The judges returned in time to hear Miss Murray recite "The Cremation of Sam McGee," with her usual ability. This was followed by a piano solo by Miss Olmstead which, needless to say, was much appreciated. The meeting closed, as all meetings do, with "God Save the King."

G. H. M., T. '16.

## SECTION C LITERARY SOCIETY.

It was not until Thursday, December the sixteenth, that Section C held the first meeting of their Literary Society. This meeting took the form of a reception in honour of their Hon. President, Miss Robins, who was about to retire from the College Staff.

A very enjoyable evening was spent. A few games were played in order to break away the stiffness and reserve sometimes felt on such occasions. The game of "guessing eyes" seemed to be greatly enjoyed both by the girls and those members of the staff who were present. After every one had become thoroughly acquainted with the colour of everyone else's eyes, the refreshments were served. After this the prizes were awarded, Miss Wren and Miss Wright being "the lucky ones."

Then came the climax of the whole evening—the representatives of the different sections appeared and presented Miss Robins with tokens of remembrance from their respective sections. Miss Planche, on behalf of Section C. expressed the regret of that section on losing such a kindly instructor and president of their Literary Society and presented her with a bouquet of red roses. Miss Planche was followed by Miss Lees, representing Sections A and B. After expressing the regret felt by the girls on her departure, Miss Davison presented Miss Robins with a desk-lamp. Miss Davison was in turn

followed by Miss Longworth, of Section D, who gave Miss Robins a desk-set on behalf of the Elementary Class. Miss Robins was much pleased, and replied by a speech that will long be remembered by all those girls fortunate enough to be present. "And the greatest of these are the Belgians" was the topic of her address. After giving us the reasons for the greatness of the Belgians, namely, their continual struggles and endeavours, she asked us to remember these people and to try to emulate their greatness.

The evening was brought to a close with the singing of college songs and many old favourites, such as "Old Black Joe," "Annie Laurie" and the Christmas Carols.

As Miss Robins disappeared down the hall amid the enthusiastic cheers of all the girls, many were the wishes expressed for her happiness and success in the work she is about to take up.

G. M. W., T., '16. MISS ROUSE'S LECTURE.

On the afternoon of January 16th, the members of the Y.M.C.A. and Y.W.C.A. had the pleasure of listening to a lecture by Miss Rouse on the "Work of the Students' Confederation as affected by the War."

As a secretary of the Women Students' National Confederation, Miss Rouse has recently returned from Russia, and she was able to give us an interesting account of the work done by the various Christian Associations in some of the belligerent countries.

As might be expected, many of the student bodies have been broken up, but it was interesting to note that in Russia most of the colleges were going on with their work.

The meeting closed with a vote of thanks to Miss Rouse on behalf of the