are brightening up, and with hard practices the club will show up well for the Cup. To-day 'Varsity plays the Eglingtons at 3 p.m.

## QUICQUID AGUNT.

Prof. Hutton is at present taking Mr. Vines' classes.

An elementary Greek class is being formed in the First year under the direction of Professor Hutton.

The study of mineralogy appears to make the Second year frisky. They have developed a tendency for destroying furniture, as a broken bench in Prof. Chapman's room can testify.

As no word has yet been heard from McGill in regard to the Inter-Collegiate sports we presume that they are off, at any rate for this season, as it would be impossible for our men to get into training before Nov. 3rd.

The college authorities have been compelled to have hurdles placed along the walks to prevent the grass from being entirely worn away by foot-paths across the lawn. This shows a lamentable want of thoughtfulness on the part of the students.

A meeting of the College Glee Club was held on Wednesday evening last. The election to fill the vacancies occasioned by the resignation of two of the committee resulted in the appointment of Mr. W. A. Frost as leader, and Mr. F. B. Hodgins representative of the First year. The committee have again secured the valuable services of Mr. Torrington, and the first practice will be held on Thursday afternoon next. The musical selections this year will be of a more miscellaneous character than hitherto.

We feel a natural pride in the number of our graduates who occupy various high positions in Canada. Many former graduates have the title 'Honorable' prefixed to their names, but so far, only one of last year's graduates has reached this distinction. The *Globe* of Aug. 22nd contained a despatch from Kingston, giving the first announcement of this preferment. We give the reference in full:—'Hon. Ambrose DeGuerre, honor man of Toronto University, has been appointed assistant master of Sydenham High School.'

Whilst the Quicquid reporter was taking a quiet snooze a day or two ago, he was aroused from his peaceful slumbers and his mind thrown into a state of dire commotion by a terrific blast from what seemed to him the horn of Gabriel. When he had sufficiently collected his scattered faculties to inquire the cause of all this uproar, he learned that his fears were groundless, and that what he had heard was only an important discovery made in the Residence art of horn-blowing, whereby the object of every horn-blower, viz:—to make mankind miserable, is more easily attained.

A regular meeting of the Science Association was held on Tuesday evening last in the School of Practical Science. The President, Mr. Thos. McKenzie, B.A., favored the society with a very valuable paper on the 'Thymus Gland,' prefacing the discussion of the anatomical and physiological structure of the gland with appropriate remarks concerning the objects of science and the necessity of following out scientific research in detail. Mr. Shutt then gave a reading upon the 'Habits of Snakes,' which proved both interesting and instructive, and the meeting then adjourned.

As an outcome of a wide-spread feeling among our students that it would be advisable to establish a Temperance League in connection with University College, a meeting was held in Moss Hall last Monday to take steps in relation thereto. The following gentlemen were appointed a committee to draft a constitution:—Messrs. Bowes, W. A. Smith, Robinette, Baldwin, Broad, Wrong and McMechan. The meeting then adjourned, subject to the call of the committee. It is pro-

bable that the next meeting will be an open one, addressed by some prominent friend of the cause; of it due notice will be given. There is every prospect that the Temperance League will become an institution of which the University may be proud.

## College News.

## TRINITY MEDICAL SCHOOL.

There is an old saying, 'it never rains but it pours,' and certainly the adage is true with regard to our dinner. In our last report we said there was not even a whisper of the interesting event, but 'mirabile dictu!' a week has worked wonders. The nominations took place last Saturday morning, and were characterised by the utmost good feeling of all parties concerned. There was an animated discussion as to the representation of chairman in the Third and Fourth year. Hitherto it has been the custom to place these two years together and elect our chairman from them, but as the final years are very large, these gentlemen considered they had a right to representation in both Third and Fourth years; this view was concurred in by a large majority of those present, and it was finally carried unanimously that the chairman be a Fourth year student, and the first vice-chairman be chosen from the Third year. For chairman there were nominated Messrs. Davidson and Bingham. It is to be greatly regretted that the former gentleman so strenuously opposed his nomination, which is the highest honor his fellow students have to offer him, and in the opinion of a large majority, he would be just the right man in the right place. Had it not been for his modesty (shall we call it such?) in refusing this honor, there is every reason to believe Mr. Davidson would have been elected by acclamation: as it is the students are just as persistent in not allowing him to withdraw, and at present, as far as we know he still remains in the field.

For 1st Vice-chairman, Messrs. Little, Hoople, and Green were nominated. All are good men, and it is very difficult to make any invidious distinctions, so we will leave them alone.

To the position of 2nd Vice-chairman, Messrs. Féré, Dolittle, Roberts and Bingham were nominated; the students in this case, too, have made a very wise selection, and it is difficult to say which is the favorite; the contest, however, in our opinion, will be between Féré and Doolittle, both are very popular, making it hard to discriminate. Saturday morning alone will tell.

For 3rd Vice-chairman, Messrs. D. Thompson, McClare, Phillips, Caruthers, Campbell, Willis and Charlebois were nominated; there is nothing like pluck and Freshman *cheek*, so these gentlemen, contrary to the action of their seniors, resolved to stand, one and all, *only seven in number!* accordingly we are loth to predict who will be the favorite, in fact we are in no position to know.

For representation at the Toronto M. S. dinner there were nominated Messrs. Cochrane, Rev. Johnston, and Sprague, all excellent men, a regular puzzler to say which is the best; we would say, when you vote, *if possible vote for all three*, if not, why—use your own judgment. The Committee were all elected by acclamation and many were the remarks at the strange way in which they were nominated, and without the chance of opposition 'rushed through.' We have not their names for insertion; no doubt they will fill the position well, still we always maintain that if there is to be an election, it ought to be a spirited contest right through, from chairman to committee inclusive. The election takes place Saturday afternoon at three o'clock, when a big time is expected.

On Saturday evening there was a good attendance at our Society, the Dean occupying the chair; he opened by a few remarks, urging us to have more *esprit de corps*; we had, he said, some of it, but we could and must have more; it is on this that societies and institutions depend largely for success. A student ought to look upon his school, university or college as part and parcel of his own body, if this were the case he would guard its honor, advance its interests, and do everything in his power to further its progress. In regard to the library, he said there were hundreds of books ready for use just as soon as the book-cases were made for them. The report of the committee appointed to draft a constitution was then read. Dr. Sheard on rising to move its adoption was received with applause; he said many of the students did not understand the object of last Saturday evening's meeting; they thought it was to bring about the establishment of a library, now it was not necessary that they should have met for this purpose, and they did not; they met for the founding of a society, which when organized would do them an immense amount of good, by discussions on medical, scientific and literary papers, which would be read and duly criticised by the faculty and students. Not only this, it would bring the students into close relation with the Faculty, a very desirable thing; it would bring out the students' qualities of debate, an important power which should