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A STORY.

OT where the street lost itself in prairie, the flowers made one gay mass of blue and gold and scarlet, where the grasshoppers whirred busily in the thick yellow haze of the long summer afternoon. A woman was sitting in a low chair on the hotel verandah, looking up from time to time with a far-away glance from the papers she was reading. Drawing a long breath, she laid the papers aside, stretched herself to her full height, so that the subtle curves of her figure were revealed by her clinging black gown, and, calling for a pony to be brought around, was soon away with a brisk canter towards the open.

Once well out of town, she urged the pony on, till, filled with exhilaration, she half rose from the saddle when he landed, daintily safe beyond some bad gopher holes, to wave her hat and shout with the very joy of living. Enter from a distant village, Telesphore Grozelle, excitable Gascon, riding hard, and speaking volubly before he was near enough to be answered.

"Mrs. Lennox, I am charmed to meet you. I come to call upon you, for I want to see you since a week. Will you do me the so great honor to be my bridesmaid?"

"Your bridesmaid," she repeated gravely, looking down at her black gown; then in a lighter tone she continued, "Why, men don't have bridesmaids, Mr. Grozelle! Are you going to be married?"

"Yes, Mrs. Lennox; my financee"—this proudly—"comes by the train of to-day—she is alone. She knows no one here. You met her once, it is not long ago—we sat beside you on Field-Day, only two years ago, at Rosedale. You do not forget? But you will do this for me—for her?" he corrected, pleadingly, seeing her face sadden at the mention of that bright happy afternoon, for she recalled a pale little girl with big inquiring eyes, who laughed and clapped obediently as Telesphore commanded, over the different events.

"When do you want me, Mr. Grozelle?" she asked.

"Pardon me, Mrs. Lennox, I am of such a stupidity to-day; be so kind as to go now with me to the station, and I shall send your pony back to the hotel."

The train whizzed in on time, and there alighted the same fragile girl, whom Telesphore nervously welcomed and brought to Jean Lennox. But, catching sight of a tall man in the throng of arrivals, he hastily excused himself a moment, to return with "Waring—you met Waring—of 'oo—is it not so? Mrs. Lennox—Mr. Waring." The stranger gave a startled glance at her, then looked away.

Telesphore explained the situation briefly to the newcomer, and, eliciting the pledge of his support, took his sweetheart on his arm to lead the way towards the church.

"There's certainly no time wasted in the West, Mrs. Lennox," said the man in his soft Highland accent, with an apparent effort to maintain self-control.

"No, indeed," laughed Jean Lennox, "Mr. Grozelle is almost a Lochinvar, isn't he?"

The church was locked. Had the minister a wife? Then, Jean protested, her services were not required. But, Telesphore demanded with energy that she should see the affair concluded, so they wended their way to the manse.

Just as the minister read the first vows of the service, the groom reddened, fumbled in his shabby pocket, and produced four pairs of gloves, the fingers he had so often clasped slipped snugly into their white sheath, but Jean had great difficulty in restraining herself from working, like "La Patte de Dindon," the long white tips that dangled from her hands. Telesphore saluted his bride, handed the minister an envelope, thanked Waring and Mrs. Lennox, and disappeared with his wife so literally that the others laughed aloud, and Waring volunteered to escort Jean to her lodging.

On their way back to the hotel, her confusion grew. Waring, of all men! Why had he come? She had so much accustomed her mind to self-analysis that telepathic communication with like minds was easy, and yet he startled her by answering her unspoken thought.

"Yes, it's a far cry from Ontario to Calgary, Mrs. Lennox, I never expected to see you here! Maybe you'll wonder why I came—it isn't for pleasure—the syndicate running these mills sent me out as manager. And you?"

"Well, I'm earning my living, you must know," she answered, defiantly, and he flushed a little under her clear, bright glance. "When father died, Maisie and I had no funds after the estate was settled."

But Waring still wondered about her black gown and her solitary mission here in the distant West. What about Lennox? He couldn't ask her if her husband had died.

"Perhaps you have seen those papers on the Galicians in The International?" she continued, more mildly, "I have just finished them, and then I ran up here for a change—just for a fortnight," she added in haste.

That evening in a remote corner of the dining-room of the

only hotel the town possessed, were Telesphore and his little Alixe, talking a little but looking not at all at others, nor caring if others looked at them, while their quondam attendants smiled at the abruptness of a truly Western marriage ceremony.

"If we could have had some cake, or even a nesselrode, out of it." Jean murmured to Waring, toying with the flowers at her belt.

In refinement and common sense no one had been Waring's equal; splendidly athletic, standing well to the top in his class record, gentle and honorable as a few men can be, awfully square, the others had said, about keeping his word to the men, even in the smallest matter; as for women, not seeming to seek their presence. That was it—he was too much of an idealist about girls, but, by Jove, you should have seen him walk into one fellow who had made some belittling remark about them!

He graduated, then Jean heard he had gone to work in some humble position to collect more funds. Anyway, here he was!

Her brief, unhappy married life had somewhat embittered her, for she had had in Lennox a revelation of such an aggregate of selfish indifference as she had never suspected. By this trip West, she was earning money in a position which with care and study she might always happily retain.

During that splendid weather at the close of summer, the rides, talks and rambles of Jean and Waring together became more frequent and intimate, till, on the evening before her departure, he could not hold back the surging words, and bluntly told her that this work was not her sphere, that she was the ideal woman for a home, and that if she could give up her freedom and ambition to link her life with his, he would try to make compensation for such sacrifice.

She begged him to refrain, but, once started, he told his story—his memories of college life were fraught with sweet thoughts of her, her clever work, her magnetic charm, her love for sport, her little chat with him at the last conversazione, her graceful figure in its trailing gown, the perfume of the violets she wore.

Then frankly she admitted a certain liking for him, but she couldn't define its extent; she had been too deeply deceived and hurt in her early marriage to make that mistake again. She doubted wether Waring would stand the test.

She thought that she could live without him, that his love could never equal hers.

"Hold the rein tight," he said curtly, flicking her pony, then his own, a sharp little cut on the shoulder; and they galloped back in silence to the hotel, where he moodily left her.

When the train drew in, eastward bound, which would bring her back to Ontario, a boy handed her a note, with a box that was covered with dints and stamps and scars. The note ran thus:

"I wish you a pleasant journey; I cannot say good-bye. Though I prayed that these flowers might be for my betrothed, yet they are for my only love.

I. W."

The box held a mass of violets.

"Who could think that he would notice such things as gowns and flowers?" she asked herself remorsefully, "at least, in those days. How long to remember a flower, or a glance."

Back in the calm Eastern life, so stale and monotonous, she felt no vigorous leaping of the pulse, no clear length of vision as in the West.

But after all, the West was in her mind only two yards of flesh and blood, two honest gray-blue eyes, a firm sweet mouth, and a heart of gold. Something tugged at her heartstrings incessantly.

