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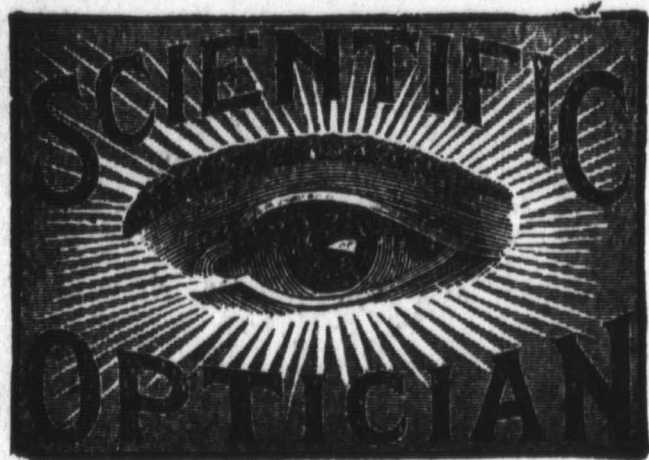
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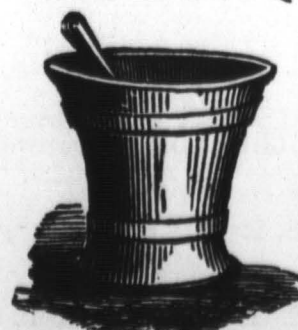
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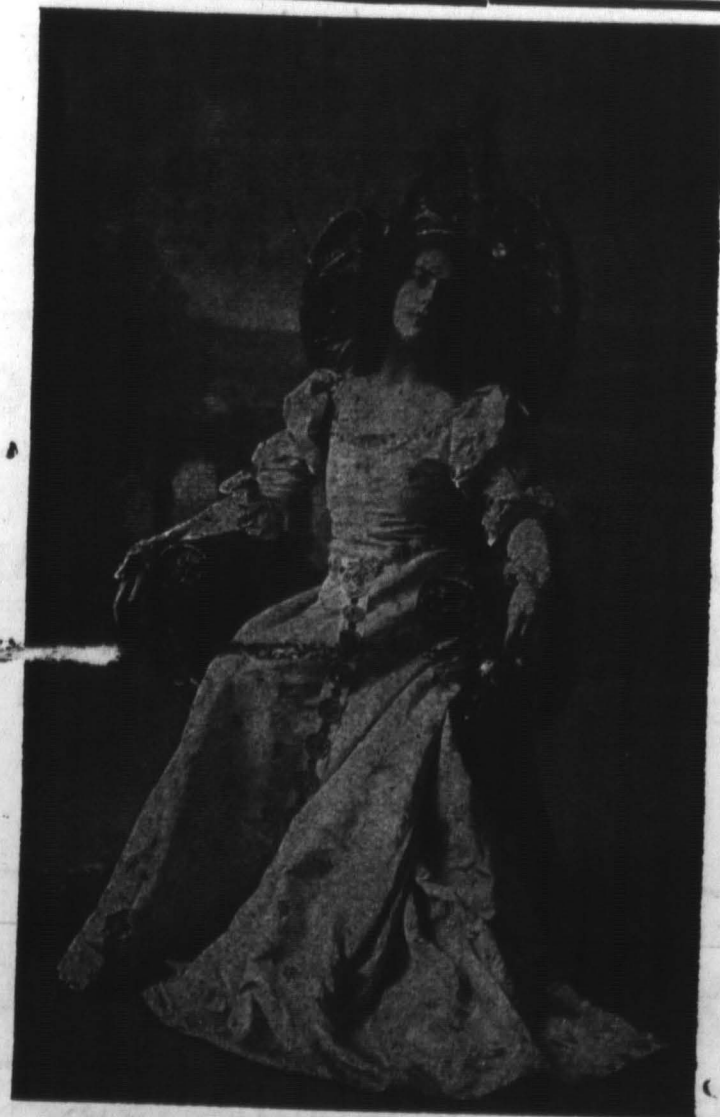


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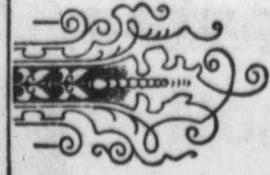
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Editorial.

The most important event that we chronicle in this issue is the formation of the Maritime Intercollegiate Debating Union. It has been a long time coming; many difficulties stood in the way; but these have happily been all overcome. To those who by persistent endeavor have achieved this result, much gratitude is due on our part.

*The Maritime
Intercollegiate
Debating Union.*

It is to be hoped that as an immediate effect of the formation of this league, new life will be infused into the tottering frame of Sodales. Indeed this must be, if we are to make a respectable showing in Intercollegiate Debating. Just now our orators are much like Wordsworth's Poet; they want the accomplishment of form. It is of no use to have the faculty without the power of expression.

If the ambition of students to get a place on the Debating Team of Dalhousie does not do a good deal to remedy this defect, the spirit of emulation has much less power over us in matters intellectual than in matters athletic.

To the new league we wish all success and prosperity. May the public be interested in it; may there be no unseemly jar or discord among its members; may it foster a spirit of

intellectual fellowship among Maritime students, and (pardon the presumption), may it fit many men for a place in the council halls of our country.

The Senior League series is over and Dalhousie wins the championship for the fourth year in succession. The trophy remains where it belongs, within the College walls. Captain

*The
Trophy.*

Dickie and his men are to be congratulated on upholding the honour of Dalhousie in so splendid a manner. The prospects when College opened were not of the brightest, but more old players than were expected turned up, good new material was developed and the result was a team of which all Dalhousians must be proud. The Navy was a strong rival in the running for the trophy, and the Dalhousie-Navy games have been exhibitions of such football as Halifax has rarely, if ever, seen. The superiority of the Dalhousie team, however, was sufficiently shown in the exhibition game of November 14, when the College won out with the decisive score of 26-10.

Privileges For Colonial Students at Oxford.

Oxford Convocation on the 22nd of October last admitted Dalhousie University with other Colonial Universities to the privileges of the statutes on "Colonial and Indian Universities," passed a year previously. These statutes admit the students of recognized Colonial Universities to two grades of privileges, those of junior and senior Colonial students.

For the degree of Bachelor of Arts, Oxford requires twelve terms of residence and the successful passing of three examinations. (1) Responsions or Matriculation. (2) Moderations or the First Public. (3) Final Schools or the Second Public. Hereafter an undergraduate in Dalhousie who shall have completed his second year and have passed second Greek, shall be exempted from four terms of residence (if he obtains Honours at Oxford) and Responsions, while a Bachelor of Arts with Honours from Dalhousie, shall be exempted from four terms of residence and Responsions and Moderations (or all but the final examinations), provided he has passed the second or a higher Greek examination.

