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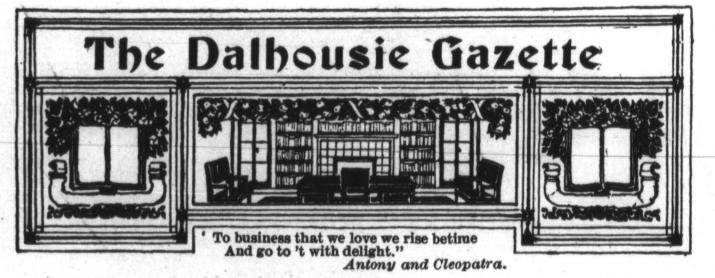
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THIS is the slogan of the New Movement among the students and judging from the enthusiasm

displayed, we are going to get it.

The need of such a building has long been apparent to every student here. For years we have been hampered by our absolute lack of facilities for our social and athletic activities in College. The fact that our Y. M. C. A., Dramatic Club, football team and other societies have not only existed but succeeded to a large measure in the face of such difficulties is proof of the ability of Dalhousie students to accomplish what they plan to do. Now, however, things have come to such a pass that something must be done, and that at once. Some of the buildings at Studley will be occupied next term, but they will be needed for exclusively instructional use. The Governors, while sympathising with us, can not help us owing to lack of finances. So it is up to us to get this building ourselves.

For some time this matter has been under consideration and recently with the help of those good friends of all Dalkousie students, Mr. and Mrs. G. Fred Pearson, a plan has been evolved for obtaining

the required building.

It has been estimated that Fifty Thousand Dollars will give us a good building with all necessary accomodation including a good up-to-date gymnasium, assembly hall, society rooms, etc. To get this sum we need the help of every student. The plan of campaign is to advertise the scheme thoroughly, organize all students into canvassing squads, and on a day to

be appointed, probably in July, start a whirlwind campaign to last one week. During this week the three Maritime Provinces will be thoroughly canvassed by the students and we hope in this way to secure a large part of the sum required. The Alumni Association have promised their help and other plans are being made by which to obtain the necessary balance.

After this scheme had been considered by the Students' Council and a special committee appointed by that body, it was laid before the Alumni Association, who promised their aid, and before the Board of Governors, who gave it their hearty approval. It has also received the enthusiastic endorsement of a mass meeting of students and the next thing to do is to "boost" the movement for all we are worth.

The great thing about this is that it is a Students' movement. The building is to be a Students' Building—built by the students for student and Alumni purposes solely. We do not know of any college where such a thing has been attempted by the students themselves. But, as we said before, when Dal students set out to do a thing, they generally accomplish it. We must all go into this to win—talk for it—work for it—and show the world what we can do—even though we are only students.



THE STUDENTS' COUNCIL 1914-15.

The annual elections for members of the Students Council were held on Tuesday, March 3rd. Nomination day was one week previous and some stormy scenes took place at the nomination meetings, particularly in the Law Faculty. In all faculties unusual interest was shown and a large number of candidates were nominated—nine from Law, ten from Medicine, two from Dentistry and twenty-six from Arts and Science. After the election, the Council held a recount of the Arts and Science ballots and then declared that on account of irregularities in the previous vote, the poll would be held again in that Faculty. This was done, and the following members have been delcared elected for 1914-15.—

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We started out hopefully to raise subscriptions for the new Forrest Hall. The result of our first call was as follows: We presented our case to a languid gentleman, who, as the tale progressed, looked more and more bored and dismal. At the words "ten thousand dollars" his eyes rolled slightly and he choked somewhat, but he recovered sufficiently to say, "Well, I'll have nothing to do with it!" Somewhat alarmed we gazed open-mouthed at him. He said lamely, "I can't—that is—yes, well you see—No indeed, quite impossible—er, ah, really, you know—Good afternoon!" Slowly and sadly we went. Not as we had dreamed, alas, no.

We made our prepared speech carefully to the next victim, who listened so painfully that the spokeslady, mentioning a "world-wide effort" said "word-wild", "wild-world", "whirlwood", and at last produced "worlds-wood", and thought she had it. The gentleman heard her out, and then spoke thus:—"I can say nothing definite now. I must ask my wi—, that is. I must think it over."