Hurt! Waring hurt! There it was in the morning daily.

How? Shielding a watchman at the millgates from a body of angry strikers, who flung themselves on the two unarmed men and left them barely breathing. The cowards! And he waiting for orders from his firm before settling their demands! She called Maisie, said she would go to him, and sent Telesphore a pinked message for the latest report of Waring's condition. The answer read: "Waring and Grozelle gone without leaving address."

But had they gone to the hospitals further West? She racked her brain to think. She sent message after message, whose replies would reach her she knew not when. The hours of day and night dragged by in ceaseless questionings.

"How could she know,
In lonely barren after-time, she'd pray
For weakest touch of hands she'd flung away?
How could she know?"

Always there had been that hope to see him again, soon, to hear him once more asking her for her whole-hearted unskeptical love.

The door bell rang with peculiar distinctness; there, in the gray morning, dusty, travel-worn, stood Telesphore. Waring was in Toronto—in Grace Hospital—cared for—wanting her—calling for her.

They moved along the corridor, and Telesphore, pointing to the door of his ward, bowed and left her, when, quickening her pace, she hastened to his bedside and cried: "Dear heart—here I am, for always, always, do you understand?"

But Waring, with face averted, whispered brokenly: "Jean, I—have changed—my mind, and, as she looked at him in horror, the light of ineffable bliss shone from his eyes to which she bent that he might kiss her shining hair, and, he added, "for I could swear that you do love me, Jean,"—and she laid her lips, oh so tenderly, on his.

Y.M.C. A. NOTES.

The Treasurer would be pleased to hear this week from those members whose fees are still unpaid.

Mr. J W. Flavelle's address was pointed and practical, essentially a business man's talk which appealed directly to every man present.

Professor H. J. Cody, M.A., will address next Thursday's meeting. Mr. Cody's many student friends will doubtless avail themselves of this opportunity to hear him.

MATHEMATICAL AND PHYSICAL SOCIETY.

Owing to the illness of Dr. Kirschmann, the lecture on "Space" which he was to deliver to the Mathematical and Physical Society February 20, has been postponed to some later date.

C. Douglas.

Said a young cadet to his Juliet
"I'm like a ship at sea;
Exams. are near, and much I fear
That I shall busted be."

"Oh, no," said she, "a shore I'll be, Come rest, our journey o'er." Then silence fell, and all was well; For the ship had hugged the shore.

-Crimson-Grey.

IN HONOR OF ALMA MATER.

"Why then, if I'm denied the sight of her I'll re-create her out of endless yearnings."

THE yearnings of the graduates of Alberta resolved themselves into tangible form, and on Friday, the thirteenth day of February, at Calgary, they held their First Annual Dinner. As it is always a point of honor with the West to be one step in advance of the old civilization, a pleasing and novel feature of the ceremony was the presence of the lady graduates, and the wives of the graduates.

The dinner was held in no ancient refectory of learning, but in a snug room made familiar by blue and white bunting and old Varsity groups. A jolly black stove occupied the quadrangular space in the table and defied 18 deg. below zero and a bitter north wind.

Those present were: Mrs. James Short, Mrs. C. A. Stuart, Mrs. Franklin Edmonds, Miss E. J. McPhail, '97; Miss E. M. Neilson, '99; Messrs. Lawrence Clarke, B.A., '82; C. A. Stuart, B.A., LL.B., '91; James Short, B.A., '95; W. Davidson, B.A., '93; C. A. Anderson, M.D., '00; W. B. Donald, M.D., '98; D. Stanley, M.D., 'o1; J. S. Miller, L.D.S., 'o0; Rev. T. W. Price, B.A., 'o1; Rev. W. H. Wood, B.A., 'o1; R. F. Edmonds, L.D.S., '98; C. W. Edmonds, B.Ph., 'o2; J. F. Boyce, B.A., '95; J. S. Hunt, B.A., '97; M. P. Bridgeland, 'o1; W. L. Waines, B.A., '97; Rev.

F. Langford.

The following list of toasts were drunk: "The King," the chairman; "Alma Mater," Mr. James Short; "University of Alberta," Mr. C. A. Stuart; "The Learned Professions," proposed by Mr. W. McC. Davidson, responded to on behalf of Arts men by Mr. J. F Boyce, Medicine by Dr. Stanley, Dentistry by Dr. Edmonds, Pharmacy by Mr. W. Edmonds, School of Practical Science by Mr. M. P. Bridgeland, Divinity by Rev. Mr. Langford, and Law by Mr. L. J. Clarke; "The West," by Rev. Mr. Wood; "Our Wives," proposed by Dr. Anderson, responded to by bachelors; "The Ladies," proposed by Mr. L. Clarke, responded to by Miss Neilson.

At the close of the banquet, the success of which made everyone feel grateful to Rev. Mr. Wood, the originator and secretary, it was decided to form a Graduates' Associa-

tion; Mr. C. A. Stuart was chosen president, and Mr. B. F. Boyce, secretary. Then the pleasant meeting was dissolved with the encircling chain of "Auld Lang Syne" and Varsity.

EDNA MAGDALENE NEILSON, '99.

Calgary, February 16, 1903.

THE HARMONIC CLUB CONCERT.

As announced at the Lit. on Friday night, tickets for the concert of the Musical Club on Saturday of this week, in Guild Hall, will be 25 and 50c. Tickets are on sale in the janitor's office and from any members of the club. The programme will include the popular College song, the Swinging Banjo march, Limerick's by the male quartette and selections by the instrumental sextette. The soloists are Mr. Smedley, who scores hits on banjo, guitar and mandolin in turn, and Mr. Chas. E. Clarké, '03, who is now one of the most popular baritones in the city. Mr. Brophey, 'or, gives interesting monologs, and Miss Jessie Irving, of Hamilton, who has been touring with the Harmonic Club, will be found most entertaining. The alumni are supporting the concert in large numbers; lit is hoped that the undergraduates will be equally loyal in their support.

THE UNIVERSITY SERMON.

HE third of the series of University Sermons was preached last Sunday morning before a crowd of undergraduates. that completely filled Wycliffe Convocation Hall. The preacher of the day was Rev. C. W. Gordon, B.A., of Winnipeg, a graduate in Classics, '83, of Toronto University, who, under the nom de plume of "Ralph Connor," has won for himself a place in the front rank of the writers of the day.

Chancellor Burwash, of Victoria College, conducted the preliminary exercises, and on the platform were Vice-Chancellor Moss, President Loudon, Principal Hutton, Dean Reeves. Principal Sheraton, and a large representation of the Faculty.