These privileges may shorten the Colonial student's course at Oxford by one year and permit him to devote himself to special studies without the interference of the earlier examinations.

Oxford has adjusted herself to the new conditions established by the Rhodes Scholarships and the growth of the Colonial idea. She has shown herself true to the Empire, as in the past, she both moulded and represented the life of the Kingdom.

Rhodes scholars will receive substantial benefit from this action of Oxford University. Were they required to pass preliminary and intermediate examinations, it would be difficult for them to specialize. The Gilchrist scholars were required to spend on such examinations much time and energy which might have been devoted with greater benefit to their special studies. Every Gilchrist scholar regarded his scholarship as the great opportunity of his life and consequently used it as a research scholarship. The Rhodes Scholarships, probably intended for callow undergraduates, will, like the Gilchrights, be used as Research Scholarships and do for literature, philosophy, history and, possibly, science, what the 1851 Exhibition Research Scholarships are doing for science. This action of Oxford has removed from the path of the future Rhodes scholars an obstacle that caused the break-down of several Gilchrist scholars and the death of two or three.

The Gilchrist scholars were accompanied by several fellow students, the majority of whom turned their attention to medicine and science. From Dalhousie twice or thrice as many went over without as with scholarships in those days. To-day the migration to Britain is much less. Probably the first Rhodes scholar will, like the wild goose, lead a large and noisy flock to the milder shores of Britain.

Since some future Rhodes scholar, or companion on the wing, from Dalhousie may wish to take advantage of the privileges granted by Oxford, it may be wise to print the regulations in full. The Secretary in his note to this University says, students "should be careful to provide themselves, before starting for England, with duly signed official certificates, showing that they have fulfilled the conditions laid down by the statute; failure to do so may lead to great delay."

The first decree of Convocation provides "that Dalhousie University, Halifax, Nova Scotia, be admitted to the privileges of the statute on Colonial and Indian Universities."

Sect. VII., Cl. 4 of this statute says: "Any member of the University so admitted, who shall have pursued a course of study prescribed by it and extending over two years, and who shall have passed all the examinations incident to the course, may be admitted to the status and privileges of a Junior Colonial or Indian student."

Clause 7 defines the status and privileges of a Junior Colonial or Indian student thus:

(a) The term in which he is matriculated shall be reckoned for the purposes of any provisions respecting the standing of members of the University as the fifth term from his matriculation.

(b) A Junior student shall not be required to pass Responsions or to pass in an additional subject at Responsions.

(c) A Junior student who has passed the second public examination and has obtained Honours either in the first or second public examinations shall be entitled to supplicate for the degree of Bachelor of Arts so soon as he shall have kept statutable residence for eight terms. Provided that, if he is a Colonial student, he has shown a sufficient knowledge of the Greek language."

(d) This sub-clause requires the Junior student who has not taken Honours in the first or second public examinations to keep "statutable residence for twelve terms."

The second decree provides "that any member of Dalhousie University, Halifax, Nova Scotia, who shall have passed all the examinations at that University for the Bachelor of Arts degree with Honours, shall be deemed to have taken Honours as required by the provisions of Statt. Tit. II., Sect. VII. Cl. 5."

This Clause 5 runs thus: "Any member of a University so admitted, who shall have pursued a course of study extending over three full years, and who shall have taken Honours in the final examination incident to the course, may be admitted to the status and privileges of a Senior Colonial or Indian student."

The status and privileges of a Senior student are in substance as follows:

(a) His first term of residence shall be reckoned as the fifth from his matriculation. This exempts him from four terms or a year's residence.

(b) "He shall not be required to pass any part of Responsions, or of the first public examination or any preliminary examination of the second public examination." This exempts him from all but the second public or final examination.

(c) "A Senior student who has obtained Honours in the second public examination shall be entitled to supplicate for the degree of Bachelor of Arts so soon as he shall have kept statutable residence for eight terms." Provided he has shown a sufficient knowledge of the Greek language.

The third decree of Convocation provides "that any member of Dalhousie University, Halifax, Nova Scotia, who shall have passed the examination at that University of either the second or the third or the fourth year, and shall at such examination have satisfied the examiners in Greek, shall be deemed to have shown a sufficient knowledge of Greek as required by the provisions of Statt. Tit. II., Sect. VII."

For the benefit of intending applicants the following additional regulations are given.

Cl. 9. "Every person who, having been matriculated, desires to claim the status of a Junior or Senior student shall make his application through an officer of a College or Hall or of the Non-Collegiate Body, to the Secretary of the Boards of Faculties, and shall at the same time pay to the University Chest, through the Secretary, the sum of one pound or two pounds, according as he is admitted as Junior or Senior student. If he makes his application later than a week from matriculation he shall pay an additional fee of one pound."

Anyone qualified to become a Junior student may be admitted to any examination except the second public or finals.

Every person who, being qualified to become a Junior or senior student on matriculation, desires to have his name entered for an examination before he has been matriculated, shall make his application, through one of the persons mentioned above, at least seven clear days before the examination, together with fee, evidence showing qualifications, and a declaration from the official of the College or Hall that the applicant *bona fide* desires admission to his College. Such candidate, as soon as matriculated, shall become a Junior or Senior student. Possibly this provision may apply to the Rhodes scholars who pass the Responsions abroad.

E Libro Rubicundo.

The subject of this sketch was a man of more than ordinary merit. He was of average height with a strong, well-knit, active figure. He was a Highlander by descent, a physician by profession and a Christian by choice. It was by blending the best of these characteristics, that he won his way into the hearts of the people. He was always a Scot—and was proud of it too. He took great delight in the games and literature peculiar to his race. In his profession he was skilful. He was very ingenious in devising appliances for strengthening weak parts of the body. He was frequently found working at some of these appliances in the machine shops with the skill of a master mechanic.

*The Good
Physician.*

As a Christian he manifested a deep interest in the church of which he was a member and elder. This man won his way deeper into the hearts of the people than do most physicians, by his charity, his sympathy and his unselfishness. It made no difference who needed his services. Whenever sickness called him he went. The rich and poor, the high and low, the virtuous and the outcast, alike received his attentions. It mattered not whether they could pay for his services or his medicines; he never withheld either when they were needed. Frequently some of his patrons who supported him the best financially, on sending for him would find him at some home where there could be no hope of any remuneration, and when they would wish him to go with them immediately, he would reply "If you can wait I'll go with you; but if not, get some other doctor. You can get one. These people can't, and a doctor is needed here."