The next name belonged to one of the fairer, but, as we found, sterner sex. The spokeslady had only reached the "thirty girls" part, when she was interrupted abruptly. "Well, we have no girls to go, and I see no benefit for our boys in a girls' residence." We tried to point out the advantage to her boys, but she did not seem to really be a "seeker after truth," so we shook the dust from off our feet, and relieved our feelings by writing the vulgar, but expressive word "stung" after her name on the list.

The next was a publican, whose education had been neglected in his youth. After hearing our opening words he said, "Yep, I seen it in the papers. Got a subscription list?" and down went his name opposite a liberal sum. We pursued our way, wondering why an uncultured man should be so very much

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nicer than one who has had advantages. We don't know yet.

Several men were "out" but we succeeded in finding one on our list who was in. He chewed a dainty tooth-pick resentfully, and when we were through he explained how hard he was working to pay off the last amount subscribed, and vowed that when that was paid he would never promise another cent. We went out, feeling that our usually generous proportions were diminished by three-fourths.

The next name we hailed joyfully. It was a youth, young and dark with a beaming smile and soulful eyes. He said gleefully, "Sure thing! I know all about it! I'd like to see more girls,"—and as he wrote his name, he murmured abstractedly—"more girls—more girls—more girls—more girls, more girls, yes! this is great. My! I do hope you have luck." Elated by our success, we purchased five cents' worth of candy. Reckless extravagance!

Our next victim was in sympathy with our project, but not in a monetary manner. However, he gave us five dollars' worth of encouragement; and we felt cheered enough to approach with confidence the wealthiest man on our list. We were ushered into the sanctum sanctorum, and we stated our business. Then he explained his position: how he had given a sum, which took away our breath—a sum greater than we are endeavoring to raise. We were covered with confusion and felt inclined to apologize for our existence. Really, it was a shocking imposition to ask him for money, but what could we do?

The last one on our list was a governor of a neighboring college. He explained the superiority of his college, how it received endowments continually (a fact we realise to our dismay), how it paid its own expenses, and finally how the college was founded because of Dalhousie's short-sightedness. He promised to think it over and let us know, and we felt sanguine.

It was then time to desist from our labors. Our rubbers were worn out, our throats sore, our hearts broken, our brains smooth, and our spirits sore. Thus ended our first day's canvassing.

JAMAICA.

(A Corner of Empire)

Lend me, Oh Muse, the voices heard in dreams, Whose kindly touch my faltering verse redeems, And bid them guide the writer's halting pen To paint Jamaica's sylvan scenes again.

Loud waterfalls and stately flowing streams, Bright mountain peaks on which the sunlight gleams, Fair grottoed nooks and groves of waving palms, Where dainty wild-flowers add a thousand charms, Purple and orange peep from greenclad trees, And Nature lives in sunshine and in breeze. From a high hill I look down on the land To see the white foam break upon the sand; Valley and glade, hillock and rushing stream, Are robed in noonday's brilliant golden gleam, Stretching afar—a restless glitt'ring sea In crested silver glances back to me. Amongst the mass of softly darkened green, The richest colors blend and move between, The Ponciana, with its blood red glow Over the landscape waves of color throw, Dark Lignumvitae with their purple bend, And climbing plants in crimson wreaths ascend, Down at my feet I see the canefields lie, Where gorgeous green waves feathery crests on high. While through the dark ravine that skirts the hill I hear the waters race toward the Mill. Then when the twilight ends and shadows loom, Swift fire flies flit and glance throughout the gloom, And starry Worlds-like flaming eyes on high Gaze through the azure of a cloudless sky. Beneath the moonlight's softened mellow beam, Unnumbered marvels round about me gleam— I see the winding white road stretch afar, And note the brilliance of the evening star, The cocoanuts long slender arching leaves

Shimmer and flash amidst the moon-kissed trees. Over the sands the ripples break in glee, And tiny wavelets curl across the sea: The moving boats, which in the shallows wind, Leave in their wake long glittering trails behind, Across the harbour-Ocean breezes roam, Capping the waves in silvery wreaths of foam.

Queen of the Antilles—England's tropic gem, Whose magic shores the Carib waters stem, Land of the Springs-whose lofty mountains stand, With flowery peaks beyond a fringe of sand, Like emerald set in sapphires dazzling rays-Comes the swift vision of her passing days, And midst the greatness of a sister strand, I hear the calling of this Wonderland.