Mr. Gordon has the face and manner of the scholar rather than of the orator. His style is simple and direct, with a ready flow of words, aptly chosen. The sermon was based on the question of Pilate: "What shall I do with Jesus which is called the Christ?" He refuted the idea that Christ was a mere man, whose ashes were still lying in that Eastern grave. The question did not belong to the long ago; it was a vital question to-day. He developed the claims of Christ as the Messiah, His revelation of the Father, His perfect life. He then addressed the undergraduates as those who, by their attainments and training, were called to be the future leaders of the people. He

eloquently portrayed the terrible responsibility of those who should lead the people astray, showed how the great reformers of all times had been men with principles in harmony with the Spirit of the Christ, and closed with a strong appeal to his audience to give Christ his rights, and to do the

thing that is right.



REV. CHAS. W. GORDON

NATURAL SCIENCE ASSOCIATION.

The annual open meeting of the Natural Science Association was held last Thursday evening, and was thoroughly enjoyed by all present. The president, Dr. Scott, opened the meeting with a very happy and appropriate speech. Mr. Andrews, '04, then rendered a vocal solo in excellent style. An address on "Bacteria,' by Dr. Amyot, the Government bacteriologist, was the next item on the programme, and was specially interesting and instructive. Dr. Amyot showed illustrations of various forms of bacteria, and laid stress on their remarkable rapid rate

of increase by a process called fission. The great imporance of bacteria in nature was made manifest by a statement that if they were completely annihilated all life on the world would soon cease. Some of the advantages and disadvantages of bacteria were then recounted, and it was easily seen that the former far outweighed the latter. Miss D. M. Crampton, '04, was next called upon to give a piano solo, and was much applauded on concluding. The last address of the evening was by Prof. Coleman on the subject of "Volcanoes." This address had never been given heretofore in public, and was listened to with special interest. The cause of volcanic action, and a history of the chief volcanoes from distant geological ages to the present day were given. The programme closed with a vocal solo by Mr. F. J. Munn, '03. The audience was then invited to inspect a number of excellent microscopic preparations in the fourth year laboratory, and to look over the specimens in the museum.

> Little Willie dressed in sashes, Fell in the grate and was burned to ashes; Soon the room grew rather chilly, No one liked to stir up Willie.

A UNIVERSITY RESIDENCE.

THE University of Toronto has been enjoying publicity lately. Firey denunciations breathed forth in historical reminiscences, statements of professors cunningly extorted by ubiquitous reporters, the "higher criticism" of country editors more anxious for copy than for truth, have all conspired to one great end. The country now knows that at the University of Toronto we have no residence. That the University of Toronto wants a residence, must have a residence, it is now our duty to proclaim.

The advantages of a residence for the University are obvious. A residence, however, does not outweigh in importance the lecture-rooms, the library and the labratory. These are the main things in a university; these are the things for which a university exists. To give a broad, liberal culture, to imbue us with the desire to look deeply and truly into things, in a word, knowledge, or, better still, wisdom should be the goal of a university. The highest function of a university is to prepare its students for a life, not for a living.

Men in the autumn of their lives speak fondly of the little things of their college days. To the aged Professor Goldwin Smith the chimes of the bells of old Oxford come across the To recall the serenade to the professor's wife on the morning of her birthday brings tears of joy to the German student, Dr. De Soyres. These are the memories of undergraduate days; these are the associations, dear not of themselves, dear because they are associations, because to them are linked the recollection of noble effort, of character-forming endeavor. These happy memories are valued because they were the joyous portions of a life for which no shame is felt. They occupy their proper relation. They were incidental, therefore they were not forgotten. Had they been exalted into undue importance they would have faded from memory. Only the mind that has honestly toiled at the essentials can appreciate properly the secondary joys of a college course.

A university residence is invaluable for a university. Without the library or the lecture halls the university cannot exist at all; without a residence it cannot exist well, it is incomplete. To eat salt together establishes friendship in the East. It is a chivalrous and beautiful tradition which explains the custom as a revelation of mutual weakness. All who partake of the salt recognize that none of the participants are perfect, all are mere men. It is this recognition of their common humanity which henceforth binds them together as brothers. It is strange with what a feeling of closeness, of intimacy we are inspired when we eat at the same table, sleep in the same home as a man intellectually our superior. The Spartans in their Syssitia fostered an instinct common to all men.

The Undergraduates' Union and the Dining Hall have proved exceedingly popular and are much appreciated. Their influence has been rather to awaken a desire for more satisfactory conditions than to satisfy demands. They are not enough. They are too far removed from the student's base of operations. He cannot stay for a few minutes in the club after dinner without the prospect of a long walk home; if he lingers on a cold or stormy night, he is haunted by that "after-this-the-deluge" feeling. The student wants a college home.

A residence must be a university, not a college residence. The residence must embrace all the faculties. The removal to Queen's Park of the Senior Medical Students, and the influx of new science students that will prabably follow the erection of the new science building will make the question one of vital import. The student population will become more and more congested. Prices of rooms will rise to a figure which will be able to make a residence support itself. It is doubtful whether it can ever be made a profitable pecuniary investment. The housing together of students of Victoria, University College, Medical College and School of Science would have a great influence in widening the interests of many of the colleges.

Sectionalism would undoubtedly vanish before a larger university spirit.

Means should be devised to get the proper class of students in the residence. The hard-working "plug" would be benefitted beyond all others. Excessive work would not be probable in a residence. The difficulty of procuring the stable, honest, conscientious student for the residence would have to be obviated. A premium would have to be placed on class distinction. This is somewhat dangerous, but the suggestion that certain scholar-ships should be tenable only on conditions of being in residence seems to be in the proper direction.

One of the problems of a University residence is the attitude to be taken towards Greek Letter Societies. I speak as a layman, and not as a member of a fraternity. In the first place, any plan for a residence would have to reckon with Greek Letter Societies. Whether they are a necessary element in a university it is not to say at this point, but it must be borne in mind that they are a present element in this University. If they are an asset to a university, and help university life and university spirit, by all means they must be admitted to the residence. On the other hand, if they are an evil in university society, it will be in the interest of the University to have them in a residence in order to acquire control over them. It they desire a separate house in the residence, it might be advisable to grant them this, and in addition to quarter with them the dean or his representative to exercise oversight. Any exclusiveness in the residence would have to be paid for liberally, and granted to all students on the same conditions. If a Greek Letter Society were given this privilege it must be granted them not as a corporate body of students and down-town business men, but as students. If the Greek Letter Society were worth surviving, it would survive under these conditions, and be a boon to the University. If the Greek Letter Society failed to stand this test of its service to the University, its extirpation would be the matter of not more than two student generations, and yet would not be accompanied by any harsh recriminations.

The erection of a residence is not visionary. The public are becoming interested. It is the duty of the undergraduates not to be apathetic.

EDMUND H. OLIVER.

THE LIT.

