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S.P.S. HAS CAPTURED THE MULOCK CUP

From the Winners of Last Year by the Close Margin of One Point.

GAME CLOSE AND EXCITING—SCORE 3-2

Many Brilliant Plays Characterise the Game and a Large Crowd of Students Witness the Final Struggle.

Of all the football games played in the Mulock Cup series for the last five years, at least, and probably since the series began, that played between the School of Science and '02 Arts' teams last Friday was the hardest-fought and best from the standpoint of first-class football. The quality of Rugby played by the two teams was of a very high order, and in fact approached very near that of the Senior teams. Indeed, several were heard to remark that they had rather have seen that game than the Rough Rider—Granite championship match, and such a statement could easily be believed. The game was just as hard, when "hard" is interpreted in the sense of the tackling being fierce, and the game one long struggle with many brilliant and plucky plays. In point of being open, it certainly excelled, for there was a great deal of splendid kicking on the part of both half-back lines, and many wonderfully good runs and brilliant dashes characterized the game.

The weather this year has been excellent, and as this factor is no small consideration in the success or failure of a season, we may partly use this to account for the most interesting and successful season in the history of the Mulock Cup series. The games, too, have been close and of a very high order. Moreover, the Rugby Club finds itself over \$100 less in debt by reason of charging the small admission fee of 10 cents. This alone shows that over a thousand, and possibly fifteen hundred, saw the various games. Friday last was no exception, as far as weather was concerned, and fully six hundred students and footballers came to see the final struggle. Great was the enthusiasm of the respective "rooters," and deafening were the yells and counter-yells; but the slogan of the victors was the triumphant cry, as the game approached the finish. Then was heard the concerted and continued yell of "School Cup!" "School Cup!" "School Cup!" etc., etc., ad infinitum.

Jno. L. Counsell was chief arbiter of the game. He, himself was one of the early and best-known "Mulock-Cuppers"—of the '97 team (which, be it remembered, succumbed to the famous '99 team in the struggle of the year 1897, A.D.). Of the latter battle-scarred breed, came "Jack" Counsell's umpire, Eric Armour. He it was who captained the '99 team, and centre scrimmaged it so often to victory. These two capable officials started the game promptly, and from the first to the last, as hard a struggle as the writer has

seen for many a day, took place. It was the fight of two very strong teams for supremacy, and both almost equal in their strength.

"Alec" McKenzie won the toss, and elected to kick south with a moderate wind to help him. For the first fifteen minutes the play was very even, until by a series of rushes and kicks, '02 worked the ball to the School's fifteen-yard line, and then came a hard fight. S.P.S. with very heavy men succeeded in beating back the attempts of Percy Biggs to get through their line. The latter had all this time been playing a most effective game, and it was strange that he did not get through, but he was very closely and hardly worked. Finally, the first scoring took place on a free kick for '02. It was the latter's scrimmage at twenty yards, and in his too great eagerness McLennan got off-side, a free kick being awarded. "Alec" McKenzie, who had previously attempted a short kick to no purpose, sent a long punt over the line for a rouse.

SOPHOMORES—1; S.P.S.—0.
Little "Mac," or MacDonald, at full back for S.P.S., had all this time been relieving time and again. Indeed, his excellent work at full saved the game, because he took "Alec" McKenzie's long punts every time, and not a single error can be credited to him. So it was that on the kick out he returned McKenzie's long punt to the School ten-yards. Then in a few minutes another free kick was awarded '02, and "Alec" McKenzie kicked into touch-in-goal.

SOPHOMORES—2; S.P.S.—0.
After the kick out there were a number of kicks and returns, and on a "no five-yards decision," the ball rested at half. Then McArthur sent the ball into touch at '02's thirty-five-yards. Dixon, however, bucked and the ball settled at the Arts' men's quarter. Just here occurred one of the prettiest plays of the day. It was S.P.S. scrimmage. Burnside took the ball on a pass from McArthur, and had almost passed the line when he met "Archie" Mullin by the wayside. Archie did not bother tackling his man, but devoted his energies to securing the ball. He was successful, and with about twenty-seven men behind him, he started down for the S.P.S. goal. He was charged by a couple of "yellow and blue" heroes, but staved them off, and would probably have reached the coveted goal had not McArthur been able to do a hundred under 11 seconds. The latter sprinted, and only succeeded in downing the sad sophomore about half-way. The whole play was very pretty, both the steal, the run, and the tackle.

The Arts' men then worked like beavers, and on some good rushes of "Ernie" Patterson's, several long kicks by McKenzie, the ball reached S.P.S. fifteen-yards; and once was in touch at five-yards. The School, however, relieved well, chiefly through the kicking of McDonald, Burnside and McArthur, so that at half-time the ball was about half way.

HALF-TIME.
Score, 2—0, in favor of '02.
On the kick-off, the '02 men became too anxious, and got off-side. Then in a scrimmage McArthur placed a beautiful kick to the Arts' five-yards. From here out, it might be mentioned, '02 were for the most part on the defensive. On the scrimmage at the five-yards, McArthur punted behind the "naughty two," line. McKenzie kicked, but his kick was blocked, and a rouse resulted.

SOPHOMORES—2; S.P.S.—1.
Dixon, the School quarter-back, here made an excellent run. On the kick off he got fair away with the ball, and was not captured until he reached the Arts' twenty-yards. Dixon has been playing a splendid game this year, and deserves a great deal of credit for his good work on the School team. Shortly after, on a scrimmage, Burnside got in another run and the ball rested at about five-yards. Then there was a hard struggle for five minutes, until Biggs passed out to McDermott behind his own line. The latter got well away, but was captured a few yards out and shoved over. A safety touch was claimed, but it turned out that McDermott had yelled "held" before he was forced over the line. The latter had

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GENERAL HUTTON'S PROPOSED SCHEME

To Raise a Bearer Corps and Field Hospital Corps from Varsity and Trinity Meds, and an Engineer Corps from S.P.S.

