

A decorative floral ornament featuring a large rose on the left, with various leaves and smaller flowers extending to the right, framing the title.

THE MONTH

A STRENUOUS month is over. The flitting passage of time, which gains momentum year by year, never seems to pass us so rapidly as at this season of the year—so much so that we draw our breath in wonder, realizing that thirty more days have glided by.

The most prominent event of the month has been the much-dreaded mid-year examinations. But the wave, which looked mountain high in prospect, has passed over, and we come up gasping, to ride gently in the trough—until the next one.

Examinations, of course, are accompanied by a lull in student activities. However, a new term is safely begun, and the societies are away with renewed zest, and high hopes for an even better term than the last one. One notable change has been made already in the organization of one of the college societies. There are also signs of an outburst of social “affairs”, skating parties, sleigh drives, and other social functions which make so notable a contribution to the lighter side of college life.

ATHENÆUM SOCIETY.

Only two meetings have been held during the month, in both of which important business was discussed in a lively manner. At the meeting of January 19th, announcement was made by the committee appointed to choose the inter-collegiate debating team, as follows:—Messrs. E. L. Curry (leader), R. B. Currie, F. S. Crossman.