THE "piece de resistance" at the Lit. last night was the discussion of the Residence and Convocation Hall schemes. Professors Wrong, McLennan and DeLury were present to afford counsel and advice. The student body turned out in encouraging numbers to hear the counsel and supplement the advice where occasion seemed to demand. As a result, there was one of the liveliest and most profitable meetings of the year. The idea of a residence was received enthusiastically. There was but one opinion. It must come. Opinion as to the Convocation Hall was not so unanimous. In some quarters the people received it gladly; in others it was held that it must be built and got off our hands, so that the Residence may be proceeded with, while there were a number with whom the Convocation Hall received no favor at all.

The meeting opened with President Brebner in the chair and Mr. W. H. Odell in charge of the minute book, as the regular secretary intended to introduce an amendment to the constitution. After the minutes were read Mr. W. H. Day arose to propose the aforementioned amendment, to wit: That, hereafter, the inter-year debating championship be decided in six debates instead of four. Mr. Day offered an exhaustive and statistical plea for his amendment, which was seconded by Mr. Munroe. Messrs. Vanston, Gillies and Baird spoke against the amendment, which, on division, was lost.

The order of business announcements called Mr. Darling to his feet to invite the society to attend the Glee Club concert

in the Guild Hall, McGill street, next Saturday night. The president announced that the society would visit the Victoria Lit. next Friday night in lieu of the regular meeting. He also intimated that the conversazione will be held on March 19.

This finished the regular business of the Lit., and all moved up to the front seats, so that no word on the Residence or Con-

vocation Hall should escape them,

Professor Wrong opened the discussion, outlining the plans so far matured for a residence. He had been a residence man, and believed strongly in the principle. He had a plan for securing a residence, but wished to wait till after the convocation hall was built before proceeding with it. The University could not afford to have two such projects before the public at once. Referring again to the advantages of residence, he instanced the association of student with student and student with professor. The costs in other university residences were given, and \$4.25 per week was estimated as the average cost probable here. He had received enough encouragement to make him hopeful, if the students were really in earnest in their desire for a residence.

Professor McLennan began by recounting some humorous reminiscences of life in Cambridge. He expressed his sympathy with the residence idea, and was glad to see the interest taken in it. Outlining the organization of the Alumni Association, he pictured in vivid colors the trials of pioneer work and the present prosperity of the association. The Monthly, the Bureau of Information and the Convocation Hall project were the work of the alumni. The Convocation Hall was decided on as something which would enlist the sympathy of the alumni. They had \$18,881 promised, and in all \$38,000 was in sight. He asked 1,000 students to raise \$10 each. He would see to the balance necessary to make up \$50,000. In case this were secured, he thought the Government would give \$50,000.

Professor DeLury had had, he said, the doubtful honor of assisting at the obsequies of the old residence. He had studied residence from the inside, and, in spite of deficiencies of the old establishment, he could not and did not lose faith in the residence idea. Students living in residence were bound together in a way they could not be through any other medium. A large residence would solve the difficulties experienced in the old one. He thought the expenses would be higher than of old, but the idea of residence was appealing to men of wealth, and if the students showed a willingness to make it a success, the Residence would come.

The undergraduates were now given a chance to express their sentiments. Mr. G. W. Carter led off, and was followed by Messrs. McKinnon, McGuire, Day, Hendrie, Darling, Megan, Workman, Collins, Gillies, Chadsey, Vanston and McFarland, B A. The pros and cons were well threshed out by 11.15, when President Brebner brought the discussion to a close. The final result was that, while there was unanimity in regard to the Residence, student opinion was divided as to whether or not the Convocation Hall should be supported.

The singing of "Mr. Dooley" and "Litoria" brought this interesting meeting to a close.

AN INVENTION BY PROFESSOR W. J. LOUDON.

A new photometer for measuring the illuminating power of gas or electric light has been invented by Professor W. J. Loudon, of the department of Physics of the University of Toronto. Last week tests were made at the gas inspection office by Professor Loudon. It can be used both for scientific and commercial purposes, and can be made of any degree of sensitiveness, according to the purpose for which it is required.

The advantages of the instrument consist chiefly in the comparative freedom from color, the absence of the error due to the use of both eyes, and in a special reversing arrangement for overcoming the error of inequality of the two surfaces illuminated.

THE COLLEGE GIRL

MISS M. L. McGARRY, Superintending Editor.



THE annual reception of the Women's Literary Society took place last Saturday evening, and was held in the main building, instead of the Gymnasium, as in former years. The guests, about three hundred in number, were received in the east hall by the President, Miss F. E. Brown, '03, the Honorary President, Miss Patterson, '99 and Miss Salter.

After a pleasant hour spent in social intercourse, the west hall was thrown open to the guests and a most enjoyable programme was presented, opened by a short address of welcome by the President.

A couple of scenes from Jane Austin's Pride and Prejudice were well represented by five undergraduates. The first scene was "Mr. Colin's Proposal." The silly Mrs. Bennet (taken by Miss Tate) tries to persuade her sensible daughter, Elizabeth (Miss McKim) to accept the magnaminous offer of marriage made by Mr. Colins (Miss Neilson.) Mr. Colins is a clergyman, who, having deprived the Bennet family of their inheritance, thinks he will make amends by condescending to marry one of the daughters, and selects Elizabeth as the one to whom he wishes to pay his addresses. Despite the wishes of her mother, Elizabeth will have none of him, but she finds it a somewhat difficult task to make Mr, Colins understand this. He cannot conceive of any girl refusing such an advantageous offer of marriage as he has deigned to make and he attributes Elizabeth's repeated refusals to her modesty, which, he assures her, only serves to raise her in his estimation. Finally, Mrs. Bennet enters to congratulate Mr. Colins, but, learning that Elizabeth has been so headstrong as to refuse him, she breaks into a torrent of abuse and calls her daughter "bad tempered." Mr. Colins, upon hearing this, thinks that Elizabeth would not, after all, make a very good clergyman's wife, nor one likely to be approved of by his patroness, Lady Catherine de Burgh; so he struts off in high dudgeon leaving Elizabeth to the mother's reproaches.

The second scene shows where Elizabeth (Miss McMurtry) is visited by Lady Catherine de Burgh (Miss Filshie) who is much annoyed by the rumor that her daughter (Mr. D'Arcy) is engaged to Elizabeth. She is determined to do all in her power to prevent the marriage. The interest of this scene is in the calm, dignified manner with which Elizabeth answers the taunts and insults of Lady Catharine.

The quaint costumes added much to the attractiveness of the scenes, and the zest with which the girls entered into their parts contributed towards making the representation very successful.

The musical part of the programme consisted of a piano solo by Miss Mabel Breuls, a song by Miss Scott and a violin solo by Miss Blanche Brown, all of which were well rendered and very much enjoyed. At the conclusion of the performance, the rest of the evening was spent in promenades. Refreshments were served in the ladies' reading-room. The committee are to be congratulated on the success of the entertainment. Much credit is due them for the excellent manner in which everything was ordered.

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TORONTO, February 25, 1903.