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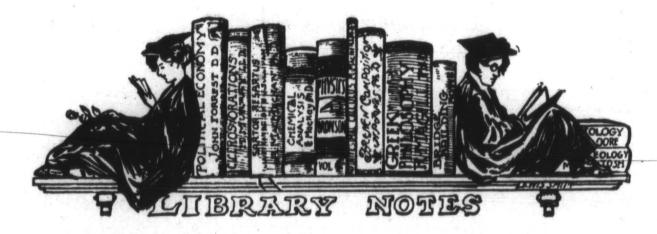
EXTRACTS FROM A RED BOOK.

The meaning given to the term "poetry" in the desk edition of "Webster" is "metrical composition." Now this, although true of all poetry, is a universal term and includes much under it that cannot be

ranked as poetry—it is too general.

Good poetry is hard to define, there are so many kinds of good poetry. However, in its origin the term conveyed the idea of "making" and a poet was a "maker"—a maker of that one of the fine arts which uses rythhmical language as its mode of expression. Sculpture cannot be conceived of without the idea of something carved or modelled; so poetry, in its denotation, cannot be conceived of without the thought of language rhythmically arranged. In English, the term carries something more with it; it, as might be said, connotes the idea of verse inspired by imagination, and which allows a measure of perfection in that degree.

Although some of the pleasure produced by good poetry is due to its music, and to the splendor of its imagery, yet there is something beyond and above this complex feeling of delight. There is a spiritual emotion which is the immediate result of close attention to great poetry, that is created in the soul only by verse of the highest value. This emotion, to quote Aristotle, is the "higher seriousness" which is inseparable, yet different from the mere physical delight in lovely sounds. In it there is something that cannot be described; it combines the experience of life with the hope of immortality; fuses what has been felt and witnessed with what has only been and what can only be imagined. This subtle emotion is produced by the art of language rhythmically arranged and to this art is given the term "Poetry".



"Bibliotheca a Dallusia valde desiderata." Mecan.op.cit.

A Relic.

Josephus Bell,
Puer Optime meritus,
Ingenium bonum,
Studio Literarum Romanorum,
Gnaviter excolens,
Hoc Praemium
Merito consecutus est.
Thomas Aitken
Academiae Dalhousianae
Sep mo Kal Aug ti
1832.

This is the inscription on the fly-leaf of a morocco-bound Milton presented to Joseph Bell, grandfather of Hugh Bell, at the mature age of thirteen, or thereabouts, for his proficiency in the study of the Literature of the Romans. The date and the master's name are interesting. Was our academia really operating in 1832? giving instruction in classics to studious youths and prizes to the most deserving? Who was Thomas Aitken? Was he any relation to Sir Max? Perhaps Judge Patterson, or Dr. Forrest can give the needed answers.

Local History.—A good friend of the college, who has repeatedly proved his faith by his works, has presented the Library with a fresh batch of books on the history of the province. Among them is a number of rare pamphlets on Louisburg. As soon as possible, these will be suitably bound, and the work will be done

within the college building under the Librarian's eye. Thanks! and again, Thanks!

Work.—For some time the Assistant Librarian has been listing and labelling the Stewart collection. It is a heavy but indispensable piece of work. Already four out of the twelve cases have been dealt with. Each volume or pamphlet is entered separately and distinctly in a blank book devoted to this purpose, as is also Stewart's own catalogue number, and then the label pasted in. It is the regular library ex-libris with the Dalhousie arms and motto, bearing below just these words:—

The John James Stewart Collection.

This plate has been approved by Dr. Forrest, who was an intimate friend of Mr. Stewart. The work of listing is being done in a very neat and efficient manner. When completed, it will be possible to trace and identify every item in this rich collection.

Breaking Ground —When these lines appear, the foundation of the Macdonald Memorial will be in the process of laying at Studley. With the good weather, progress should be rapid. The idea is to have the building ready for occupation in the fall. Qui vivra, verra.



COLLEGE NOTES.

Arts and Science Students' Society On Feb. 20th was held the only regular debate. "Resolved that Professional Sport is in the best interests of athletics "was the subject. Messrs. C. T. Macleod and Walls put up a very strong case for Blaikie Campbell and other celebrities. The cold mathematical precision of George Patterson and sober reasoning of Mr. Macnutt proved invincible, and the resolution was lost.