He was always ready to sympathize with his patients. Perhaps he did not always express it so much in words as in the deeper unexpressed feeling indicated in manner and look. But neither did speech lack to him on these occasions. Often, when all the art of the physician had been expended in vain, has he helped by his councils some fearful soul to face more steadfastly the "Great Unknown."

He did not appear to think of himself, either in money affairs

or in his labours. He never sent any one a bill for his services. If they paid him it was well. If they did not he could get along somehow without it. His services were in demand far and wide. No matter the state of the roads or weather, or the time of the day or night, he was ready at duty's call. He used to say: "If they would only give me Sunday off I would not care how much I went the rest of the week; but they won't and I can't stand it for ever." His words were too true. For when scarcely beyond the prime of his life he had an attack of sickness that many men might have recovered from, but his worn-out body was not able to bear up under the strain.

The last look I got of him was when his body was lying in the church, where many thronged to gaze for the last time upon the well known form. It was pathetic indeed to see some mothers, who seldom crossed the threshold of a church door, holding up their children in their arms that they might take a last look at the "Good old Doctor."

Northfield Student Conference.

The student who is helped by the consideration of the beautiful in nature will receive his first impressive lesson from the surroundings of the Seminary, where the Summer conferences are held. As you look out from the tower of the Auditorium and view the beautiful Connecticut Valley, the river below you running swift and strong through the green meadows, the White and Green Mountains rising gradually from the river banks, and covered with a thick cloak of green, there comes to you a message of peace and calmness: "Be still, and know that I am God."

A fitting spot this, truly, for the resting place of the earthly home of that active spirit who yet seems to brood over and direct Northfield. As you gather, in the last hours of daylight, on the grassy sides of Round Top, whose pines look down upon the plain stone that marks where D. L. Moody is buried, and as you listen to the ringing words of call as given by such men as Bosworth, Michener, Janvier, Lewis and Jays, you, with many others, are led to examine your ambitions and

make your decisions concerning your life work, in view of God's claim upon you, and not merely for selfish purposes.

Another strong and almost unconscious element in the influence of Northfield is the companionship. Here were gathered from June 26 to July 5, in daily vital contact with one another, 750 students from New England, the Middle Atlantic States and Eastern Canada, representing various classes of institutions of learning, and all bound together by a common purpose, namely, the carrying on of more efficient Christian work in the Association they represented. On the baseball diamond, on the tennis court, in the sports, and during the Fourth of July celebration, was shown the same spirit of earnestness that marked the various classes, discussions and meetings of the whole Conference.

The opportunity given for private interviews with the leaders of the work, men tried and tested, was a very strong feature. To meet with and to talk over either your own personal life and difficulties, or the peculiar problems of your own Association, with such men as Mott, Speer, Michener, Cooper, etc., is a privilege not often falling to the lot of us Maritime men.

The first two hours of the morning were devoted to conferences on College Association work, Mission Work in College, Normal, Bible and Mission classes, and the Personal Workers' class. These were practical lectures or discussions that touched the vital problems of our work, and cannot fail to be of the greatest benefit in guiding our work for the coming year. Among the lecturers on Bible Study was our own Professor R. A. Falconer, of Pine Hill, who took up the Sophomore course in the Acts and Epistles, and who easily upheld the honour of the Maritime Provinces with even such men as Saunders, of Yale, and Bosworth, of Oberlin.

It is needless to say that the platform meetings at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. were strong, practical, helpful and deeply spiritual. The speakers were G. Campbell Morgan, Robert E. Speer, R. J. Campbell, of City Temple, London; John R. Mott, F. K. Saunders, Prof. A. E. Bosworth, Dr. W. F. McDowell, George Jackson, of Edinburgh, and Judge Spencer, of St. Louis. The third named, Rev. R. J. Campbell, was one of the most helpful men of the whole Conference. His question

bureaus, held at the close of three different sessions, were particularly helpful and practical, his long experience in student life in England fitting him to answer the various difficulties of students.

The central theme of the Conference might be said to be "Our Relationship to Christ," or the need of a strong, manly, determined Christian life, lived out in our daily work, this necessitating a determined struggle to attain true character, the power for which must be drawn from a personal contact with and devotion to a living Divine Master, Jesus Christ.

"Do not pray to be an angel; pray to be a man."

"Human life is a situation devised by God in which to train sons of an inheritance of power, by the use of power in friendly fashion."

"What you are speaks so loud that I cannot hear what you say." These are typical of the messages of the speakers.

J. A. S.

A Dalhousian in the West.

How can I best fulfill my promise made to your Editor during the past summer? In one of those moments of weakness which come to us all I promised—yes, *even I* promised—an article for the GAZETTE.

Possessed of the easy grace and conversational power of our good friend, "Freddy M." or of the constitutional logic, always "ready for use," of Robertson or even of that self-confident hilarity of spirit which so well (?) guided that "little, great man" of McGill supper fame, I might, with small effort, for a small space, interest, or at least amuse, GAZETTE readers.

But with none of these qualifications, what shall I do? Where shall I turn?

You perceive, Mr. Editor, my dilemma. Your present students know me not, except when some over ardent one carefully looks at the class picture of '99 and there notices the one of angelic expression.

Yes, truly, those of us of former years are gradually becoming but dreamy memories as time glides on. Yet do we often think of the happy days spent at old Dalhousie and, silently it may be, rejoice in pleasant reveries of our *alma mater*.

I notice many changes in the staff, some resigned, others "crossed the Bar."

And while we know the new men will do well, for they are truly men of merit, yet we miss the old names and would miss yet more the familiar faces should it be our privilege to visit again the old College. Still your—our—Dean is there, and no boy or man can take the Law course of Dalhousie and come away without often feeling, as he looks back in after years, that not only was the training in law he received sound and full, but also, that he has a better and nobler idea of manhood by reasons of the time spent under the influence of the Dean.

Client came in—first for a month! My train of thought became so deranged that the only way I can conclude this article is to give you a few common place facts about this town of Macleod.

It is situated in southern Alberta on the Old Man River (a branch of the Saskatchewan), has a population of one thousand and now embraces old Fort Macleod of early frontier fame. It is one of the oldest ranching towns of Canada, and was started long before it had railway communications, being at first only a station of the N. W. T. Mounted Police. At present these guardians of the peace are stationed here one hundred and fifty strong.

Macleod has an altitude of 3,103 feet. Climate is exceedingly dry and mild, the extreme mildness being due to the Chinook winds which frequently blow through the Rockies from the warm Pacific.

Some fifteen miles to the east and west are situated two Indian reserves of the Black Feet nation, one the "Bloods" (the largest reserve in Canada) the other the "Piegan." At times the town is full of these red denizens of the plains. Even while I write they are thronging in, for it is "Treaty Day" and they have just received the yearly payment of cash contracted for by the Government under the Treaty of 1877, and are—true to their nature—rushing in to feast for a time, although famine may follow. Five dollars to each man, woman and child, with twenty extra to each head chief and ten to each lesser chief is all the money they receive, the rest of their support being given in rations twice per week.