THE Residence and Convocation Hall schemes were thoroughly discussed at the Literary and Scientific Society's meeting on Friday evening. The position of the undergraduates was pretty clearly defined in regard to both projects It cannot be denied that keen disappointment was felt at the announcement by Professor Wrong, that the committee having in charge the question of the Residence, had decided to postpone that scheme till the Convocation Hall was provided for. The disappointment may be largely the result of our own enthusiasm and optimism in assuming too much on the strength of semi-official reports which have been issued from time to time since the appointment of the Senate's committee on Residence plans. But, that the students were not the only ones who thought that a Residence was at hand, is shown by President Loudon's statement to the press, a couple of weeks ago, that the Residence was an assured fact.

Assuming, then, that the scheme was sufficiently far advanced to assure its accomplishment, if proceeded with, we may fairly consider, first, whether the undergraduates are strongly seized of the immediate necessity of a Residence, and, secondly, whether the Convocation Hall scheme is such as to justify the precedence it has been given over the Residence.

To the first question there is no second opinion. The discussion which has taken place in the press during the last few weeks, while it has aroused endless animosities and prejudices, has at least shown that all, graduates and undergraduates alike, are strongly favorable to the Residence. The corridors and meeting places of students tell the same story. The meeting on Friday night did not leave the question in doubt for a minute. We want a residence and must have it.

The discussion of the second question involves a consideration of the Convocation Hall scheme. And we cannot discuss it in its relation to the Residence scheme without, at the same time, looking at it on its own merits, apart from all other considerations. If the scheme is ill-advised in itself, it, of necescity, involves the condemnation of the decision to carry it out before proceeding with the Residence.

There are two main objections raised to the scheme, as put forward by Professor McLennan on Friday night, neither of which has been satisfactorily met by him. The first is the point that a Convocation Hall befitting this University cannot be erected for fifty thousand dollars. It is not claimed for a moment that a Convocation Hall is not needed. But when we get it, it must be a noble piece of architecture; it must be spacious; it must be provided with fine mural decorations and an organ. It must, in a word, provide for, encourage and develope the aesthetic side of student nature. For this is a necessary part of a broad, university culture.

The surest way to kill this larger, more comprehensive Convocation Hall scheme is to erect a fifty thousand dollar hall. We may not be able to erect the more pretentious one at the present time. But at least we should have no incumbrance in its way when the time is ripe. If, however, the smaller scheme should be carried through, we will have just enough of a Convocation Hall to prevent another one being built, while what we have will be totally incommensurate with the needs And yet we may be assured that a fifty of the University. thousand dollar building is the best that will be built, if the present design is carried out. By a very optimistic consideration of the finances, Professor McLennan thought that this sum would be realized by subscriptions of the alumni and friends of the University. His optimism may be judged of when we point out that in this amount is included, an item of ten thousand dollars being a subscription of ten dollars from each of one thousand students in the University. The suggestion that the Legislature would add another sum of fifty thousand dollars, in consideration of the hall containing room in front for the administrative offices of the University, will not bear inspection. The Government is spending more than it wants to now in meeting the running expenses of the University, without giving a lump sum of such an amount to what, compared with other needs, must be looked upon by the legislators as a luxury. Furthermore, the University itself would not consider the establishment of its administrative offices in a building which will admit of no expansion.

The second objection raised is that the scheme as it now stands shows no signs of an early completion. The Convocation Hall has been before the public now for about two years. Yet, the total amount subscribed is only approximately nineteen thousand dollars. This sum includes about seven thousand dollars from the faculty. We may suppose that the city, which is the home of the University, has been pretty thoroughly canvassed, and some seven thousand dollars is the result. That means that the graduates throughout the whole Province, and farther, who are supposed to be supporting this scheme, have contributed five thousand dollars. When this is the result of two years work, may we not reasonably ask when the additional thirty-two thousand is likely to be raised? It is true the Alumni Association have a traveller on the road drumming up voluntary subscriptions. But, besides the questionable propriety of such a course on the part of a dignified body like an association of University of Toronto graduates, there is the very considerable expense connected with such an active course. There is one point in connection with the appeal to the students for financial support which should be noticed. Professor McLennan brought in as a reason why the students should contribute to this fund the statement that the University had given to the students, in scholarships, thirty-five thousand dollars during a short period. These scholarships come entirely from private benefactors. The University does not contribute a dollar of them.

In consideration of these facts, we are of opinion that the Residence should not be allowed to drop, in favor of the Convocation Hall. The students have watched with great interest the progress of the Residence idea. The Dining Hall and Undergraduate Union were opened with the idea of supplying two of the essentials of a Residence, in the hope that the third, the dormitories, would soon follow. The earnest work of Professor Wrong's committee, in grappling with the question, has been heartily appreciated by the students. In any negotiations they can count on the strong and united support of the undergraduates. We think, however, that in the laudable wish to compromise, they have sacrificed too much in the indefinite postponement of their scheme to that of the Alumni Association.

SPORTS J. G. LORRIMAN, Superintending Editor.

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HOCKEY.

ST. GEORGE'S NOW CITY CHAMPIONS.—BLUE AND WHITE LOSES TITLE.—SCORE 11 TO 8.

WITH a patched-up and badly crippled team, U. of T. went on the ice Monday night to defend the city championship and the Harold Wilson Cup, against the speedy St. George's, challengers for the trophy. The crowd, which was probably the largest of the season, included a fine turn-out of students, and they cheered lustily for the wearers of their colors until the whistle blew for time. Even though everyone knew of the disabled condition of the team, still there was the utmost confidence in the students' ability to trim the St. George's, who had been easy marks for Wellingtons. Not until Gilbert, the crack forward of the U. of T. seven was injured, and compelled to retire, was any doubt expressed of the ability of the blue and white to pull out another victory.

A series of unfortunate circumstances combined to defeat the students, who, with their team intact, would undoubtedly have won pretty easily. Lash was laid up, with tonsilitis, and "Billy" Wood had been called home on account of sickness in his family. Of the five seniors who were on hand, Wilkie Evans played with a fractured rib; Gilbert's hip was so lame that in the early part of the second half a body-check forced him to retire; Brown was still suffering from the injuries he had received in the Wellington game; and "Doc" Wright played with dull skates, which greatly interfered with his rushes on the keen ice, which was the fastest of the season.

Lash's place in goal was taken by Harris, who had guarded the Intermediates' net, and his lack of experience was fatal. In the first half he let three easy ones go in, and the defence showed little confidence in him. In the second half, however, he showed great form, making some almost impossible stops. Harry Housser who replaced "Billy" Wood at centre, is a fast player and a great shot, but he lacks the experience of Wood, whose absence accounted for the entire lack of commbination play.

The only change in the St. George's line-up was in goal, where Nasmith replaced "Billy" Pardoe, He proved to be far superior to his predecessor, and will, no doubt develope into a sterling goal-keeper.

