

and, too, refusing the preachers their opportunity.

We have heard lately several complaints in regard to the notice boards in the Arts building, to the effect that notices placed thereon have mysteriously disappeared. It may happen that some, in removing a notice from the board to make room for their own, are not careful in ascertaining whether the one removed has served its purpose. It may happen, too, that some think it a good joke wantonly to tear down the notices. Such sorry caitiffs should be handed over to the horrible attentions of the Concursus. We have noticed, however, that the two boards already in position are hardly adequate to the demand for room, particularly in the fall when there are so many 'rooms to rent' and 'books for sale.' We suggest that the Arts Society procure another notice-board similar to the others for all notices except those of society, year, etc., meetings.

We congratulate both Professor Egerton and the university upon the appointment of Mr. W. L. Grant to be Beit Assistant Lecturer in Colonial History. He was educated at Balliol College, where he took a first class in *Literae Humaniores* in 1898. Mr. Grant is the son of a very distinguished Nova Scotian, the late Principal Grant, who played a leading part in the movement which led to Confederation. He has taught in Upper Canada College under Dr. Parkin, and has since studied in Paris and Germany. Mr. Grant is the author of a life of his father. He is contributing articles on Canada to the forthcoming edition of the *Encyclopaedia Britan-*

*nica*, and had edited for learned societies in the United States and Canada the works of Champlain and Lescarbot. In June last he read a paper on "La Mission de Bussy à Londres en 1761" before the Société d'Histoire Diplomatique at Paris. The ability and enthusiasm of which he has already given ample proof assure him of success in his new duties.—*Oxford University Magazine*.

In 1907 the university will appoint the next Rhodes Scholar. Intending competitors for this honor should inform themselves at an early date of the terms under which it is awarded. The elections of scholars in Canada take place during January.

Prof. A. P. Knight has been elected by Queen's University Senate as its representative on the Ontario advisory council to the Minister of Education.

His Majesty's Commissioners for the Exhibition of 1851, Science Research Scholarship have asked Queen's University Senate to nominate a student for this scholarship. The nomination will be made next spring.

Dr. Tait McKenzie, of the University of Pennsylvania, has been invited to give a lecture on Physical Culture at the formal opening of the gymnasium. He has signified his willingness to be present, but as no date has been decided upon for the opening, the arrangement is not yet concluded. Although the gymnasium will be in actual use very shortly, it is not expected that the formal opening can conveniently take place till the first week after Christmas recess.