Pincher Creek, the scene of "Sky Pilot," is situate twenty-nine miles westward. While I might tell you something of this place, and of the life and prosperity of the country, I have already trespassed on your space and also on the patience of the reader. So fare thee well.

ONE OF "THE SAINTS OF THE LAW SCHOOL."

Gaudia Novi.

NO I. THE MARKET.

'Twas Addison who said the public is always curious about the personality of any man writing under a *non de plume*. To relieve that curiosity I wish to make a few plain statements.

First—I am a Freshman.

Second—I have brown hair, blue eyes and am rather—er, mean to say that I've been told I am good looking.

Third—No, I shall not tell you.

Now, with these three facts about myself, I am sure the reading public will take kindly to this small article—an article unique in many ways, chief of which is the fact that it is the first contribution from the pen of a Freshman to the college paper.

Of all the interesting and amusing things for a Freshie to see in dear old Halifax, nothing can surpass a visit to the Saturday morning market. It seems so very countryfied, if I may say so—in fact it just seems "homey," in the midst of the city, with its clanging street cars, to see old country waggons piled up with cabbages and corn, drawn by lazy, clumsy, wind-broken horses and followed by one or more dear old women, whose faces are like a carved hieroglyphic in expression—*dear* old women, who shall go home and relate to father and "the boys," and Uncle Abe and Aunt Sary Ann all that they saw and did "in town." Can you not see them all day Sunday talking over their trip? And see their faces brighten as she tells how she got "two cents more'n neighbour Jones did" for his cabbages? But to return to the market.

Let one get up as early as he can on Saturday morning and walk straight to the post office. Already the street is full of teams, the sidewalks crowded with people, the busy hum of

business going on, for this is market day. What a display! What a variety of everything! What a motley crowd of people! Here are eatables from beef, ham, lamb, pork or fowl down to celery and thyme.

People? Oh, people of all colors, sizes, shapes, and all wearing just the correct thing. See that woman in coarse homespun, with brogans on her feet, selling green peas to a dainty bit of femininity in white skirt, red coat and soft hat—(or, but *who can* describe a woman's costume!)—yes, and that country woman thinks just as much of herself, and perhaps more, if she has made a shrewd bargain, than her sister of the city, with all her fine clothes, her education, in short, her *advantages*.

Over in one corner is an old man with his hands folded in front of him, a blank expression on his face, his eyes looking off way beyond everything. As a lady pauses to look at his cauliflower, he solemnly says, with falling inflection, as if speaking of the dead—"Cauliflower, Missus?" But when she picks out two or three pieces, and asks: "How much?" see him jump then. He is all alive in a second. "Ten cents?" "Yesum, ten cents, mum—thank you'm." Then, looking over his basket, he assumes the same attitude as before, and I pass on.

Here are two men with moose meat for sale. Oh, would that our boarding mistress might "run up against it!" There, on the other side, are boys selling partridges. Surely, if she misses the one, she will strike the other. But no, they are sixty cents per pair. A boarding mistress in Halifax never sees partridges at that price. Everywhere, and on every side is such an abundance of good things to eat (alas, with such scant hopes of ever eating them) that I find myself wishing to be back again, just for a day, on the dear old farm. Erom a Freshman is not such a wish pardonable?

C.

Football.

SENIOR LEAGUE.

DALHOUSIE VS. NAVY, OCTOBER 31ST.

If Dalhousie's first game with the Navy was a surprise, the second was doubly so. After beating the sailors 22—0, it was not expected that the College would have much difficulty in winning out on Saturday, the 31st ult., although the previous game had been no walk-over. But all signs fail in football. The first half ended with the score even. Ten minutes of the second half saw the Navy pile up 13 to Dalhousie's 3, and the College, so it seemed, was beaten to a standstill. But the suggestion that "this procession must stop" roused Dalhousie to the gravity of her position, and, gathering herself together, she began to control the game. By magnificent forward work she slowly but gradually worked the ball up to the enemy's line. Could they do it? With fifteen minutes to play, no one would have bet a postage stamp to a ten-dollar bill that they could. But wait, Malcolm is over the line, and the north stand is breathless while Church has the ball placed for a difficult goal. The ball sailed fairly between the posts, and Dalhousians went wild with enthusiasm. Eight was better than three, but with only ten minutes to play, the most optimistic could not hope that the Yellow-and-Black would even tie the Navy's score, much less win a victory. But it is the unexpected happens. Baillie went over the line again, and we had three points more of the five necessary to tie. No; Church can't kick the goal this time; it is too much to expect, but, wonderful luck, it is over the bar again, and the score is even.

Then came the whirlwind of enthusiasm. The spectators seemed intoxicated with excitement. Hats, canes and handkerchiefs were in the air, and cheer on cheer greeted the players. A few minutes remained, and the game hung as in a balance. Our star forward (Malcolm) was equal to the occasion, and made a final dash over the line, amidst thunderous applause.

Was ever such football seen? Could it be possible that a

team apparently beaten 13 to 3, and the game lacking only fifteen minutes of the close, could pile thirteen more points on their score, and turn a bad defeat into a glorious victory?

The following was the line-up:

Dalhousie—*Full-back*, Church; *Half-backs*, Lindsay, Buckley, Baillie, Carney; *Quarters*, Dickie (Capt.), Rankine; *Forwards*, Potter, Malcolm, Mack, McKenzie, Corston, Miller, Carroll, Sutherland.

Navy—*Full-back*, Peace; *Half-backs*, Darbyshire, Browne, Jolly, Tovey; *Quarters*, Gibbs (Capt.), Nicholson; *Forwards*, Donaldson, Watson, Dathan, McKenzie-Grieves, Hertford, Estob, Brooke, Samson.

The Touch Judges were J. J. Cameron and R. T. MacIlreith.

The Navy's kick-off was returned by Potter. From a line-out Mack rushed the ball to the Navy 35. Potter broke through the scrim, and dribbled to the 15. Church kicked over the line, and the Navy touched for safety. Rankine received the ball on the drop-out, and returned to Darbyshire. Baillie got it next, but was stopped by Peace. Gibbs relieved and the Navy followed up. Jolly, of English football fame, and a new addition to the Navy half line, displayed his sprinting ability by carrying the ball to touch at 35. Then the ball was worked to the middle of the field, and the Navy awarded a free kick. Dalhousie blocked, and Baillie got in a good kick. The College was now on the offensive. From a scrim on the Navy 25, a long pass by Dickie gave Baillie the chance. Passing Jolly and Peace, he got safely in for a try, but failed to convert. The ball was not long in play again when a good exhibition of passing was given by Dalhousie's half line. From a pick-out the Navy was given another free kick. Carney returned to the Navy 25. Jolly secured the ball, got past Carney and Baillie, and when confronted by Church, passed to Browne. The latter was hotly pursued by Baillie, Lindsay and Carney, but managed to keep the lead, and got over—no goal, score 3—3, half-time.

