

though the men would experience a serious lack of calendars, banners and cushions? The dances this year have cost over \$3,000 and the amount of time arranging for them, attending them and recuperating after them cannot be estimated. In college life we are apt to get a wrong perspective. Of the three phases of college life, the economic, the social and the educational, many are giving the second first place. Our primary object here is to acquire knowledge, half knowledge is worse than useless. The country is looking to her university graduates to be the centre of influence, expecting us to leave the university fitted and prepared to serve the church and state. To be prepared requires time and thought. The time spent in the social life might be more wisely invested in wider reading, deeper thinking and a more careful preparation for our life beyond Queen's. It is our Christian duty to be students.

Overheard at '13 dance:

He:—"You like the register?"

She (vainly endeavoring to extricate her heel):—"Yes we are almost inseparable."

AT the very outset of a recent widely-read editorial "The Varsity" quoted a few lines from one of our Arts columns, written shortly after Queen's debaters returned from Toronto. The lines were manipulated to read as follows:—"Although the decision of the judges was against us, it was not a defeat, but rather a victory for the spirit of Queen's." Reference to the Journal shows the article to read:—"The decision of the judges is not everything. The good fight our men put up in the face of well nigh insurmountable difficulties is really a victory for good sportsmanship and for the spirit of Queen's." In the dearth of provocation for such a spirited attack on Queen's "The Varsity," out of its abundance, has evidently sought to read into our lines a spirit which "The Journal" or any other institution at Queen's has no desire to foster. We would respectfully draw the attention of "The Varsity" to the misquotation.



The proceedings at the Arts Society meeting, on Tuesday last, were enlivened by a good programme furnished by the year '14. A unique feature of the programme was a bag-pipe skirl by Mr. MacKillop. At the next meeting of the Society the year '11 is to be called on to furnish entertainment.

Memorial schemes seem to be the order of the day. At the last meeting of the final year the hour was mainly given up to the discussion of this topic. In the end the matter was referred back to the committee in order that a more definite report might be brought in at a special meeting of the