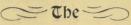
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WE MUST have money at once. Subscribers and advertisers will confer a great favor upon us by remitting the amount due at their very earliest convenience. Those who so promptly responded to our request last month, will please accept our thanks. We regret the Sec'y-Treas. found it necessary to enclose bills to those in arrears.

WE are in receipt of a copy of the "Twenty-ninth Annual Report of the Halifax Young Men's Christian Association," for which we tender our thanks.

In order that we may give our readers an account of the Anniversary Exercises, our May number as usual will not appear until June, when it will be issued as soon as possible.

WE regret it is necessary for us to keep some of the local sheets of our Province posted on so important a matter as our colleges. The Halifax Recorder appears to be much in need of informa-

tion. In an issue of that paper, last month, in referring to Dalhousie's great fortune, the Recorder disposes of the other colleges by remarking that they are too much of theological halls to attract students. In these days of general enlightenment there is no excuse for such pitiable ignorance on the part of the editors, who should first of all make it their duty to become thoroughly acquainted with the institutions of their country. Ignorance of the difference between a denominational college and a theological hall, and of the actual conditions of college affairs, should least of all be expected from journals which are always so ready to boast of their understanding of matters of public interest.

THE Anniversary concert, under the auspices of the Graduating Class, will take place this year as usual. Its nature has not, at the time of writing, been decided upon.* In an early part of the term, the Faculty passed a resolution disallowing the concert. The chief objection urged was, that it attracted too much attention from the real object of the Anniversary gatherings, and a general Alumni Reception was recommended as a substitute. There certainly is reason in this objection, and in others that were named. It is not necessary here to relate the arguments of the class, for they will once suggest themselves to all. We are firmly of the opinion, as stated in another column, that anything which would tend to weaken our June gatherings in any way should be considered with great caution. Perhaps it might be possible to introduce something partaking more of a literary character, but we believe a Reception would be open to many of the objections urged against the concert, and a multitude of others.

The establishment of a Law School for Nova Scotia will be hailed with delight, not only by "legal minds," but by all who have an interest in the advancement of our country. The Province is placed under obligations to George Munro, Esq., of New York, Dalhousie's greatest friend, for "setting the ball rolling," and to a number of the leading

*See LOCALS.