ENTHUSIASTIC MASS MEETING

300 Students hear the General's Proposals and greet them heartily. The General's Speech and Proposals.

Of all the mass meetings held in the past five or six years, that of Saturday last, to meet General Hutton, was by far the largest and most enthusiastic. Some 300 students, from Varsity Meds., S.P.S., Arts, and Trinity Meds. were present to hear what General Hutton had to tell them concerning the formation of a bearer corps, a hospital corps, and an engineer corps. They were intensely enthusiastic and cheered the General vigorously time and again. It could easily be seen, even if he had not so expressed himself, that General Hutton was greatly pleased with his reception. It showed him conclusively that the students were with him, heart and soul, in his endeavor to form the above-mentioned corps from among their numbers. Every student present would have likely enlisted had he called for recruits, then and there.

President Loudon occupied the chair, and with him on the platform were General Hutton, Director-General Neilson, Dean Geikie, and Colonel Delamere. In opening the meeting the chairman said the gathering reminded him of a similar gathering forty years ago, when a company was formed in the University, which afterwards took an active part in the defence of the country at the time of the Fenian raid and the North-West rebellion. They were assembled to see how a proposition of General Hutton's, to raise another corps, would be welcomed. In view of the wealth of material, he thought the proposals General Hutton would make were extremely moderate.

General Hutton, on rising, was greeted with great applause, and continuing, entered at once into his subject. He said he had not come as a recruiting sergeant, but to feel the way in asking them to renew the obligations, such as they accepted in 1860. He was not going to propose anything new, but ask them to renew the connection they had with the militia defence of their own country.

National defence was the first institution of a people, and it was the foundation of Canada and the British Empire. The defence of the British Empire was a voluntary one, and, with the exception of the United States, was unique in that respect. Canada should defend its own shores, and assist in the defence of the Empire. In regard to the first, Canada had long been negligent. For its defence the average person in Canada paid 34 cents, in Australia 66 cents, and in the British Isles \$5, and from that it could not be said Canada had fulfilled its part.

As regarded the defence of the Empire, as fine a body of men as any in the Empire had been lately sent to South Africa. General Hutton then spoke of the need of cohesion in the military system of Canada. At present they had no administrative departments at all. They were not able to feed or look after the men, nor had they military order departments. They had no medical companies, no hospital service, and no engineering corps. These were required, and it had been decided to ask the Colleges to contribute in a small degree towards these.

General Hutton then explained that a bearer corps, a field hospital corps, and an engineering corps were what had been decided for the Colleges to raise. In asking them to take part in the military system, they were asked to undertake a share in the defence of the country. It was no light matter, and involved self-sacrifice, but military service was a privilege. They would drill in the grounds of the Royal Military College for twelve days every summer, receiving the same equipments, etc., as the rural battalions. General Hutton then explained the duties of the engineer corps. Two were being raised, one in Toronto, and one in Montreal, from McGill. On sitting down the General was enthusiastically cheered.

Director-General Neilson then explained the duties of the field hospital and bearer corps. He spoke first of all of the organization of a Military Medical Council, consisting of 72 officers. From it the officers would be selected for the field hospitals and bearer companies.

In time of war a bearer company consisted of 92 officers and men and 45

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TRINITY MEDS.' ANNUAL BANQUET

The New Temple Cafe the Scene of the Festivities.

GENERAL HUTTON PRESENT

Everybody Declares the Event of Unsurpassing Interest.

Trinity Meds. held their annual banquet last Friday evening, in the Temple Cafe. Trinity is always noted for the success of her functions, but this year she outshone herself. The affair was a complete success from beginning to end. The decorations were tasty and appropriate. The menu cards were extremely well thought out. The edibles were of the first quality. And last, but not least, the speeches were of the very highest order.

Major-General Hutton, Dr. Landerkin, M.P., and Lieut.-Col. Neilson were the guests of the evening, and they enjoyed it as much as any of the other boys. The chair was occupied by Mr. E. A. Royd, President of the committee. Among the guests also were Dean Geikie, Rev. Armstrong Black, Chancellor Allan, Dr. Ryerson, Dr. Grasset, Dr. Adam Wright, Rev. Arthur Baldwin, Dr. Powell, Dr. Fotheringham, Dr. Wishart, L. E. Embree and Walter S. Lee.

Dr. Landerkin proposed the chief toast, "Canada and the Empire." He spoke of the love of every Canadian for his country, and for the Empire, a love which had been greatly fostered by the Universities. We belonged to an Empire pre-eminent in the world's history, the forerunner of civilization throughout the world, ruled over by one of the most illustrious sovereigns that ever graced the throne of any country. Dr. Landerkin coupled with the toast the name of the Major-General.

Major-General Hutton, in reply, thanked the boys for their applause, and disclaimed any intention of addressing them as a recruiting sergeant. He proceeded to speak of the Canadian Contingent and the difficulties which face the British in South Africa. He was well able to elaborate on these, for he has himself spent a considerable time in South Africa, having fought two campaigns there, one being against the Boers in 1882. In speaking of the responsibility that rests on himself, General Hutton dwelt upon the importance of the defence spirit. It was the rise of Japan and the necessity of defence for the six Australian colonies that had brought them to the verge of Confederation. In closing he said that he would report very favorably to the Minister upon the proposal to give the Universities some definite connection with the militia defence of Canada.

The other speakers were: Lieut.-Col. Neilson, Dr. Powell, Dean Geikie, Dr. Teskey, Dr. McKibbin, Dr. Fotheringham, Rev. Armstrong Black, Rev. A. H. Baldwin, A. Hunter, L. E. Embree, Dr. Ryerson, Dr. O'Rielly, Dr. Roonie, (London); Dr. Sheard, Chancellor Allan, Dr. Adam Wright, Dr. Britton, Dr. Temple, Dr. R. Landsborough, and the following representatives of sister Colleges: B. B. Bridge, Queen's, Kingston; S. G. Brown, Bishop's, Montreal; C. C. Tatham, Toronto Medical College; C. A. Harding, Dental College; G. A. Ferguson, Victoria; H. A. Jones, B.A., McGill; S. M. Fisher, College of Pharmacy; S. Thompson, London University; Dr. Hunter, Knox College; F. W. Grant, Osgoode Hall.