The real interest of Arts and Science, for the past month, however, has centred around the discussion of the new constitution. At first it seemed as if this long expected and much needed piece of legislation would pass without any demur. On February sixth, however, without any warning, a fierce storm of opposition, which lasted through the three succeeding meetings, burst upon the society. As a whole, we may safely assert that never in the history of Arts and Science has so much been said and so little done. The discussions throughout were characterized by a superfluity of that cheapest of all commodities—Hot Air. To attempt to give a detailed account would fill several numbers of the Gazette, and even then it is very doubtful if we would even have reached the end of Peter MacAulay's first speech.

The council of Nicaea, we are told, was the scene of many furious debates. In comparison with the recent discussions in Arts and Science, the wildest scenes of that famous controversy dwindle into insignificance. The deepest philosophic reasoning of Athanasius, the most fiery tirades of Arius are "as moon light unto sunlight" when contrasted with the orations

of Bert Hayes and Hugh Bell.

The engineers claimed for themselves the right of nominating a separate candidate for the Students' Council. In the person of Bert, they found a worthy champion. The Arts men as a whole denied this right

of secession, and Bruly proved a second Lincoln in his denunciations of the rebels.

Motion, amendment, counteramendment, adjournment followed each other in such a bewildering rapidity as to confuse the oldest political tactician. From time to time, when there seemed any slight possibility of the strife slackening in the least degree, Mr. C. T. Macleod uttered a series of Phillipics against the Students' Council in particular and all governments in general. At other periods, the battle was enlivened by the fierce vociferations of Bob Leslie and other small fry.

When the Engineer question was just about to die of age, another issue was brought before the society. One honourable gentleman asserted that the Arts and Science members of the Council were not supposed to represent the wishes of the faculty from which they came. If that is so, then why does such an organization exist? Ovbiously, this idea is contrary to the very spirit of responsible govenrment. See to it, Arts and Science, that you have this question decided, or else prepare for squalls. In conclusion, after a whole month of wild disputation, the society, without a constitution, divided into bitter factions, is left weaker than ever.

Dr. Stewart's Address. On February 15th, the student body was given a rare treat. It came in the form of an address from our new Professor of Philosophy, Dr. Stewart. His subject, as well as the way in which it was presented, was a practical one. It was that question which all of us have asked ourselves some time in our lives, "the choice of a profession". Though Dr. Stewart said that he was not going to tell us anything new, still we can assure him that after the address, many of us had ideas which we had never had before. His whole line of thought was governed by sober common sense and sound reasoning. At a time like this, when so much advice is proffered, and when so little of it is worth considering, the Gazette assures Dr. Stewart that the variety he gives is at a very high premium.

The Junior Sleigh Drive The evening of Feb. 29th witnessed one of the most unique functions ever held in the history of Dalhousie. Certain it is, that no other affair can ever be just the same. It exemplified to an unusual degree how greatly inferior anticipation is to realization. Without any doubt, no college party has ever been so closely related to the imagination

At sharp eight o'clock, two well filled sleighs left the college. They followed a route unacquainted alike with Senior dances, Junior functions and all the noise and circumstance appertaining thereto. After several hours, very pleasantly spent, the sleighs drew up before the new "Nulpart Cafe'." There they were served to a very delightful banquet prepared in a most commendable style by the kind host. When body and mind had been refreshed by a good dinner and poor speaking respectively, the famous Junior quartette, under the able directorship of Mr. J. S. Fraser, rendered some unusually artistic numbers. Then, with three rousing cheers for Mrs. Professor MacIntosh, the popular chaperon of the party, just as the gray glimmer of dawn began to illumine the eastern sky each and all, fired with "Class Enthusiasm" and with great expectations for their "Next merry meeting," betook themselves to their several homes.

ANNUAL MEETINGS.

Dalhousie Skating Club. The annual meeting of the Skating Club was held in the Munro Room at one o'clock on Tuesday, March 10th. One regrettable fact was the smallness of the attendance. Of course at one o'clock, we are generally in a hurry to get home; but a club in whose activities so many of us take part should have a good attendance at its annual meeting. The retiring President, D. S. McCurdy, occupied the chair. The Treasurer's report showed that the Club had received \$400.00 from the Students' Council and had raised about \$132.00 otherwise. The expenses had been \$500.00, leaving a very creditable

balance. On motion, the Executive were instructed to arrange, if possible, for another night at the Arena.