The students came on the ice, still feeling the effects of their hard games with Queen's and Wellingtons. They showed very little ginger after the first ten minutes, and Housser was the only forward to follow up well. They started out with great dash, however, and it only took thirty seconds for Gilbert to score the first goal. The blue and white still kept on the aggressive during the second game which came our way on Gilbert's magnificent rush and shot. The St. George's now settled down, and, on a combined rush, "Reddy" Hynes netted the puck for their first score. Both teams were now doing their best work, and, in the next minute, the covers were given lots to do. Brown secured the puck near his own goal, and, racing down the side planted it in Nasmith's net by a grand shot from the The next three goals went to St. George's in rapid succession, putting them in the lead. Brown, however, soon evened up, and the whistle blew for half-time with the score 4

In the second half the Saints were still playing strongly, while the students were rapidly tiring. "Reddy" Hyness was all over the ice, and McLean couldn't begin to keep him in check.

Soon after the resumption of play, Gilbert, who, despite his lame hip, had been playing the star game for U. of T., was so severely injured that he had to be carried off the ice, and Pardoe went off to even up. The remainder of the game was played with six men a side, and the collegians' forwards were so demoralized by Gilbert's retirement that the Saints were two in the lead, with four minutes left to play. The case looked hopeless, but McLean took a brace and sent in two goals, tying the score just before time was up. St. Georges, 8; U. of T., 8.

In spite of U. of T.'s protest against playing the game off, the teams were ordered on the ice, and two five-minute halves were played without changing the score. The players again retired to their dressing-rooms, and came out exhausted for the final struggle. In the first extra half, Webster scored for the Saints just before the whistle blew, and, in the last period, Lambe's lift and a rush by Gillies made the final score: St. George's, 11; U. of T., 8.

The St. George's won because they were fresh and strong, while their opponents were in no condition for a hard game. The boys in black and yellow followed up fast at every chance, and to this they owe their victory. "Reddy" Hynes on the Saint's line is a fast skater and splendid stick-handler, but his usefulness is impaired by an inordinate desire to play to the gallery. Hugh Lambe is the star of their team, his checking, lifting, and timely rushes being perfect.

On the U. of T. seven, Gilbert was the star, and his forced retirement was most unfortunate, Brown also played a magnificent game in the first half, but, with all the rest of the team, he weakened toward the close of the game. Wilkie Evans, although he was nursing a fractured rib, checked perfectly and

lifted strongly. "Doc" Wright played his usual hard game, and, if his skates had been sharp, the result of the match would have been different.

Hugh Rose made a very impartial referee, and neither team had any complaint to make on his decisions.

The line-up:

St. George's (11).		U. of T. (8)
Nasmith	goal	Harris
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Referee-Hugh Rose.	•	,

TORONTO AND M'GILL DRAW.

The last and deciding game in the C.I.H.U. Senior series was played on the Arena Rink, Montreal, last Friday night, when Toronto and McGill fought it out to a tie, the final score standing 2 all. It had been previously agreed not to play off a tie, so that, by staving off a defeat, McGill has won the Senior Championship of the C.I.H.U.

The Arena Rink is probably the largest in Canada, and the Toronto players, who have been accustomed to playing on the Mutual Street Rink here, were lost on the larger ice. The strange condition had a particularly noticeable effect on the forwards, who shot miserably, and used very little combination.

In the first half McGill had a decided advantage, and the half-time score was 2 to 0 in favor of the Eastern college. The first goal was scored by Ryan, on a fast pass from Molson, soon after the commencement of play. During the second game, "Jake" Brown hurt his knee and was compelled to retire, Carruth, of the Juniors, replacing him. Play now became very rough, and Referee Boone was kept busy ruling off the players Finally, Molson, who played the star game for McGill, throughout, rushed the puck the length of the ice, and passed to Wurtele, who scored.

After the rest, Toronto started in with great dash, and during the whole second half they were the aggressors. were now getting more familiar with the big ice, and they sent shot after shot on the NcGill net. They should have scored many times, but their aim was bad. Finally, on a splendid combination rush, Carruth seemed on the point of scoring when he fell. He, however, passed to McLean, who netted the puck on one of his great shots.

With one goal to make up Toronto continued on the aggressive, but they missed many chances by their wretched Gilbert, however, soon got in a great rush, and tied the score by a pretty shot.

That ended the scoring, for, though Toronto kept raining shots on Lindsay, none of them found the net, and the whistle blew with the score 2 all.

For Toronto, Lash in goal was the star performer, and he stopped many great shots. Evans and Wright also played well, and the visiting defence was superior to that of McGill. It was on the forward line that the blue and white showed their weakness. "Billy" Wood could not accompany the team, and his place was taken by Housser, of the Seconds. Moreover, "Jake" Brown, the star right wing, was severely injured early in the game, and Carruth, of the Juniors, had to go on. forward line was thus badly crippled, and any approach to com-

bination play was impossible.

"Dick" Boone, who plays cover-point on the Montreals, champions of the world, refereed the game to the complete

satisfaction of all.

After the match the victors gave Toronto a supper at the Savoy.

TORONTO III. BEATEN IN EXTRA TIME JUNIORS LOST SEMI FINALS TO BEECHGROVES.

SCORE WAS 5 TO 4.

Followers of sports at U. of T. would be glad if the oldest inhabitant could remember some game, tie at full-time, which was won out by Toronto. During the past week, our Seniors lost the City Championship, and our Thirds lost their match in the Semi-finals of the Junior O. H. A., after the score being tied at full-time.

The Thirds were weakened by the absence of "Billy" Preston, their captain and star cover-point, who has left college, and their defence, which has been the strong part of the team, was thus demoralized. Broadfoot was moved up from point to cover, and Fletcher filled in at point.

The ice was in fine condition, but the checking was too close to permit any fast combination. The star work on both teams was done by the goal-keepers, each of whom made many wonderful stops.

The Beechgroves were first to score, and at half-time they had a lead of one goal. Toronto played strongly in the second half and managed to score two goals to their opponents one, leaving the score a tie at full-time-2 all.

In the play-off, Beechgroves scored three while Toronto got two, and claimed another which the goal empire would not allow. The puck plainly went through the net and examination showed a hole through which it must have passed. Sherry has protested the game.

JENNING'S CUP SERIES.

The weather during the past week has been most favorable for hockey, and nearly all the Jenning's Cup Matches have been run off. Lack of space prevents our giving a detailed account of each match, but, in all, a good standard of hockey has been displayed.

In the first round, the Arts Seniors easily disposed of '04's cup aspirations, defeating them by a score of 13 to 1, in a game that was "bulldogs" all the way. With the exception of the goalkeeper, everyone on the '03 team scored, Herbie O'Flynn netting the puck no less than five times.

The Arts Freshmen defeated the Sophomores by a score of to 3 in a well-played and closely-contested game, while Sr. School beat Sr. Meds., 7 to 4.