This brought to a close one of the best dinners old Trinity has ever held. The committee deserve great credit for the able way in which they conducted the affair. Especially is praise due the President for the energy he displayed in bringing the affair to its happy conclusion. It takes the wearers of the Rouge et Noir to do things up right always. And if some of the boys did appear to act foolishly at times it was only because the exuberance of their spirits, and their loyalty to the Alma Mater, carried them away.

May the Trinity Med. Dinner have many another happy birthday party!

Athletics at Yale cost \$56,384.26 last year. Of this over \$30,000 went for football, \$17,500 for baseball, and about \$6,000 for rowing. It is estimated that 120 men worked on the various teams, while over 2,500 go to the schools there at New Haven. It costs about \$500 to educate one man properly for the teams.

That Columbia College is very generous with its scholarships and free tuition is shown by the statement recently issued to the effect that during the past year \$58,608 had been given away. The tuition fees received amounted in all to \$281,801.74.

FOR CANADIAN REGISTRATION

The Most Important Speeches of the Varsity Meds.' Banquet were on this Subject.

DR. RODDICK'S PLAN

A General Council for Canada, which, Having Passed, the Fortunate Med May Practice in any Province.

We regretted that lack of space and the rush before going to press prevented us giving an account of Dr. Roddick's speech at the Varsity Meds.' great banquet. It was one of the most interesting that has been delivered there for many a year, and of the utmost importance both to the medical student and also to the profession. The rapt attention given him by the 250 students present showed the deep interest they felt in his subject, and the applause that punctuated many of his remarks and greeted him at the close of his fine address, proved their entire sympathy for him in his fight for Dominion Registration. Every Med. prays that he may succeed.

In speaking to the toast of "Canada," Dr. Roddick gave an account of the proposed plan for the formation of a Dominion Medical Council. He announced that a bill providing for Dominion Registration would be introduced at the next session of the Dominion Parliament, and outlined the measure.

The proposal is to have a Dominion Medical Council, to which each province will send three members. One of these is to be appointed by the Governor-General-in-Council, the second by the Provincial Medical Council, and the third is to be the President of the Provincial Council, ex-officio. This Council is to take some such position in Canada as the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons does in England. It will appoint an examining board of the most able men to be obtained, to examine those who wish to practice medicine in any part of Canada. Five years' study will be required of a candidate before he is allowed to present himself for this examination. The examinations for the present are to be held alternately at Montreal and Toronto, about June of each year. It is hoped then that matters can be so arranged that the successful candidates can ask for registration in every province of the Dominion. The provincial boards will, however, still continue their work, so that any man, who does not desire to practice outside his own province, will accordingly go before the Provincial Board. Another clause will permit medical men who have been practicing ten years to take advantage of the act. If the act becomes law, it is proposed to ask the British Medical Council to permit a man, with his qualification from the Dominion Board, to practice in any part of the British Empire. This would open up many new fields, and in all probability relieve the congested condition of the Canadian profession.

WOMEN'S LITERARY

A Very Pleasant Evening Saturday Last—The Programme.

There was a fair attendance at the last meeting for this year of the Women's Literary Society of University College, in the Students' Union Hall on Saturday evening. It was for the most part a Schumann evening. Miss Amos, '02, read an interesting essay on his life. Miss Thompson, of the Conservatory of Music, gave an instrumental solo, "Warum," by Schumann, which was heartily enjoyed. Miss Florence Thompson then played a pretty violin selection, "Abende Lied," by the same composer. Miss C. McDonald '01, and Miss Gladys Cameron, read selections which were loudly applauded. Miss Austin sang "An Irish Folk Song," very sweetly.

The programme was brought to a close by a short play entitled, "A Home-made Chaperon," in which Miss Watt, '01, Miss Hutchison, '01, and Miss King, '02, took part. Great merriment was caused by the perplexities arising from the absence of the chaperon of the two young ladies in the play, and their making one to use on the occasion of a gentleman guest to dinner. The difficulties only increased in trying to keep up the deception. The meeting broke up amidst peals of laughter, and words of praise for the girls taking part in the play.

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Deep sympathy is felt by all undergraduates, and especially by the medical students, for Dr. Primrose, Professor of Anatomy in the Medical Faculty of the University of Toronto, in his bereavement at the recent loss of his child.

NO NATIONAL UNIVERSITY.

Some few years ago an agitation was started for the founding of a "National University," at Washington, D.C. The creed of the chief movers in this is expressed in a statement made by the chairman of the committee organized to further the interests of such a University, Governor John W. Hoyt. He recently said: "The creation of such an institution would be the logical culmination of the American system of public education." By this he meant that such a University, under the direct jurisdiction of the Government, would do for men what the Public School system does for children. A committee, however, with President Harper, of Chicago University, as chairman, reported against the advisability of the founding of such a University, declaring, "It has been, and is, one of the recognized functions of the Federal Government to encourage and aid, but not to control, the educational instrumentalities of the country."

NEW YORK IN EDUCATION.

The name "New York," suggests to most of us a great commercial centre, with the god of commerce supreme. Such, perhaps is the case, but in recent years New York has made great strides towards becoming a great educational centre, as well. There are now two Universities situated in the metropolis, Columbia and New York Universities. These have both been moved lately to excellent situations, and now have splendid buildings and equipments. Columbia, under the guiding power and financial favor of Seth Low, has been particularly progressive, and today has magnificent buildings situated near the Hudson, in the northern suburbs of New York. The attendance at Columbia has had the wonderful increase of 100 per cent. in nine years. New York University, moreover, has 1,700 students.

Like most of her sister Universities, however, both are deeply in debt, and carrying such a heavy financial load that their progress is greatly impeded. It has been suggested by the "Outlook" that New York should wipe out these debts. "The metropolis owes it to its Universities to give them the very largest opportunities to do their work with intelligence, comprehensiveness, and skill. A city is big by virtue of its size, it is great by virtue of the things it cares for and the interests to which it devotes itself."

THE MULOCK CUP SERIES, 1899.