The election of officers for 1913-14 resulted as

follows:-

Hon. President-Prof. Murray Macneill.

President—C. R. Hawkins, B. A.

Vice-President-Grace Hoben.

Secretary-G. R. Smith.

Executive—A. D. Campbell, B. A. (Law); R. Clark, (Pine Hill); W. L. Fraser (Arts); G. F. Heal

(Med.); C. Noble (Tech.);

Mr. Macnutt gave notice of motion to amend the constitution by combining the offices of Secretary and Treasurer, and in view of this no Treasurer was elected.

Dalhousie Musical and Dramatic Club. The Dramatic Club meeting took place on the same day as that of the Skating Club, at 8 o'clock, p. m. President

Gass occupied the chair.

The report of the Executive Committee was read by the Secretary, and it showed a very successful year financially, the surplus amounting to \$215. The President brought up the matter of the Club taking a trip in the interest of the Student's Building Fund, and the matter was favorably commented on by a number of the members. A committee consisting of T. A. Lebbetter, W. R. Auld and J. S. Fraser was appointed to co-operate with the Special Efforts Committee of the Students in regard to this trip.

The officers for 1914-15 are as follows:-

Hon. President—Prof. Todd.

President—J. N. Lyons.

Vice-President-Miss Hattie Boak.

Secretary-Treasurer—G. D. Young.

Executive—Miss E. Gillies, Miss Mary Ross, W. B.

Coulter, J. MacDonald, C. K. Fuller, B. A.

A vote of thanks to the retiring officers was responded to by Mr. Gass, who paid special tribute to the work of Miss Boak and J. S. Fraser. The latter, he said, had had practically the whole arrangements for

the play thrown on his hands owing to the President's absence, and the success of the production was the best evidence of the way he had discharged his duty.

Dalhousie Y. M. C. A. The business meeting of the Y. M. C. A. held on Saturday, March 14th, had a fair attendance. The reports showed that the work of the Association was in good order, and all present united in praise of the valuable work done by the Cabinet and in particular by the General Secretary, Mr. W. R. Auld, B. A. Special mention was also made of the normal group for Bible Class leaders conducted by Dr. Bronson, and the courses given by Rev. Mr. Cohoe and Dr. D. Fraser Harris. Suggestions were made by several members of lines of work in the City which might be taken up by the Association. The election of officers was then proceeded with and the following were elected:—

Hon. President—Prof. H. L. Stewart Ph. D. President—G. D. McLeod (Arts '15). Vice-President—K. J. Austen (Arts '15). Treasurer—Chester A. Pugsley (Arts '14). Secretary—D. G. MacGregor (Arts '17).

A new plan of work was instituted this session, and instead of the usual Saturday evening meetings, special courses were put on. During the latter part of the fall term, Rev. A. B. Cohoe, of First Baptist Church, was the man chosen to lead the class. The subjects he took up were along the lines of social service and, as always, Mr. Cohoe had a large and appreciative audience at all the meetings of the class. During the latter part of the present term, the course was completed.

In the early part of this term, Dr. D. Fraser Harris kindly consented to give a course of there lectures. These lectures, which were on Hygiene of the different systems of the body and its relation to character, were most interesting and instructive. The large audiences which filled the Munro Room each night and listened with greatest attention for over an hour to the learned professor are the best proofs of how the students

received this. Dr. Harris is gifted with large knowledge and also with the ability to impart it in a way both intelligible and interesting to lay minds. The students owe the Association thanks for both of these valuable courses.

THE MEDICAL SCHOOL.

"Mark the Perfect Man."

There is a student who never loafs, Nor smokes, nor chews, nor swears, Who never dances, never flirts And shuns all evil snares. He's paralyzed.

There is a student who never does
Anything that is not right.
The Senate knows just where he is
At morning, noon and night.
He's dead.

Notes.

Great joy is expressed by the student body on the announcement that Dr. A. W. H. Lindsay, Dean of the Faculty of Medicine, has recovered from his critical illness. Much anxiety has been felt among the students on account of his serious condition, but we are glad that kind Providence has spared us the pain of the bitter cup of parting with such an esteemed teacher and friend.

