occupied the chair. The first business of the meeting was the election of a board for the ensuing year. The following persons were chosen to represent the different classes of the Commercial Course:

First Grade, C. Vernon; Second Grade, E: Gauvreau; Third Grade (B), L. McDowell; Third Grade (A), J. McMahon; Fourth Grade, J. C. Dempsey. appointment of an assistant junior editor was then considered by the new board. The applications for this popular position were more numerous than ever before, and, as a consequence, considerable discussion was indulged in. Chairman Dempsey spoke at length upon the importance of this appointment. contended that the greatest discretion should be exercised in selecting the person for this position. He must have all the qualities attributed to the Sovereign by Blackstone in his commentaries on English law. In addition to these, he must possess the wisdom of Solomon, the optical capacity of Argus, the silence of the oyster, the subtlety and ubiquity of ether. In view, then, of the gravity of the situation, he named Herr. Phanenf and Sherman O'Neil as a commission to examine the applications and testimonials and report at the next meeting. There was then read a communication from Hon. T. F. Finnegan, asking why the Junior Department was allowed to be printed on the last page of the University Magazine. The junior editor being called upon for an explanation, we rose to reply. Borrowing our figure from last month's salutatory, we remarked that if our little bark would weather the storms of the sea of journalism, it must needs be heavily weighted in the stern. Furthermore, we contended that by its proximity to the ululatus column, its liability to fall under the eye of the average college reader was greatly enhanced. The explanation did: not satisfy the meeting, and, in solemn tones the chairman read the following resolution:

Whereas: we have noticed that, during the past year, this department has been accorded space on the last page in company with the ululatus.

And whereas: the explanation given by the junior editor has been bumiliating in the extreme.

Be it resolved that, while admitting the cogency of some of the editor's remarks, we desire to enter a vigorous protest against junior matter being used for literary ballast. And be it further resolved: that ex-assistant Cowan and Mr. J. McMahon wait upon the directors of the Owt, and demand that the Junior Department be given a more conspicuous place, under the penalty of having to face the opposition of a new competitor in the literary field. The resolution was carried unanimously and the meeting adjourned.

The Junior Editor begs to apologise for the scarcity of news items this month. He hopes, when his assistant is appointed, to be able to bring the department up to the usual standard.

The following held the first places in the different classes of the Commercial Course for the month of September:

First Grade { 1. J. Patry. 2 F. Corcoran. 3. A. Chevrier.

Second Grade { I. J. Larose. 2. J. Neville. 3. A. Lauria.

Third Grade B { 1. J. Cotè. 2. C. Bastien. 3. E. Barclay.

Third Grade A  $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 1. & J. \text{ Cassidy.} \\ 2. & A. \text{ Kehoe.} \\ 3. & V. \text{ Lemay.} \end{array} \right.$ 

Fourth Grade { 1. J. Stuber. 2. P. Turcotte. 3. H. Desrosiers.

## SUBRIDENDO.

GLASGOW TO NELSON.—When Sir John Carr was in Glasgow, about the year 1807, he was asked by the magistrates to give his advice concerning the inscription to be placed on the Nelson monument, then just completed. Sir John recommended as a brief and appropriate epigraph, "Glasgow to Nelson." "Juist so!" said one of the bailies; "and as the toon o'Nelson's (Neilson) close at haun, micht we no juist say, 'Glasgow to Nelson, sax miles?' and so it micht serve for a monument and a milestone, too."