When the Inter-College Rugby League was formed, the statement was made that if the students at McGill, Queen's and Varsity supported their respective teams, the financial success of the season would be assured, irrespective of the ordinary football play. No doubt this is true, and we had last Friday an excellent proof of it. The occasion was the finals in the Mulock Cup series, when '02 Arts, and the School of Practical Science battled for supremacy. There were in all at least 500 students present, and they were wildly enthusiastic, in fact more so by far than at any of the championship games between our Senior team and Queen's or McGill; and the number, 500, is fully twice that ever present this year at any Senior game.

What does this mean? Nothing, if it is not that the class spirit is rampant among the various institutions and faculties uniting to form the great University of Toronto. It means that the students will support and assist in the athletic glorification at least of their particular institution, with more enthusiasm, than they will support the representatives from the whole of the University of Toronto, who are fighting to uphold the honor of the greater body. Is this state of affairs not to be greatly deplored? Why, surely if

our class merits our support, then to a far greater degree should we feel it both our duty and pleasure to assist in advancing the interests of the whole University! What we need is federation in spirit. We have it in the letter, and it is to be hoped that the time is not far distant when the students will become thoroughly imbued with the "greater University" spirit, and assist as enthusiastically in the support and glorification of the University, as a whole, as they do now in the conflicts for the supremacy of their particular Faculty, College or class over another.

THE DINING HALL PLAN.

There is little doubt now that the project of turning the old Residence Dining-Hall into a common Dining-Hall, will be successful. Quite a large number of students of many faculties have signified their desire to try the new fare that will be provided. A great many students, as is well known, have rooms in one house, and take their meals either in another, or at one of the public dining-halls scattered over the city. And it is also a fact that many of these men are heartily sick, not only of the fare provided, but also with having to take their meals with anyone who should happen to come to their table. They realize what a delightful change it would be to dine where only their fellow-students, the Faculty, or graduates, were admitted; and no doubt the number who would take advantage of the new Dining-Hall at first would greatly increase in a short time.

In Harvard, there are three large dining halls, where the students meet three times a day. These halls are most popular, and, indeed, it is almost impossible to obtain admission to them, so great is the desire of the students to take their meals there. These common dining-halls are recognized by the Faculty as most important in their educating influence upon the students who dine together. And it is readily conceivable that there would be no better place to become acquainted with one's fellow-students than at the dining-table.

A well-known and experienced caterer has been secured, and the menu submitted is full of promises of excellent meals. No doubt these will be furnished. The price, too, is most reasonable, \$2.25 per week, or seven tickets for a dollar. In addition, conversation rooms will be furnished in the Dean's quarters. Here the students can meet together for a while before going back to work. This feature is by no means unimportant.

The success of the project, then, seems secured, and in all probability when the students return after Christmas, they will find the new Dining-Hall in full blast. It is to be hoped that it will receive the liberal support that it deserves, from the Arts men, the Meds., and School of Science men.

Heard in the Halls.

We are sorry to see that Prof. Wrong is still unable to lecture, owing to illness.

V. E. Henderson was once more honored by being elected to the Executive of the O.R.F.U. on Saturday last. This is the second season he has held the office.

McGregor, '02, was one of Varsity's delegates to the O.R.F.U. meeting on Saturday. He was sent on account of the good work he did with the Varsity Junior team this past season.

The Glee Club assisted at a meeting held for political purposes in Guild Hall, Monday evening. The prize song, "Toronto, the Pride of the North," was enthusiastically received.

"Lexie" Isbester and Gordon Fleck, '03, represented the Rough Riders at the annual meeting of the O.R.F.U. It is said that they have both developed into flowery orators, as a result of their efforts on Saturday.

As you will notice by their "ad.," the Semi-Ready Store is offering a twenty per cent. discount on all its prices during the next few weeks. This means that in them you have the cheapest and best costumers in town.

At a meeting of the Natural Science Association yesterday, G. G. Nasmith, '00, read an interesting paper on "Economic Products of Huronian Rocks," and E. M. Ashworth, '01, discussed the question of "Clouds." A very interesting meeting was held.

The next of the joint Monday lectures is announced for December 18th, in Room 9, of University College. Mr. W. S. Milner will then deliver a lecture on "The American and Roman Republics—a Parallel and a Contrast." It is safe to say that a large crowd will attend to hear what will no doubt be a most interesting lecture. The time will be 4.10 p.m.

The Mathematical and Physical Society will hold their meeting to-morrow in Room 16, at 4 p.m. The programme has several excellent papers. A. C. Campbell, '00, will discuss "The Development of the Present Calendar." J. W. Fisher will read a paper on "The Work of Sir G. G. Stokes." Messrs. Hedley and Spark, '00, will conduct some interesting physical experiments. Everyone is welcome.

As usual, this year the railways offer reduced rates to students for the Christmas holidays. Upon presentation of the usual certificate from the Registrar, tickets will be issued for a fare and a third, good going from the 9th to the 31st of December, and returning not later than January 17th. Single fare tickets will be issued good from December 23rd to December 26th. It is understood that

many students residing in South Ontario, West Elgin, Brant, and a couple of other ridings, took advantage of the cheap rates during this week. We wonder if they needed certificates of registration.

For "Her," a sterling silver shoe hook, tooth brush, nail file, shoe horn, curler, blotter, etc., eight inches long, 75c. each. Proctor, 344 Yonge.

Dr. McCallum's lecture on the "Nerve Cell and the Race," was largely attended. It took place in the Lecture Hall of the Chemical Building, Monday afternoon. We regret that lack of space prevents us giving an extended account of what was a most interesting and instructive lecture.