Jolly received the kick off and returned to Carney. The Navy continued to gain, and worked the ball almost to Dalhousie's line. A few minutes later Jolly again got the ball. A drop-goal with his left foot dazed opponents and spectators, and more than merited the rounds of applause.

Once more play favored the Navy, and from a penalty Jolly kicked another goal. But two minutes more and Jolly was across the line for the third try. Score 13—3. But for Church, Browne would have again added to their score.

Dalhousie now became desperate, and soon Malcolm rushed the ball to the Navy 35. Dickie made a further gain, and passed to Malcolm, who carried the ball over. An impossible kick, but Church converted. Score 13—8.

Dalhousie checked the Navy's dribble, and after some good forward work, Dickie broke through and scored. Church again made a goal and the score a tie, 13—13.

A long dribble up field gave Malcolm the chance for another score, Church missed the goal, and when the whistle blew the figures stood 16—13.

DALHOUSIE VS. WANDERERS, NOV. 7.

The last senior league game was decidedly less interesting than the final games of former league series. The trophy had already been won, and even had this not been the case good football was an impossibility on a wet field and in a rain storm. The personnel of the teams was the same as in former games, with the exception of Goreham, who replaced Grant at quarter, and Walker, a new forward for the Wanderers. The forward lines were quite evenly matched, the Wanderer's forwards doing better work than they had done at any time during the year. Behind the scrim Dalhousie showed decided superiority, the passing of the halves and quarters being remarkable, considering the state of the ground and ball. The Wanderer halves did almost no combination work, and although they made a few good runs, they failed to score.

The play at first was mostly near centre field, and consisted of a series of scrimms and short rushes along touch. Dalhousie now forced her opponents along the north touch line until the 25 yard line was reached, when Dickie passed out to Buckley. The latter, running about 10 yards, passed to Lindsay, who missed the ball but dribbled it, and picking it up near the line, he crossed for the first try. Church failed to kick the very difficult goal. There was no further scoring until near the end of the half, when Church kicked a goal from a penalty for off-side play.

In the second half, the game was, to say the least, scrappy. Early in the half there occurred the prettiest work of the day. The ball coming from the scrim, passed along the half-line to Lindsay, who crossed the line near the northeast corner. Everybody expected to see the Wanderers lining up under their goal posts, but everybody was disappointed. The referee saw a pass ahead from Buckley to Lindsay and a scrim was given. The Wanderers now worked desperately and soon had the play in College territory, and there it remained, if play it could be called, until the call of time, when the score stood, as it did at the close of the first half, 6-0 for the College.

After the game the trophy was presented to the Dalhousie team by Mr. D'Arcy Weatherbe on behalf of the trophy committee.

DALHOUSIE VS. NAVY, NOV. 14TH.

That the contest allured Dalhousie more than the prize was clearly manifested when it became known that she was willing to play an ultra league game with the Navy in order to further test the comparative merits of the two teams. This sportsmanlike act on the part of the College did more to win her admirers than her newly acquired championship.

The personnel of the opposing teams as they lined out on the familiar football arena on the afternoon of Saturday the 14th inst., was little changed from that of the previous game. The place of Potter, who was incapacitated on account of illness, was filled by Young, a Dalhousie forward of former years.

Referee W. A. Henry sounded the whistle and the Navy kicked off. For some time scrimming was the chief feature of the game, but the monotony of this was at length relieved, when Baillie, by intercepting an opponent's pass, got through the Navy's half line and passed to Carney, who dashed over the line and secured the first try. Church failed to convert. Baillie secured the ball from the drop-out and after a short gain it became the property of Rankine. A pass to Dickie, to Malcolm and to Miller was the combination necessary for the second try.

Baillie's kick for goal failed.

The Navy dribbled to centre field, but in a short time a return again threatened their line, Browne relieved and there followed an interchange of kicks between the full-back. A

good kick by Peace passed Church, and before the latter could recover the ball, his opponents were upon him and a scrim was formed a few yards from Dalhousie's line. A mix-up following a throw out from touch gave Jolly the ball. Church alone was by to save. Jolly proved too swift for him, and the try, which was neatly converted into a goal by McKenzie-Grieves, made the score 6-5.

Jolly secured the ball from Dalhousie's kick out, made a good run and kicked well into College territory. A series of scrims followed. Baillie got the ball and kicked. Jolly blocked, caught and was away. He seemed willing to avoid the embrace of Church and relieved himself of the ball by kicking over the full-back's head. His speed now ensured him a try. Again the kicker kicked a goal and the score at half-time was Navy 10, Dalhousie 6.

In the second half Dalhousie went in to win. The ball was in play but a few minutes, when Dickie passed to Buckley and he to Carney, whose drop for goal was blocked. The ball, however, went bounding over the goal line. Carney sprinted. His reward was the usual three points. Score 10-9.

Dickie made the next try by following up a kick from Church. A goal by the latter turned the tide of enthusiasm very much Dalhousie's way.

The Navy now got in their offensive work in good style, and but for Mack, Jolly would have been over again. Gradually down the field once more came the leather and stopped not till within a few yards of the opponent's goal. A scrim, a pass to Baillie, a drop goal and the score read 18-10.

Gibbs received the ball from Nicholson and passed to Jolly, who punted to Church. The latter made a running catch and kicked to centre field. Rankine got the ball, ran down to Pierce and passed to Baillie. It struck the latter and bounded ahead. Baillie followed up and got a try. Score 21-10.

Shortly after the kick-off at 25, Buckley, by clever running and dodging, got in for a final try, which when converted by Baillie, made the total score 26-10.

INTER-COLLEGIATE FOOTBALL.

DALHOUSIE VS ACADIA, NOV. 4.

Over three-score Dalhousie Students, together with several sweet girl undergraduates—chaperoned by Mrs. Professor

Woodman—accompanied the first XV. to Wolfville for the annual encounter with Acadia. On arrival they were met by representatives of the home College and driven about the pretty town of Wolfville. Everywhere late apples succumbed to the frolicsome attack. The game was called at 2.15, Dalhousie playing her usual team, with the exception of Capt. Dickie (who was forced to stay out of the game with an injured knee) and "Cam" McDonald. Their places were filled by Roy Buckley and McCrae. The first half was closely contested, at first Acadia and then Dalhousie having the advantage. Church, by good tackling, stopped a likely-looking piece of play by Acadia. Good kicking by Baillie and hard forward work carried Dalhousie well into Acadia's territory, when the whistle blew for half-time. No scoring.

