

than the preceding, until Science in a touching ode capped this climax, by laying bare a touching little romance which is being enacted under our very eyes.

Our absent Principal, and our some-time comrades who left us "seven" were not forgotten by our President when the opportunity was hers.

But hark, what is that which breaketh
On laughter and song so free?
'Tis the gong at the head of the staircase,
Which bids us arise and flee.
"Come one, come all, it is lecture time."
"We come, we will not delay."
But the mem'ry of those happy hours
Will never fade away.

ROUNDEL.

(In a doctor's waiting room.)

To sit and wait and while the time away
With mental railings at the unkind fate
That this impatient patient brings to-day
To sit and wait!

To watch with jealous eye and almost hate,
Those who, in turn, may enter ere I may,
As later grows the hour and still more late.
To sit and wait!

I wish that man of medicine had to stay
As his poor patients here, in sulky state,
From morn until the evening shades are grey.
To sit and wait!

AN IMPATIENT.

MONTREAL.

MEDICAL CLASS REPORTS.

Medicine was represented at the recent Faculty dinners by the following gentlemen of the fourth year:—

Law: Mr. E. J. Semple, '93.
Arts: Mr. W. Lindsay, '93.
Science: Mr. J. Lee Walker, '93.

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We are glad to say that Dr. Roddick has now fully recovered from his recent indisposition. During his absence Dr. Adami delivered a short course of lectures on tumors, bearing chiefly upon their surgical connection.

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Owing to continued ill-health Dr. James Henderson of the M.G.H. has been compelled to resign his post. His successor is Dr. H. B. W. Carmichael. Dr. Norman Taylor, of lacrosse renown, has succeeded the latter as anaesthetist.

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The Medical Faculty have kindly agreed to grant a day's interval between each of the Final examinations this year. Formerly two examinations were held on the same day, and it was represented to the Faculty that the candidates could probably do themselves more justice were they allowed a short interval between the papers.

The dawning of the Spring examinations is precipitating the extreme freshness of the freshies, and the facial expression of some indicate their cognizance of tall spring plucking.

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The constitution of the MCGILL FORTNIGHTLY provides that the officers constituting the Editorial Staff and Business Board shall be elected during the first week in February in each year. In accordance with this rule a meeting of the four years in Medicine was held on February 3rd. Much enthusiasm was manifested. A ballot was held on the names placed before the meeting, and resulted in the election of Mr. A. G. Nicholls, B.A. ('94), faculty editor, and Mr. C. H. Fox ('95), business manager. Mr. Goff of the Final Year proposed that a hearty vote of thanks be accorded to the retiring editor, Mr. G. F. Shaw ('93), and business manager, Mr. H. M. Kinghorn ('94), for the able and satisfactory manner in which each of those gentlemen had conducted their respective duties. The duties of the new officers will commence on Oct. 1st. The election for class reporters will not be held until next session.

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Class Reports are necessarily very brief, owing to the rapid approach of the Ides of March.

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Fair girl graduates, according to an item in the FORTNIGHTLY last week, conduct any little *casus belli* that may arise in a very different way from the genial Med. This is what a Donalda writes to her beautiful opponent:—

"You nasty scrabby old cat, you'll be sorry for this when I am dead."

The medical, however, thinks life too short to wait for any *post mortem* regrets. He simply pens the following to his antagonist:—

"Come outside, and I'll give you a biff in the ear!"

SCIENCE JOTTINGS.

Mr. L. L. Street, who represented us at the Law dinner, speaks highly of his reception by our sister faculty.

A Students' meeting of the Canadian Society of Civil Engineers was held in the Society's rooms, Mansfield st., on Friday the 10th inst., when an interesting paper was read by Mr. J. A. McPhail on "The Disposal of Sewage at Marlborough, Mass." It is to be regretted that so few students avail themselves of the advantages offered by the meetings of this Society.

An excellent selection of songs has been made for the opening ceremonies on the 24th; and as the Faculty have engaged Mr. Price as musical director, it is hoped everyone will bring their voices to the practices on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings at 5 o'clock sharp.

Messrs. J. K. Henry, B.A., '94, and A. R. Holden