"University of Toronto Studies, Psychological Series, Numbers 2 and 3," have been issued. They are edited by Prof. Kirschmann. No. 2 is a contribution to the Psychology of Time by M. A. Shaw, and E. S. Wrinch. It is a rather pretentious, but an eminently successful effort, on the part of the post-graduates of the University. The subject is discussed, (1) by giving an historical sketch, (2) by describing the theory of time estimation, (3) by giving experiments and the effect of the lapse of time between the normal and the comparative intervals, (4) by lucidly describing Weber's law and time estimation, and (5) by experiments in the reproduction of complex rhythmically arranged groups of intervals. The style is clear and terse, and the whole contribution will form pleasant reading to both the initiated and the uninitiated. No. 3 consists of the results of experiments on time relations of poetical metres by A. S. Hurst and John McKay. The subject is treated in a logical manner, first by laying down a proposition and then arguing it out by diversified illustrations. What strikes one in reading the two contributions is the immense amount of labor that must have been undergone by the students in order to finish their theses. Experiments, at their best, when performed day after day, for months, must grow monotonous, but when added to this it is necessary to tabulate, collate and conclude from the results of these experiments, the labor seems almost superhuman. That the work has been done so well speaks volumes for the interest that is awakened in psychological studies in Toronto University.

"Century" were always noted for being good entertainers and excellent hosts, but last Saturday they excelled themselves. Their fourth and last (we regret to say), reception was held in the East Hall, which was taxed to its fullest capacity by the many women of all the years, and the men of '00 chiefly. The freshettes, it might be mentioned, were in special evidence, and if an outsider could judge, were somewhat guilty of alienating the attentions of many grave seniors, would-be grave juniors and sophomores, and last (and least), of susceptible freshmen. Nevertheless a good time was spent by all, and as the walking was good, many miles were covered by most—but still some few lingered longer than they should in shady nooks, beyond the fierce and unpleasant and unnecessary glare of many electric lights. Once there was great applause in the East Hall, and the writer asked the reason. It was that the lights had gone out, and Mr. George Kay, in a displeased tone, well-feigned, announced that ten minutes would elapse before the electricity would be turned on. After the applause had subsided, there was "quiet, still as death," until the electricity at last arrived. Then the walk continued. The Ladies' Reading-Room was the centre of very great interest, for there Albert Williams served excellent refreshments. The committee deserve credit for the manner in which the affair was carried out, and may rest assured that all had a good time.

A GOOD TIME EXPECTED

Berlin, Woodstock, St. Thomas and Brantford Included in the Harmonic Club Tour.

The Harmonic Club of the University of Toronto leaves on Monday, December 18th, for a week's tour through Western Ontario. There will be thirty men on the tour, including the two conductors. Sixteen will be in the Glee Club, under the direction of Mr. J. M. Sherlock, tenor; and fourteen in the Banjo, Guitar, and Mandolin Club, under the leadership of Mr. G. F. Smedley. All the songs will be from the new University Song Book. The following are included in the club's repertoire: "Toronto, the Pride of the North," by H. H. Godfrey; Kipling's Recessional, "Crossing the Bar," "The Shades of Night," Sprague's "Zwei Beer," "The Land of the Leal," and "Little Miss Muffet."

The string department will favor the audiences with Smokey Mokes, Andalusia Waltz, America Forever, The Palms, the Vineyard March, Gloria, and others. With such items on their programmes the concerts on the tour should prove undoubted successes. The series begins at Guelph, the evening of December 18th. From there the club goes to Berlin on the 19th, Woodstock on the 20th, St. Thomas on the 21st, and Brantford on the 22nd. Then they return home.

There promises to be an unusually good time on the tour from the information regarding dances, etc., already to hand. The club has been practising assiduously for a long time past, and everything augurs well. The committee in charge of the tour are Messrs. George Pirie, President; A. H. Montgomery, B.A., Business Manager; R. D. Hume, '00, Secretary-Treasurer.

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A. in former body, the Gymnasium will be transformed into a banquet hall, and will be suitably decorated for the occasion. The list of speakers will include many of the foremost men of the province and of the University. Professor Hutton will occupy the chair, President Loudon being unfortunately unable to attend. Among the orators of the evening will be Hon. Richard Harcourt, Minister of Education; Mr. S. H. Blake, Rev. Dr. Teffy, Rev. Dr. Burwash, Dr. Parkin, Hon. David Mills, Messrs. W. Cassels, A. E. Kemp, J. W. Flavell, W. A. Frash, E. B. Osler, M.P.; J. Ross Robertson, M.P.; W. F. McLean, D. R. Wilkie, W. A. Fraser, G. N. Morang, and J. Wallace, of the Mail and Empire.

Dr. Smale will propose the toast to our guests; Mr. DeLury will propose the toast to the ladies, which will be responded to by Messrs. D. B. Gillies and Allan of the freshman year. Mr. E. P. Brown, on Athletics; Mr. A. N. Mitchell will respond. Mr. J. J. Gibson will propose the toast to the undergraduate guests, which will be responded to by the representatives from the various Colleges. Mr. A. H. N. Fairchild, Editor of Varsity, will propose the toast to the press. An orchestra will be in attendance, and a musical programme provided, Mr. Knox, of Knox College, singing a couple of selections, and the students singing Prof. Hutton's new Latin song, "Alma Mater."

COME TO THE DINNER.

MOST DECIDED SUCCESS

Mrs. Agnes Knox Black and Varsity Banjo Club Assist the Ladies' Glee Club Entertainment.

The Ladies' Glee Club concert, held at the Normal School theater on Wednesday evening, proved a decided success in every way. The attendance was much larger than usual, and the programme was a highly interesting one. All the numbers rendered by the Glee Club were warmly received, and encores were the order of the evening. Mrs. Agnes Knox-Black gave several recitations, and proved a great favorite with the audience. Miss Frances Dignam, the Varsity Banjo Club, and Miss Florence Bell also contributed to the programme, and each of their numbers elicited much applause. The following was the programme:

PART I.

1. The Pride of the North. H. H. Godfrey. Ladies' Glee Club.
 2. The Rosary. Nevin. Miss Francis Dignam.
 3. Selection. Varsity Banjo Club.
 4. Drink to Me. Old English. Ladies' Glee Club.
 5. Crown of Wild Olives. Ruskin. Mrs. Agnes-Knox Black.
 6. Estudiantina. Lacombe. Ladies' Glee Club.
 7. A Forgiveness. Browning. Mrs. Agnes-Knox Black.
- PART II.
8. The Minstrel Boy. Ladies' Glee Club.
 9. Confessions. Conan Doyle. Mrs. Agnes-Knox Black.
 10. Deh Vieni non Tardar. Mozart. Miss Florence Bell (of Chicago).
 11. A Little Flower. Hills. Ladies' Glee Club.
 12. Selections from Stevenson and Kipling. Mrs. Agnes-Knox Black.