The second half was considerably livelier than the first. The forwards getting possession of the ball better, enabled Rankine and the half-backs to commence a vigorous assault in Acadia's twenty-five. It was not until with n five minutes of time, however, that Dalhousie succeeded in scoring, Baillie dropping a beautiful goal on a pass from the scrim. Score 4—0. The same player almost immediately followed on with another pretty score. Kicking high in the air, he followed up quickly, and succeeded in reaching the ball before any of the red and blue team. The try was not converted, and in another minute the referee's whistle sounded for time, with Dalhousie victorious by a score of 7—0.

Mr. Boyer, R. N., (of "Captain Reece" fame) refereed most satisfactorily.

DALHOUSIE V. U. N. B., NOVEMBER 18.

The first and only inter-collegiate game played in Halifax this season took place on the Wanderers' grounds November 18th, between Dalhousie and the U. N. B. This is the first time in some years that a team from the New Brunswick College has met Dalhousie, and the game was looked forward to with some interest. It was Dalhousie's game, however, from the start, and the only question was what the score would be. The teams lined up as follows:—

Dalhousie—*Full-back*, Church; *Half-backs*, Lindsay, Baillie, Buckley, Carney; *Quarters*, Dickie and Rankine; *Forwards*,

Malcolm, Potter, Mack, Sutherland, Carroll, McKenzie, Miller, Corston.

U. N. B.—*Full-back*, Dunphy; *Half-backs*, Fraser, Malcolm, Molloy, Finnemore; *Quarters*, McBeth, Everett; *Forwards* Goodspeed, Belyea, Barker, Jonah, Murphy, Yandall, Thorne, Kinghorne.

U. N. B. kicked off, Rankine returning to touch at centre. From this on play remained near U. N. B.'s 25 yard line. Dickie and Carney made several good dashes, but no try was made until Malcolm, following up sharply, took advantage of the full-back's muff and crossed the line. No goal followed. A great deal of open play followed. Baillie heeled the ball and tried a drop for goal, which was blocked. The ball bounced back to Baillie, who made a beautiful run, but was stopped a yard short of the goal line.

After half time Potter kicked off and "Cam." and Corston following sharply, took the ball past the full-back and scored in half a minute's play. Soon after Lindsay scored after a beautiful bit of half-back work. Church kicked a difficult goal and the score stood 11-0.

Dalhousie again forced matters and had play near U. N. B.'s 25 yard line, when U. N. B. started a dribble which resulted in the ball coming to Carney's hands. The latter, circling around his opponents, scored after making the prettiest run of the day.

Church's goal made the score 16-0 and the game was over.

The last game of football in Halifax for this season took place Saturday 21st inst., when the Y. M. C. A. team and Dalhousie's second played off for the Junior championship. The Y. M. C. A. had an easy victory, and have good claims for a place in the Senior league.

College Notes.

Y. M. C. A.—On Sunday afternoon, November 8th, Dr. Ira McKay lectured in the Munro Room on "Knowledge and Religion." There are three departments of knowledge: technical, miscellaneous and scientific. Of our total knowledge, not more than one-nineteenth is scientific, while our miscellaneous knowledge comprises at least two-thirds. It does not make much difference, therefore, whether our religious knowledge is scientific or not. The relation between theology and religion is the relation between scientific and miscellaneous. Dogmatism has invariably been in the wrong, because it has confused theology and religion. An appreciation of the lessons of brotherhood and the dignity of labour, taught by the Great Teacher of Nazareth brought the lecture fittingly to a close. Dr. Walter Murray, who presided, referred to the great power which the lecturer had of stimulating thought in others. He spoke, also, of the lecturer's words as being touched with something like prophetic fire." Miss Foster contributed very much to the pleasure of the audience by the solo which she sang.

ARTS STUDENTS' SOCIETY.—Arts Students' Society met in Professor Liechti's room on Monday afternoon, November 2, to discuss the resolution: "*Resolved*, that the Metric system is preferable to the prevalent system of weights and measures." Messrs. McKenzie, Power, McKay, Farquhar and Baillie discussed the positive side of the question, and Messrs. Fraser, Watson, Ross and Moxon upheld the negative. A vote on the merits of the debate was taken, with the result that the resolution was carried. E. B. Ross acted as critic.

On November 9 the Arts Students' Society held its weekly debate in Prof. Liechti's room. The subject for debate was: "*Resolved*, that Lord Alverstone gave a perfectly unbiassed judgment on the Alaskan Boundary Dispute." Messrs. Patterson and McRae supported the resolution, and were opposed by Messrs. Smith and McKeen. Mr. G. M. McKay was critic.

The third meeting of the Arts Students' Society in November was held in Professor D. A. Murray's room on the 16th. The

minutes were read by the Secretary, and adopted. G. M. McKay moved that the name of the Society be changed from the Arts Students' Society to Arts and Science Students' Society. Motion passed. The subject for debate was then announced: "*Resolved*, that Lord Chamberlain's policy is detrimental to the best interests of the Empire." Messrs. Barnet and McBean spoke in behalf of the resolution, Messrs. Seaman, Farquhar and Brehaut against it. The meeting decided against the supporters of the resolution. H. D. Brunt acted as critic.

SODALES.—On Friday evening, October 30th, the annual Freshie-Soph. debate was held. Needless to say, a large number were in attendance. The meeting was called to order by the President, and the minutes of the previous meeting were read and adopted. J. A. Scrimgeour then submitted the schedule of inter-class debates, which he had been appointed to draw up. It is as follows:

Nov. 27.—'05 vs. '04: *Resolved*, that Hon. Joseph Chamberlain's policy for reciprocity is conducive to the best interests of the Empire.

Jan. 16.—'06 vs. '04: *Resolved*, that the complete control of all public school matters should be given to the Provincial Governments.

Feb. 12.—'07 vs. '05: *Resolved*, that the municipal ownership of all public works is conducive to the best interests of the community.

This schedule was adopted by a unanimous vote.