A splendid game was played between Dentals and Victoria, the former winning out only after a hard struggle, by a score Junior Meds. defaulted to Junior S. P. S., and of 5 to 3. Knox and Wycliffe were both so deeply engrossed in the mysteries of systematic theology, that they forgot to appear. Consequently, the Dentals, who were drawn to play the winning theologies, were advanced to the semi-finals by their victory over Victoria.

SECOND ROUND.

The first match in the second round was played Thursday afternoon, when '03 made their "positively last appearance" in University athletic circles. Their opponents were the seven representing Sr. S. P. S., and the game was close and exciting from first to last.

The half-time score was 2 to 1 in favor of S.P.S., and the same team led at the finish by 5 goals to 3.

Jr. S.P.S. won their way into the second round pretty easily by the default of the Jr. Meds. They had to fight hard, however, for their promotion to the finals, as '06 Arts put up such an argument as should have won them the game, if luck had not been all the other way. The Arts Freshmen had a strong defence, and their forward line was fast enough to keep the puck in the enemy's territory most of the time.

Jr. School, however, is a fast aggregation, and some of the

knowing ones are picking them to land the cup.

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UNIVERSITY COLLEGE.

Mr. Toews was ill last week and unable to meet his classes. Our Lit. pays the return visit to Victoria on Friday evening.

Dr. Walker entertained his students in the Dean's house on Friday night.

Mr. J. Blue, '06, spent a couple of days last week in North York in the interests of Hon. E. J. Davis.

Charlie McKinnon and his "Crying Necessities" brought down the house at the Lit. on Friday night.

At last we are able to report that the Year Book is in the hands of the students. Everybody seems pleased with it.

The final game in the City Chess League series will be played on Thursday night.

Mr. W. H. Tackaberry, '04, has been confined to his room for the last week through ill health.

A meeting of the class of '03 has been requested to discuss the Convocation Hall scheme.

A letter from Mr. W. H. Day, on the Inter-College Debating Union, has been crowded out of this issue.

The Sophomores will hold a class meeting on Friday, February 27. A business and literary programme will be presented.

The University of Toronto Harmonic Club gives its annual city concert at the Guild Hall, McGill street, on the evening of February 28.

An 'o6 sport is indignant at the paucity in the numbers of the men of the First Year who turned out to cheer their men in the game between 'o6 and Junior S.P.S.

In the open chess tournament, a strong competition has developed. There are at least six from whom it would be difficult to pick the winner.

The Y.W.C A. held its usual meeting on Wednesday afternoon. Papers were read by Miss Macdonald, Miss Duncan, Miss Strong and Miss Breelie.

Mr. J. W. McBane has been forced, through ill health, to cease work for a couple of weeks, and he has gone to try the Lake Erie beezes at his home, Port Dover.

The Debating Society of '05 meets in the Y. M. C. A. Hall on Monday afternoon, when Professor De Lury, the Honorary President of the Society, will be present and address the meeting.

The toast to "The Ladies" at the banquet of the Oxford Old Boys at the Walker House on Friday night was spoken to by Messrs. H. L. Kerr, '03, W. M. McKay, '03, and A. P. Gundry, '04.

You talk of Tillson's Pan-Dried Oats And Force, and Malt and Rye, But for a tip-top Breakfast Food What I say's Gim'me Pie!

Harbord Collegiate Old Boys' Dinner takes place on Friday, February 27, at Webb's. Mayor Urquhart and Mr. Flavelle will speak. Tickets may be obtained from A. E. Hamilton, B.A., or A. G. Portch, '05.

Messrs. Gillies and Munro returned from Kingston on Monday afternoon, February 16. Although sorely disappointed at not getting the decision, they grow most enthusiastic when they speak of the hospitality of Queen's.

Last week's Saturday Night had an appreciative review of Torontonensis. A couple of the Faculty types, the '03 Chemistry Class at work, and the representation of the conferring of honorary degrees were the cuts reproduced.

The Sophomores have done well this year. They have won the association football cup and the debating shield. The names that will be engraved on the latter are those of Messrs. A. C. Stewart, Matheson, Waddell and Portch.

The Chancellor of the University, Sir William Meredith, Principal Hutton and Dr. Reeve attended the annual banquet of the Wentworth Alumni Association held in Hamilton last

Friday night. About fifty graduates were present.

After the match with McGill Friday night, the players elected W. L. Gilbert, Toronto star rover, as Captain for next year's septette. Gilbert has played a grand game all season, and his experience well qualifies him for the position to which he has been elected. For next year's team we may predict a successful season.

In last week's "Moon" appeared a cartoon from the facile pen of Mr. Ralph De Lury, '03, entitled, "Where There's a Will, There's a Weigh." It shows a very stout negress who is weighing herself. She is so fat that she requires two pairs of scales drawn up alongside and she stands with one foot on each platform. A couple of pickaninnies stand looking on.

WYCLIFFE COLLEGE.

Mr. F. H. Hopkins visited the chapel last week.

Mr. Gilbert is ill with appendicitis at his home in South-

Dean Plumptre is ill, and, as a consequence, we are without lectures in his department.

What is wrong with our Literary Society? The officers have evidently seen their shadows and retired for the remainder of the season.

Men are very scarce for Sunday duty. It seems a pity that some who are anxious for work in the autumn term should not be willing to take their turn now in the busy season.

We have postponed our winning of the Inter-College Debating Union Championship till next year. We thank Messrs. Taylor, Millman, Hallam and Masters for their splendid efforts. We shall try again.

The Havergal Hockey team won from a Hamilton ladies' club last week by a score of 5 to 1. It also tied the Alex-This speaks well for the careful training of Messrs. Taylor and Sovereign, who have been working early and late to secure this success. We are told they have applied for positions as resident masters with hockey as their specialties.

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MEDICAL FACULTY.

A Freshman with Etymology for his hobby was heard to explain to his classmate that Pediculi was a disease of the feet.

An enterprising agent for a down-town photographer visited the dissecting room twice last week with a case of samples and a book of coupons. He sold a few of the latter.

We regret to report the illness of Messrs. McLachlan, Cook and J. II. McPhedran during this week. Mr. S. F. Miller has recovered from the sickness that has compelled him to miss lectures for the last ten days.

The various "Brain Grinds" in the Second Year are now in full swing under the Assistant Demonstrators in Anatomy. They are an improvement on "Bone Grinds," but almost as much of a trial to the unrested student.

We were only informed this week of the illness of Mr. McLean, the associate editor of "The Varsity," representing the Senior Years in Medicine. We regret the fact and offer it as an explanation for the exclus-

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ively primary news notes in this column for the past few weeks.

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last week by Dr. C. L. Starr. As usual, the nervous student kept the interest from flagging by his unconsciously funny answers. The best of these was the recognizing of the Sustentaculum Tali of the Os Calcis as the Torcular Herophili by one very-much rattled candidate.