WYCLIFFE COLLEGE NOTES

Woodruff, '02, has been very ill all the week, la grippe being the trouble. It seems to be epidemic, as McCredie, '01, has also had it, and others are complaining. McCredie also has a headache. Mr. Douglas, the well-known advocate of the Single-Tax in Canada, addressed the Literary and Scientific Society on Friday night on social reforms. Everybody was interested, and Haslam and Fawcett are said to have learned something.

Dr. Bowman has left for Berlin, where he will spend his Christmas holidays. He has finished work on his thesis, which is now being published in the University Series, and at Leipzig, Germany.

Adams and McCallum went as representatives to the Dental "At Home" last week. Both made eloquent speeches.

H. White has gone home to Alymer for Christmas. He is old enough to vote, and is pulling something out of the East Elgin election fund. He seems quite young, too.

Varsity to Have Two Large Rinks

A Hockey Rink and a Skating Rink to be Built on the Athletic Field.

WILL BE POPULAR

Mr. Russel has all Arrangements made and as soon as the Weather comes, Ice will be had.

For several seasons past attempts have been made to have a rink at Varsity, but without that success which the project deserved. Last year the rinks, for there were two—a hockey rink and a skating rink—were not ready until the season was well advanced, with the consequence that they were poorly supported. This year, however, Mr. Russel, the secretary of the Athletic Board, has got to work early, and already the success of the rinks is this year practically assured. Mr. Russel left lists at the various Colleges, which intending purchasers of season tickets should sign. The result has been quite reassuring, and the Athletic Board will in all probability go ahead with their undertaking at once.

Realizing the great advantage of having a first-class man, familiar with the work, particular care was taken to secure a good, reliable man. This the committee have done, and they feel certain that first-class ice will always be ready, if the weather is propitious, and moreover, that both skaters and hockeyists will be well treated. The intention is to have the rinks where they were last year, that is behind the quadrangle. This situation is both convenient for the ladies and for the men taking advantage of the gymnasium. Two rinks will again be built. One will be devoted entirely to pleasure skating, and the other will be at the disposal of those who desire to chase the puck.

Soon, then, we may expect to see a large crowd of students and others, male and female, gliding around the rink, exhibiting the advantages or pleasure of co-education. And also hockey will be occupying the attention of many of the students, who in the autumn term used the Campus for football and other sports.

The price of the tickets has been kept down very low, and will be only one dollar for men and seventy-five cents for ladies. These are season tickets. Any year, or faculty, or college may obtain exclusive rights to the Hockey rink for certain hours, by guaranteeing 25 membership tickets. Any further information may be obtained from Mr. T. A. Russel at the gymnasium. It may be stated that the rink will be proceeded with almost immediately.

S.P.S. Captures Mulock Cup

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the misfortune to have his knee hurt, and had to go off. The Arts men missed McDermott, because he certainly played an excellent game at half all through, and showed great promise as a half-back.

Here '02 did some good pushing, and worked the ball out to ten-yards. Then McKenzie got in one of his long punts. Patterson, '02, was evidently on the lookout for this, for he got well away and reached the ball before McArthur could get it. By a pretty play, one of the best of the day, he ran as far as half before being downed. From a scrimmage here, a rally of half a dozen kicks took place between McArthur and McKenzie, who had all through been doing yeoman service for their respective teams. From a scrimmage at thirty-five-yards, McArthur made a long punt behind the '02 line. This McKenzie took, but was downed before he could get past the scoring line.

SOPHOMORES—2, S.P.S.—2. With the score even, the play became faster and fiercer, but soon after Thorne, of S.P.S., made a good kick from a pass out of scrimmage, and a rouge was tallied. S.P.S.—3; SOPHOMORES—2.

The Arts men, with eleven minutes to play, now plucked up and forced S.P.S. up to their twenty-five yards, but a free kick brought the ball to half-way; and by a kick from McKenzie the ball then rested in touch at S.P.S. thirty-five yards. Indeed, for some time the ball was in School territory, but the Arts men could not score. Finally, however, by a long and excellent kick, McArthur sent the ball far down to McKenzie. When the latter punted, Campbell blocked well, and a scrimmage took place at the twenty-yards of '02. From this scrimmage, Patterson got around the end, and made a beautiful run, reaching half-way. Here the worst accident of the day took place, when Burnside, in tackling Patterson, got a severe kick. It was some minutes before he came round. He said he was well enough to go on, and he certainly seemed so, for only shortly after he made a beautiful twenty-yards run through the field. Before this, however, Biggs nearly turned the tide of victory. He bucked the School line, tore his way through, got well away, and was only captured after he had gained the thirty-five yards. Burnside got away again, made an excellent run and was only downed at the Arts' five-yard line. Then time was called, and the School men rushed on the field almost wild with joy, for it was indeed the "School Cup!" The score about indicates the play.

S.P.S.—Back, Macdonald; halves, Thorne, McArthur (Capt.); Burnside; quarter, Dickson; scrimmage, Fothering-

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NOTES.

S.P.S. wins! Biggs' rushes! McKenzie's kicks! Patterson's excellent runs! "Archie" Mullin's star "steal!" Burnside made several beautiful runs. Dixon did well at quarter. "Little Mac" at full back, is certainly well up in his business. "Biddy" McLennan can play inside with most men. "Reg," McArthur's long punts were very important to the School. McArthur has been doing great work this year. Dean was picked out by many as a coming man. The '02 slogan was this original but discordant howl:

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General Hutton's Proposed Scheme

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The first public Mock Parliament, held under the auspices of the University College Literary and Scientific Society, took place Friday evening, December 8th. Previously the "Lit." has furnished, at its open meetings, a programme consisting of a reading and a debate; but this year an innovation was introduced in the shape of a Mock Parliament. If the success of this effort is taken into account, it will not be the last public Mock Parliament which the "Lit." will hold. The affair was a decided success from beginning to end.