The President then announced the subject for debate: "*Resolved*, that Canada should contribute to the naval defence of the Empire." Longley (Med., '07) opened the debate in a neat, well-arranged speech, and was followed by Borden, (Law '05) who made a vigorous speech, upholding the negative side. Grant (Arts, '07) explained at the outset that "as a first-year man, he should have something *fresh* to say." He succeeded in keeping his audience amused, thanks to the "cracker" business and to certain assistance in the way of nosegays obligingly provided by the sophs. A. A. McLeod (Arts, '06) chatted informally with *certain* of the audience on matters not quite relevant to the question at issue. Chisholm (Law, '06) replied on behalf of the freshmen, and was followed by

"Stan" MacDonald, whose quotations, though not few, were undoubtedly well chosen. Messrs. Borden and Longley then closed the debate. Prof. Sexton, on behalf of the judges, announced their decision, giving the palm of victory to the freshmen, but declaring the contest unusually close. L. J. Miller gave an excellent critique containing some localisms, which the sophs. will not soon forget.

The second meeting of Sodales was held on November 13. J. A. Scrimgeour submitted the report from the Convention held at Wolfville on November 6th to arrange a series of inter-collegiate debates. Five of the Colleges were represented: U. N. B., Mt. A., St. F. X., Acadia and Dalhousie. Kings expressed hearty approval of the scheme, but by reason of the small attendance, did not feel justified in joining the league. The schedule arranged by the delegates was as follows:

1st year—U. N. B. vs. Mt. A., at Sackville.

Acadia vs. St. F. X., at Wolfville.

2nd year—Dal. vs. U. N. B., at Halifax.

St. F. X. vs. Mt. A., at Antigonish.

3rd year—Dal. vs. Mt. A., at Sackville.

Acadia vs. U. N. B., at Fredericton.

4th year—Dal. vs. St. F. X., at Antigonish.

Mt. A. vs. Acadia, at Wolfville.

5th year—Acadia vs. Dalhousie, at Halifax.

U. N. B. vs. St. F. X., at Fredericton.

The scheme provides that three *bona fide* students, not holding college degrees, shall be chosen on either side. The subject for debate is chosen by the visiting team, the choice of sides being given to the home team. For each debate one judge is to be appointed, but no professor, lecturer or student in any of the league colleges is eligible for the position. The debates and all business connected with them are arranged by "The Maritime Inter-Collegiate Debate Committee," composed of one representative from each college.

After a discussion, in which Messrs. Ross, Carroll, Cameron and Fraser took part, the report was adopted.

The subject for debate was then announced: "*Resolved, that in matters purely Canadian, Canada should have treaty-making powers.*" E. B. Ross opened the debate, and was

followed by Messrs. Scrimgeour, Charman and Moxon. The debate was then thrown open, and a number of speakers took part. Messrs. Scrimgeour and Ross closed the debate for their respective sides. A vote of the members on the merits of the debate decided against the resolution. Everett Fraser's critique was pointed and impartial.

PHILOSOPHICAL CLUB.—The Philosophical Club held its second meeting at Dr. Walter Murray's on Thursday evening, November 12. The former part of Spenser's First Principles, dealing with the Unknowable, was discussed by H. H. Blois in a paper which he gave. An interesting and animated discussion followed. At the next meeting the latter part of this book, the Knowable, will be taken up.

MOCK PARLIAMENT.—Nov. 7th saw a congregation of new faces around the cabinet table. On the resignation of the Cheese ministry, the Hon. Leader of the Opposition was called on to form a Government. Of his followers he summoned a chosen few with whom he took secret council, and after long and careful consideration of the merits of the likely ones, the personnel of the new cabinet was made public. It is as follows:

Prime Minister—The Hon. J. A. Haviland.

Min. of Railways—The Hon. J. A. Redmond.

Min. of Finance—The Hon. B. Roscoe.

Min. of Interior—The Hon. A. H. Borden.

Min. of Justice—The Hon. E. C. Locke.

The Speaker's chair was occupied by the Hon. J. J. Cameron as deputy.

The absence of the Prime Minister and Min. of Railways at the first meeting of Parliament under the new regime, caused a deal of wonder and speculation as well on the part of the members of the House as on the part of the public. It seemed as if the new Government, for some unforeseen cause, was also going to the wall and that a general appeal to the country would be inevitable. The other ministers, however, rose to the occasion nobly and by their energy and tact succeeded in preventing consternation from spreading amongst the Government members and in steering the ship of state safely through the impending dangers.

The only business of importance that occupied the attention

of the House was the Education Bill which passed its third reading, and the introduction of the new Railway Bill. The latter was brought in by the Hon. Min. of the Interior and seconded by the Hon. Min. of Justice. A motion by the Hon. member for Kings (P. E. I.) that the House divide on the Bill was lost. A second motion to the same effect was ruled out of order, and at 10 p. m., on motion, the House adjourned.

Nov. 14th. House met at 8.15 p. m. with Deputy Speaker Ross in the chair. The absence of the Hon. Min. of Railways was again noticeable, and more particularly because the new Railway Policy which was supposed to be under his special supervision, was before the House.

The Hon. Mr. Chisholm brought in a resolution to the effect that an act prohibiting the importation, manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquor in Canada would be highly beneficial to the people of that country. The Hon. Mr. McDonald, in a very strong speech, seconded the resolution, and was followed by the Hon. Min. of the Interior, who also favored the adoption of such a measure. The Hon. Mr. Cameron (J. M.) thought that the sentiment throughout the country in respect to this question did not warrant such legislation and doubted very much the constitutionality of such an act. Several other honorable members spoke on the question, and on motion it was allowed to lie on the table till the next meeting of the House. The adjourned debate on the Railway Bill was then taken up by the Premier, who went into a full explanation of the contract and the several provisions contained therein. He was followed by the Hon. Mr. Landry, who was quite in accord with the policy, as far as the locus and necessity of the road were concerned, but contended that, if possible, it would be better for Canada if the road were owned and under the entire control of the Government. On a division the Bill was carried by a vote of 8 to 5.

House adjourned at 10 p. m.

MEDICAL SOCIETY.—A meeting of the Medical Students Society was held on Thursday, Nov. 12th, President F. W. Jardine in the chair. The President stated that it would be necessary to appoint an assistant librarian. J. A. Ferguson, B. Sc., was chosen. After the transaction of routine business, the following programme was rendered:—Piano solo, Mr.

Lindsay, of the School for the Blind; Reading, E. Blackadder; Vocal solo, Miss Lowe; Vocal solo, Mr. Kline, School for the Blind; Reading, Miss Lowe; Piano solo, Mr. Kline. The evident appreciation of the audience was shown by the hearty encores with which the various numbers were greeted. In response to a specially enthusiastic encore, Miss Lowe gave a comic reading which almost literally took down the house. The entertainment committee are to be congratulated for providing such an excellent programme. A vote of thanks to those who so kindly entertained the society was heartily carried. Mr. Lindsay made a very happy and appropriate reply. The meeting closed with the National Anthem.