Last Tuesday Dr. Starr reasoned from the rudimentary third eyelid that there was something of the bird about most people. An hour after, when the Second-Year Meds, were enlivening the time before a Chemistry lecture, by a whistling chorus, Professor Lang begged them to remember that they were not nightingales. They remembered, but are still at sea regarding the species to which they really do belong.

We hope that the efforts of the Medical Society executive towards providing an entertainment worthy of the Society may be seconded heartily by every member. This can best be done by turning out in full force on Friday evening. Every man who remains at home will be missed and every man who attends will fall far short of his privileges if he does not bring one or more of the ladies included in his invitation. It will be infinitely better to have a crush, such as the faultfinders prediet than to have half an audience to greet those who are to entertain. Even if the auditorium should be overcrowded there are sitting out places galore among the galleries of the museum, but nothing can atone if every seat is not filled at the concert. As for the possibility of a shortage in the number of lady guests we think that Medical students may be trusted to see that it will not occur.

It is still two years before '05 will graduate and that is too long to wait to suggest the formation of an Alumni Association of some kind in the graduating year. We need some such organization to furnish a neucleus for the powerful body that is going to furnish the Medical library before the quarter century is reached and that will provide the endowment to secure the equipment necessary for original research work and the facilities that will make a post-graduate course in Toronto at least comparable with that found in New York or Baltimore. It is not too late yet for the Class of '03 to organize and so set a good example to a junior class that would be sure to take the matter up zealously next year. Whether such an association is formed this year or next, it should be formed as soon as possible, for the Farulty of Medicine cannot afford to lose touch with its graduates and the graduates clearly require something to bring the needs of their Alma Mater before them lest they forget that graduation is like coming of age—the independence does not relieve from obligation of the higher law is left to govern.

ST. MICHAEL'S COLLEGE.

Father Sulivan, of Lindsay, paid a visit to his Alma Mater on Tuesday last.

St. Michael's will celebrate its Golden Jubilee towards the end of April next. The particulars of the programme have not yet been decided on.

A closely contested game of hockey was played on the College rink last Monday

between St. Michael's and the Central Business College, in which the Saints proved their superiority by defeating the business men by a score of 2 to 1. Messrs. Morrow, Dooley, Morgan and Crocker, of the home team, showed up well on the forward line.

The usual semi-monthly meeting of St. Michael's Literary Society took place on last friday evening. After the minutes of the previous meeting were read by the secretary and approved by the members, the following gentlemen responded to the call of the chairman: Mr. McCaffrey appeared first on the floor with a humorous paper, entitled "His First Visit to Toronto." Mr. Gibbons presented the second paper, in which he gave his views on

the "Labor Question." Mr. Dooley presented the third item. This gentleman de serves praise for the excellent manner in which he treated the "Timon of Shakespeare." The last number of the programme was Mr. King, who gave a brief sketch of "The Life of Goldsmith." After the president complimented the writers on their good work, he announced to the members the subject of the Literay Medal. viz., Father Marquette, and hoped there would be many competitors. He also informed them that on May 12 there would be a contest in oratory. The chairman then made a few encouraging remarks, and after the programme had been arranged for the next meeting, the meeting adjourned.



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Messrs. H. A. Dixon, B.A.Sc., and R. H. Barrett, B.A.Sc., were among the successful candidates at the recent O. L. S. examinations.

Mr. W. J. Larkworthy, '03, has recently received some excellent photographs showing clearly the details of construction of the four huge towers at Marconi's Glace Bay station.

The "Professor": "Would you please write 'Enter by the tower door ' on this card?" "Yes, Professor Galbraith," replied the new lady typewriter. The "Professor": "Oh, my name's Graham." Typewriter: "!!!"

At a mass meeting held on Monday, February 16, President Sinclair, of the Engineering Society, was elected to represent the School at the annual At-Home of the Faculties of Arts and Applied Science of McGill University.

Principal Galbraith attended the annual banquet of the S.P.S. Club, of Pittsburg, Pa., held last week. Upwards of forty graduates are grouped in and about Pittsburg, and their yearly feed is the occasion of a most enjoyable reunion.

A cursory glance at the New Year Book discloses the engraving of an "Arts" Year football team styling themselves "A Mulock Cup Team." Ye Gods: What sublime nerve! They might have borrowed the cup for the occasion, as well.

The Ocean Accident and Guarantee Corporation, of London, England, are in need of an inspector to regularly examine and report upon the manufacturing plants of clients, and they turn to the School for the necessary man. This would be an interesting items of news for the individual who has recently been indulging in glowwho has recently been indulging in glowwho has recently been indulging in glowwho has recently been indulging in gloword was provided as the control of the control of

The Engineers won the first game in the final series for the championship of the Indoor Baseball League, defeating the 9th Field Battery by 20 to 6. The feature was Weldon's fielding. The team: Baldwin, Beatty, Charlebois, Weldon, Ross, Biggs, Reynolds, Choun and Williams.

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The Freshmen's smoker which came off last Friday night was what might be pronounced a howling success. Lots of cigars and other smokables were floating around, and in addition, a most excellent programme in the way of a vaudeville performance was provided. There was music, boxing, cocklighting and other gymnastic contests, of which the blind shellalah bout by Hertzberg and Kavanagh was the most enjoyable feature. Miller's recitation was the hit of the even.

The election last week of the Athletic Directorate of the University of Toronto constituted a proceeding, the result of which, from an S. P. S. standpoint, was highly unsatisfactory. Considering the active part we take in athletics it is surprising that we have not, at least, one of the the five undergraduate members of this directorate which is paramount in University athletics. The reason is not hard to find. The electoral body of this Association is made up principally of representatives from the different athletic clubs of the University of Toronto, such as the rugby club, the hockey club, etc. On looking over the records of the past few years we find that there is but here and there a stray member from S.P.S. on the executive committees of these clubs, and consequently the athletic directorate has had but occasionally a school man.

The fact is that individually we School men do not take an active enough part

in the executive affairs of the University clubs. As a Faculty our enthusiasm and loyalty is byword. If a worthy scheme is propounded or a demonstration planned the School is always ready to assist. We find the gymnasium each evening filled with S.P.S. men, likewise the University teams. The S.P.S. subscription list to "Varsity" puts the other Faculties in puts the other Faculties in the shade, but who has heard or has even dreamed of an S.P.S. editor or business manager for "Varsity," and yet I venand yet I venture to ask, why not?

There are many men of splendid ability at the School who do not take an active part in athletics, and these are the men we want to stand for important offices in the University clubs. Let these men come forward and let us all support them and let us hereafter take as high a place in the executive committees as we have hitherto on the field.

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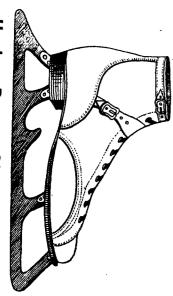
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