Despite the fact that the Executive had not seen fit to issue special invitations in the time-honored manner, the Gymnasium was filled with an appreciative audience. The eastern end of the room was arranged in the ordinary form of a legislative chamber, while the western portion and the gallery was given up to the audience.

The proceedings began by Dr. Smale, President of the society, taking the chair. After a short, but pleasing, address, he called upon Mr. Clark for a song. A hearty encore brought Mr. Clark back, and he gave the students a chance to enjoy themselves by joining him in the chorus of the "Soldiers of the Queen."

Mr. Russel was then asked to distribute the prizes won at the annual games. Before proceeding to this, Mr. Russel gave a short account of the state of athletics in the University of Toronto, and impressed upon the students the need for more earnest support, on their part, of University athletics. He then called upon Mrs. McCurdy to make the presentation of the prizes to the successful athletes. This done, and the proud winners having borne away their laurels, Dr. Smale vacated the chair and the Mock Parliament began by the election of Mr. T. A. Hunt, as Speaker.

Mr. Hunt having in a few happy remarks thanked the House for the honor it had done him, asked the clerk to read the address, which His Excellency had seen fit to place before the House. A combat of forensic eloquence then followed, such as only a "Lit." Mock Parliament can call forth. The vast corruption of which the Opposition accused the Ministry could only be equalled by the incompetence of which the Government accused the Opposition. The mover and seconder of the reply to the speech from the throne, Mr. J. A. Ross and Mr. Robertson, both of '03, did their duty ably, but only to have their carefully constructed excuses for the policy of the Government torn to tatters by the leader of the Opposition. The Government hedged and squirmed, but only to find themselves attacked on all sides. The Ministry brought forth cleverly constructed arguments to show the reasonableness of their schemes. They concocted cunningly arranged addresses to attempt to throw a slur of disloyalty upon the loyal Opposition. But, alas, it was all in vain. The valiant warriors of the Opposition benches pulled to pieces their clever addresses and showed the unsoundness of the policy. They cast back indignantly the hints of disloyalty, and in fact argued to such good effect that when the division came upon an amendment offered by the Leader of the Opposition, the Government was overthrown.

The speeches throughout were all of a high order. If any could be picked for special mention, it would be Messrs. McLeod and Armstrong, of the Government, and Messrs. Kay and Fisher of the Opposition. These at least furnished the greatest amusement to the audience, which it is presumed was the end to be desired. But all did well and showed that oratorical talent is by no means dead yet in old Varsity.

NOTES

Open Mock Parliament should happen often.

"We can't put any old thing off on the farmers."—Fisher.

"The strength of the country is old maids, because the number of cats depends on the number of old maids; the number of mice depends on the number of cats; the number of bees depends on the number of mice; the amount of clover depends on the number of bees; the quantity and quality of beef depends on the amount of clover; and the strength of the country depends upon its beef. Therefore, the strength of the country is its old maids."—Kay.

"The increase in marriages is owing to the two-cent postage."—Brophy.

"The members should have their epileptic fits before entering the house."—Brown.

"It bleaseth her that gives, and him that takes;

"Tis mightiest in the mightiest; It becomes the lady graduate better than her gown."—McLeod. *That is marry-women graduates to farmers.

"And which you have, Mr. Speaker, was unanimously accepted."—Cooper.

"Before the Government came into power, it promised to stock Hamilton Bay with fish for the benefit of Hamilton's fisheries, but, behold, when they get power they only stock a swimming bath with suckers."—Fisher.

"PREPOSTEROUS."—Feather.

PHARMACY NOTES

Who said that they always wore their best clothes to their funeral, and what man was bad enough to wish that he were twins that he might send the other one to the torture chamber?

We have learned, what a sad, sad learning! that carnations are not always the straight tip, nor the only things that bloom about now.

Already the fear of what may be has gotten in its work, and the average apprentice wears a pale, gaunt cheek and feverish eye, for has not the "just-returned" from College painted to him, in lurid words and horrid detail the things that have been, are, and are yet to be. Meanwhile gloating fiendishly over this wreck of what was once a giddy, thoughtless youth, with no thought for the morrow, except that it was one day nearer pay. Alas, that the sorrows of history should thus repeat themselves! Full well do we remember how in the hey-day of our existence, as constant toilers, our future was darkened and our hopes blighted by just such another weird yarn.

We have the drop on the other fellows by about a week. What a chance to get our socks darned before Christmas Eve.

"Oh! where is my wandering boy tonight?" sang many a fond mamma on Friday evening last, for well she knew that her son in Pharmacy's training was not burning the mid-night oil, as was his wont. The answer would cover much ground, for some were here and there and everywhere, mostly everywhere.

Many of us would like to know where the committee got the good-lookers to personate them in their photo, or was the picture man an artist in all senses of the word, seeing and discovering beauties where we of less artistic training saw them not?

It has been fully, and to many painfully demonstrated that ammonia, hydrochloric acid, well water and sulphuric, do not always make a chemistry paper.

Next term we are not to have the pleasure of the "One Girls" company in our daily routine of arduous duties. That she will be missed by all is a well-known fact. That she will be more than missed is equally well-known, for every fellow of us felt it rather an honor that one girl, alone, should brave the terrors of the junior course, trusting to the boys to make her road as easy as possible. But 'twas ever thus, "Pharmacy never loved a girl or flower. But—," yes, even the carnation went back on us.

"Good-bye, I'll meet you at the sups," was the cheery call, as man after man padded down the front steps to pack his belongings or make arrangements for saying a fond farewell to her who of late had grown so dear to him.

OSGOODE-HALL NOTES

The lectures for the third year close this week. The "evidence" will all be in by next Thursday.

The odds on the favorites will be posted on Saturday. For the gold medal the prevailing odds are: Martin, 1-3; Senker, 1-2; Munro, 3-2; Milne, 1-10; Myers, 1-20; Colville, 1-5; Buchanan, 10-1; McNeece, 30-1; McGee, 4-2.

