threateningly on hers—she could feel the other creeping up to her throat, and at the same moment some cold instrument passed over her head, not sharp, but wet, with—oh, horrors! could it be blood? A piercing shriek awoke the echoes of the silent house.

"Major!!!"

It was a shriek of laughter, and Major, the burglar, barked for joy, and recounted, at the rate of three hundred and sixty-five revolutions a minute, the only *tale* he could tell.

The day of prayer was observed by Moulton as in former years. Lessons were dismissed for the day. In the morning there was a service in the chapel, conducted by Prof. Farmer, and in the afternoon a prayer meeting, led by Miss Smiley. Prof. Farmer's address in the morning was upon "Christ's right place in Education." In his remarks, he spoke about how necessary it was that all persons who taught should be thoroughly Christain, and in all departments of learning that the ideal of a Christ-like life should be constantly brought forward. Miss Smiley, in view of Prof. Huston's severe illness, spoke in the afternoon of Christ's victory over death and the grave.

We were all glad to welome Miss Smiley back to Moulton. We trust she will soon be entirely recovered from the effects of La Grippe, and able to take her customary place amongst us.

On the evening of Tuesday, January 12th, we had the first prayer-meeting of the term. Professor Trotter, of McMaster Hall, addressed the meeting. His subject was one suggested by the time of year, viz.: New Year's Resolutions. He told us why these were so often broken, and pointed out the only sure way of keeping them. We enjoyed his talk, and felt that our meeting had been very profitable.

La Grippe has troubled us but little, for which we are very thankful. Only two cases have occurred in the College. These were promptly isolated, and means were taken to prevent the spread of the disease. As one of the students remarked, the proper thing to do was to "check your grip."

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Since last number the boys have had their holidays. And a welcome breathing space it was; for, since the beginning of last term, they had to work like Trojans, if, by any means, they might satisfy their ambitious teachers. The most of them appeared to have profited by their rest. A few, however, brought the grip back with them, and have not yet fully recovered from its effects.

That the lectures of this year have been an unqualified success, is the verdict of all who have had the pleasure of listening to them. Prof. Farmer entertained us on the 15th inst. with a pleasing description of his trip to Europe. Mr. Farmer has a happy way of interesting