DELTA GAMMA.—The Delta Gamma Society met on Saturday evening, Oct. 24th, at Mrs. Lindsay's, 241 Pleasant street. The entertainment consisted of a piano solo by Miss Millar, reading by Miss Crichton and a paper on "The Legend of the St. John River," by Miss Sinnot.

On Nov. 7th, at Mrs. (Dr.) Reid's, Hollis street, the annual debate between the Sophomores and Freshettes was held. The subject was "Resolved that co-education is but a sorry make shift." The Freshettes who upheld the resolution were Misses L. MacKay and Crichton; opposed to them were Misses Sinnot and McLeod. The opposition was defeated. At the close Miss Blackwood gave an excellent critique for which she received a vote of thanks. The Freshettes are to be congratulated upon the fact that they debated without reference to manuscript.

Y. W. C. A.—On Oct. 22nd, the Y. W. C. A. gave a concert in the Law Library, the proceeds of which were to send a delegate to the Convention of Canadian Y. W. C. A. at Toronto. The society offers, through the GAZETTE, its hearty thanks to those who so kindly and efficiently contributed to the success of the entertainment.

Exchanges.

Most of our October Exchanges reflect the stir of renewed activity which is so noticeable in College life after the holidays,

before students have settled down into a comfortable routine. Freshmen everywhere receive a hilarious welcome, College Societies re-organize and the athletes prepare for battle. The bright side of life appears, the shadow of exams. being as yet far distant; the new staff of editors, too, with their zeal unchilled by experience contribute to the cheerful note that prevails.

The Student appears in a new garb, with an excellent cover design. This publication is by far the brightest and most readable of our exchanges. Freedom of speech is carried to a limit unusual in a college paper, but it does not hurt anybody. We direct the attention of our Sodales critics to the *Student's* report of the "Union" debates.

Acta Victoriana we take up next, by way of contrast. It takes life seriously even at this time of the year. The October number contains articles dealing exhaustively with the Alaskan Boundary Dispute, the Transportation Problem and the Conditions of Life. In form it is the most attractive of our Canadian College papers.

Varsity is new and interesting. One of the October numbers has an excellent article on University Literary Societies, which is very applicable to Dalhousie. "As a rule," it says, "there is little free, spontaneous discussion. Apart from a few set speeches and chosen subjects in the Inter-Year debating series, few speeches are seriously attempted. For the most part, the others lack force and conviction." *Varsity* also notes a deficiency on the part of undergraduates in the production of College poetry. Our poets are also mute.

The contributors to the *Xaverian*, however, do not fear to invoke the muses. This paper is an old friend under a new name. We commend its originality.

Other Exchanges received:—*The Manitoba College Observer*, *Queen's University Journal*, *Prince of Wales College Observer*, *Ottawa Campus*, *The Victorian University of Ottawa Review*, *McMaster University Monthly*, *Presbyterian College Journal*, *Trinity University Review*, *The College Wide Awake*, *The Argosy*,

Dallusiensia.

A song would I sing of MacKenzie,
A man of redoubtable fame,
Descend ye nine muses upon me,
And grant me your versatile strain.

I weep as I sing this sad ditty,
Whose sadness makes strongest hearts quail,
For obstructing the streets of the city
This hero was landed in jail.

"Stand back!" cried the cop on that beat,
"I won't!" said the valiant McK.
What ho! for the jug upon Duke Street,
There'll now be the devil to pay.

Sic fatur lacrimans T. G.,
(Which means that thus weeping he spoke),
"Please, mister policeman, don't jug me,
I thought the whole thing was a joke."

But the hard-hearted villain assailed him,
Nor aught of his words would he hear,
But he took as a comforter Morrow,
Who had poked the said cop on the ear.

For Morrow was brave as Horatius,
Who held the bridge almost an hour,
And saying, "He's pulled! Oh my gracious!"
He wafted a bag full of flour.

For this was he seized at the jail,
And he and the brave son of Mars,
In spite of their long, bitter wail,
Were soon behind strong iron bars.

But I now feel the muses, alack,
Departing; they soon will be gone;
So a curtain of deep, sombre black
Must needs o'er the sequel be drawn.

Prof. of Anatomy, handing a member of the freshman anatomy class the left internal cuneiform bone.—“Which foot does this bone belong to, Mr. L.—ley?”

Mr. L., after some deliberation.—“The left foot, Sir.”

Prof. Anatomy.—“What makes you think that?”

Mr. L.—“I cannot reconcile it to the right foot, Sir.”

1st Freshie.—“What tubes have these 4th year Meds. in their pockets?”

2nd Freshie, who is quite knowing.—“A Stetroscope.”

1st Freshie, *thirsting for more knowledge*.—“What’s that?”

2nd Freshie.—“A curious instrument something like a 10-cent toy trumpet, with the top knocked off. It is used to hear what people are thinking about.”

Freshman L. B., in order to fix the origin and insertion of the interossei muscles, marked them carefully on his hand. This was found helpful when Dr. L. asked him, on his own palm, the scheme of the palmar muscles. Freshman L. B. had them all there, *correctly mapped out*.

It is rumoured that the Sophomores are pushing their class-President F—rqu—r, chief of the notorious Revealers, for President of the D. A. A. C. Really, Sophomores, this is too much. The D. A. A. C. is not comic opera.

And now it is Alexander the locksmith.

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Reporter.—“Can you let me have one of your pictures, Mr. S., for my paper?”

“Bobbie.”—“I haven’t got one of my own, but I know where there is one in the City that I can get you.”

Morrissey (in lecture on contracts).—“How long after a promise of marriage before an action could be brought?”

Dr. Russell.—“I hope this is not a serious case, Mr. Morrissey.”

Alumni Notes.

C. S. Cameron, B. A., '79, is head of the audit department of the Dominion Iron and Steel Co.

T. C. McKay, B. A., '93, has received the degree of Ph. D. from Harvard and is now an instructor in Physics in that institution.

Miss A. A. Stewart, B. Sc., '86, is a member of the staff of St. Margaret's College, Toronto.

Miss Nora K. MacKay, B. A., '00, is teaching in the Halifax Ladies College.

Miss Ethel Stuart, B. A., '02, is teaching in Massachusetts.

On November 10, C. D. Livingston, LL. B., '03, and J. W. P. Ritchie, LL. B., '02, were admitted to the Bar of Nova Scotia. Livingston will practise in Halifax.

D. T. C. Watson, M. D., C. M., '02, has opened an office at 132 Spring Garden Road, Halifax.

On November 17, R. F. Phalen, LL. B., '97, was married to Miss Fuller, of Arichat. The GAZETTE extends congratulations.

Fred A. Morrison, LL. B., '97, B. A., '01, is associated with the legal firm of Thomson & Matthew, Winnipeg.


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