The medical authorities assure us of his well being and we sincerely trust that in the coming year we may find him once more engrossed in the great responsibilities where we, as disciples of his teachings, first came to know him.

A Time to Laugh.

K Mahabir was riding a frisky mule. The animal got its hind foot into one of the stirrups. "Woa! by Crimedy," shouted the rider, "if you are going to get up, it's time for me to get down."

Tommie (Med. '16)—"I'll meet you at the drug store, Sammie."

Sammie (Med. '16)—"How will I know if you have gone when I get there?"

Tommie-"I'll put a chalk mark on the walk."

Sammie-"And if I get there first?"

Tommie-"You rub it out."

Obituary.

The year of 1914 has seen a cloud of deep gloom hovering around the Medical College, for the same keen scythe of Father Time which has been active throughout the countless ages, has again been swung this way, and looking upon the swath, we find that the popular and much respected janitor, Mr. Hillman, is with us no more.

We do not wish to provoke to tears the mourners by attempting to eulogize the deceased, or offering comfort to the bereaved. But as a tribute in passing, we would lay this epitaph upon his resting place:—

"Here lies a man who faithfully discharged the duties of his office and tried to do what was right with his fellow men."



In Chemistry.

In the Chemical Lab. of Dalhousie,
The learned Doctor stands.
The Doctor is a crafty man
With acids on his hands;
And from a simple silicate
He manufactures sands.

At nine o'clock we go to class,
To profit by his lore,
We see him making Phosphates,
And —ites and —ides, and more—,
We see him making Lucifer
From common sulphur ore.

He loves to see the stout hearts quell Before his searching eyes; His heart's analagous to steel, It cannot Ionize. But now and then, for science' sake He burns a sacrifice.

If, when exam time comes around,
Your work is all amuck,
No need to chide in childish tones,
Nor curse him for your luck.
He'll simply say, "Hic Jacket, boys,"
And pass you out, a pluck.

Yours very truly,

John Watson (Class J).



CHRONICLES OF FRESHETTES

(Continued.)

Day by day thus passed the old year, Day by day exams came nearer, Came the rumors how professors Would pluck the Freshman class to show them That for wasted time they stood not That for them was naught but study. Should you ask "Exams, what are they Why, with bated breath, they're mentioned?" I should answer, I should tell you Straightway in such words as follow-"They are but a passing torture, Twice a year they come upon us, For a week before we study, Study as if fiends possessed us, From the first faint streak of daylight Till the moon shines in its splendor, Till the morning star has risen. For four long days exams are written Then depart the students homewards, To their rivers, to their meadows, To St. John and Pictou County, There to celebrate with feasting, And with many mystic dances, With games of skill and games of hazard Till again the far off signal, Waving like a hand that beckons, Calls the Freshettes back to College. Junior Creighton said unto us. "We will walk along together You need never walk behind me-Side by side, we'll walk together, For it is a Junior's duty To show kindness to a Freshette." Happy were we in this knowledge They so high were, yet our allies, Loved us much more than the Sophettes

Since we've found with bliss unequalled. They will lend to us their class-mates Let us have them in our classes, Learning Math and also Latin, Let us dance with them the war dance, Let us skate with them on rink nights, Let us prate to them quite often. Longed we to return such kindness, Let them skate with Archie Lawrence, Introduced McNevin to them, Had them dance with Mr. Mitchell, Let them view our class of reverends, Noted the delight it gave them. Honor be to Senior Emelyn, As a mother, Freshmen love her; Yet she allows things to be printed, Slams upon our worthy president. Why does Emelyn have this happen? Surely she must try to stop it. We would rather see a hard slam Wapped upon our Latin tutor. I must tell you of our tutor, Latin tutor, strong on football, How he tutors us in Latin. When a maiden starts to translate, When she's done about a handful, Suddenly she hears a loud voice Saying to her, fierce and wrathy, "Feet." O how she hops upon them Uses them to keep her upright. Other times this Latin tuttor Says, "Split up there in the front seat." Maidens gasp and look around them, Nor understand the words he utters; But unto the Junior damsel Who with us reads of Aeneas, Naught of wrath does he discover-Football terms doth not deliver, Only smiles at her and whispers-But we know not what he whispers. Second floor of old Dalhousie Hath a room of sacred mem'ry