J. R. Meredith is reluctant to accept the management of the hockey team because of the numerous tours and immense amount of business.

J. L. Counsell, after much pressure on the part of his many friends, was induced to accept the Presidency of the O.R.F.U., last Saturday. In the contest he won hands down. Mr. Counsell has had a great deal of experience, besides having been in his day the greatest Canadian half-back, so will make an excellent President.

Many third year students still persist in reading the daily newspapers. Some think that more would be gained by listening to the lecturer, and whether or not this be the case, it is very discourteous not to give one's attention to a speaker.

John Milne is preparing a series of two minute talks for Thursday, the closing day of the year. Among others, he will touch on "The Transvaal Situation," "Why Greenway was Licked," "Tarte, the Traitor," "Will Ross go Next?" "Women Lawyers," and "Freedom of Speech the Right of Every Man."

Ernie Burns has taken the place of Captain R. K. Barker, who has gone to the Transvaal; the firm now being Bristol, Cawthra and Burns. On account of his plugging for exams, and his duties in the Courts of Appeal, he is rarely seen now around the Law School.

H. G. Myers has settled down to heavy work. He is said to have spent half an hour on Sunday reading Hawkins' on "Wills." This is only a report, yet the truth, no matter how improbable it is, often leaks out.

G. W. Hastings, of the first year, is still confined to the house by illness. He is much missed by the Principal, who loves prompt and accurate answers to his questions.

The practice of dividing the examinations has been extended to the first year. They have two subjects at Christmas.

Fred. Martin is now down to hard work. He may make a try for the medal, but has not fully decided yet.

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LORD MINTO PRESENT

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The Canadian Institute held its jubilee on Saturday evening last, in the School of Practical Science. The officers of the Canadian Institute had spared no pains to make the occasion a success, and an extraordinarily good time resulted.

The officers are: President, B. E. Walker, Esq.; first vice-president, James Bain, Jr., Esq.; second vice-president, Professor A. P. Coleman, Ph.D.; secretary, R. F. Stupart, Esq.; treasurer, William Scott, Esq.; librarian, Professor J. Squair; curator, C. H. Armstrong, Esq.; editor, George Kennedy, Esq., LL.D.; members of council, John Bertram, Esq.; Archibald Blue, Esq.; Professor A. B. Macallum, John Maughan, Esq.; S. Dillon Mills, Esq.; Prof. A. B. Willmott.

The chief guest of the evening was His Excellency, the Governor-General.

The S.P.S. had been most gorgeously arrayed in bunting, and with its myriads of lights and broad corridors, presented a most inviting appearance. The main Assembly Hall especially deserves mention for the decorations bestowed upon it.

The proceedings were opened in the Assembly Hall at 8 p.m. Mr. B. E. Walker, president of the Institute, occupied the chair, and in the course of a brief address, outlined the difficulties which had been surmounted in bringing the Canadian Institute to the proud position it occupies to-day.

His Excellency, Lord Minto, was called on, and given a warm welcome, as he came forward to address the gathering. In a well-worded address he spoke of the humble birth of the Institute; of its wonderful growth; and of its present proud position. During his address he gave a concise, yet elaborate, history of the Institute, and congratulated it on its progress.

Short addresses were also delivered by Sir Sanford Fleming, Chancellor of Queen's University; Mr. Morris Hutton, who, in the absence of Prof. Loudon, appeared as the representative of Toronto University; Hon. G. W. Allan, Chancellor of Trinity University, and Mr. Kivas Tully, representing the Engineers' Club.

On a resolution of Prof. A. B. Macallum, Mr. Thomas Kidout was elected an honorary member of the Institute.

Among those who occupied seats on the platform were: Prof. A. P. Coleman, Prof. A. B. Willmott, Prof. A. B. Macallum, Prof. J. Squair, Edward Gurney, James Bain, Archibald Blue, John Bertram, John Maughan, S. D. Mills, George Kennedy, Wm. Scott, R. F. Stupart, Rev. Armstrong Black, Morris Hutton, Hon. G. Wallon, Kivas Tully, Sir Sanford Fleming, A. E. Ames, Prof. Ellis, J. J. Foy, Q.C., M.P.P.; Dr. Geikie, Peleg Howland, N. W. Hoyles, Amelius Irving, J.C.; A. E. Kemp, Nicol Kingsmill, Judge MacLennan, Judge McDougall, Rev. E. A. Welch, Hon. S. C. Wood, Prof. Ramsay, and J. W. Flavelle.

The entire building was thrown open to the gathered 800 guests.

Members of the Council of the Institute wearing badges, and students wearing the S.P.S. colors, acted as ushers, and directed their guests to places of interest, and gave much valuable information concerning the different articles exhibited.

The S.P.S. students, arrayed in the blue jeans which they use to work in, were laboring in their usual industrious manner in the laboratories, under the direction of the professors. The guests were accordingly given a very fair idea of what the School tries to accomplish. Refreshments were served on the second floor, Webb being the caterer. In the Assembly Hall a series of interesting lime-light views were exhibited. The gathering dispersed about 11.30 p.m.

VICTORIA NOTES

The heading of the account of the Inter-Collegiate debate, of December 11th, between McMaster and Victoria, was erroneously put, we are sorry to say, McMaster defeats Victoria. It should have been Victoria defeats McMaster, as could be seen in the account, for Victoria was awarded the decision.

On Wednesday evening, behind locked doors and barred windows, the Woman's Literary Society held their oratorical contest. Misses Scott, '03; Bristol, '03; Smith, '02; Powell, '01; Staples, '01, and Chown, '00, each said their little piece, but the judges thought that Miss Staples had committed the smallest number of offences, and awarded to her the glory of possessing the most of that gift of nature, to woman—ability to talk.

Miss Allen, '02, was "At Home," at the residence of her father, Rev. James Allen, on Friday evening, to the students of the second year, and a few others. A most enjoyable evening is reported by all who availed themselves of Miss Allen's kind hospitality.

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