Where are hung in rows together Hats and coats of Jolly Juniors Also those of Stately Seniors. Closed is this room to Freshettes; Into it they may not venture Only stand outside and beckon. But into the lower waiting-room, Late for class, may stalk a Senior Fling upon the floor a sweater, Followed by a hat with hatpins. Then a coat and pair of rubbers; All these on the floor together, But no Freshette e'er makes murmur, No complaints are heard from Sophettes. Then into the room of waiting Walks the president, MacDougall, Fiercely looks she at the debris, At the pile of Senior clothing. Sayeth "Well" to some poor mortal, "Who is on this week's committee? Can't this room be kept in order? What's the cause of all this thusness?"— But we know her heart is tender; That she loves us like a brother.





Hockey

Since last writing, the hockey situation has taken a decided change and we are now able to hail our team as "Champions of the Eastern Intercollegiate League," having won the last three games played. The following is the final standing of the teams:—

	Won	Lost	Tie
Dalhousie	3	1	0
St. Francis Xavier	2	1	1
N. S. T. C	0	3	1

The return game with St. F. X. was played in the Arena on February 26th and resulted in a win for Dal by the score of 3 to 2. This was the most important and probably the best game of the series, and a fuller account of it appears below. This game practically decided the league as Tech looked easy. This forecast proved to be true, and on March 4th, Dalhousie triumphed over their old rivals by the score of 2 to 0. It was impossible to play good hockey as the ice was practically covered with water and the game almost developed into one of water polo. However, it was enough to clinch the championship.

Mount Allison has won the premier honours in the western intercollegiate league, having defeated Acadia by the score of 6-2, Kings 6-5 and U. N. B. 4-2. Next comes the play off for the Maritime college championship. This is likely to be played quite soon if suitable date and place can be arranged.

St. F. X. 2, Dal 3.

The best amateur game of the year seen at the Arena was played there when St. F. X., the time honored rivals of Dal crossed sticks with Weldon's sextette for their second game of the year. In their game at Antigonish, Dal were beaten 9-5, so that the Tigers were indeed anxious to break even on the series. About five hundred enthusaists were in attendance—a most unusual occurence at an amateur game in the city.

The ice was in perfect condition, thus making it

easy for the team's to play their best.

Due to its being Dal night at the Arena, the game was scheduled for 7 o'clock, so as to enable the skaters to have their two hours glide. Promptly at the appointed hour Corbeau and Dellaire summoned the men to centre for the customary warnings. That being over with, Corbeau dropped the puck to the ice and "My word" how those boys scrambled for it! Fraser recovered the puck and sauntered down in the direction of the enemy's outer works. He took a "feeler" which was meant to test the goaler, but unfortunately hit the boards somewhat to the left of the vest. The Xavier defence recovered and rushed. Sears, on a pass from McNeil, drove a wicked one at Scriven which was negotiated without much effort on Scriven's part.

After ten minutes play, Richmond scored Dal's first goal from a mixup. Two minutes before time, Bill Fraser scored No. 2 in the same manner. St. F.X. opened out a few links and held Dal scoreless for the

remainder of the period.

The second period saw much better hockey than was played in the first. The combination played by both teams was, at times, quite clever. Weldon Fraser got the only score of this period when he beat McIsaac on a tricky shot straight on, after an excellent run the length of the ice. George Campbell made a number of beautiful end to end rushes in this-period that electrified the crowd.

The third period was by far the most interesting of the game. The Saints came strong and in the last few minutes of play nearly took the game out of the fire.

Sears pulled his forward line along at a rapid pace and in a very aggressive manner sought scores. The Xaverian's first score came as a result of one of his strong rushes along the boards when he passed into one of the McNeil brothers who beat Scriven.

After the face, the puck was rushed into St. F. X. territory, but its stay there was not a long one. Chisholm rushed and passed into the forward line. Sears came strong and working in on the vets in approved

style sagged the net behind Scriven.

The score then read: 3-2. The Saints renewed their efforts and came within an ace of scoring on two or three occasions, but the Dal defence seemed to strong for them to pierce. Finally Fraser and Richmond relieved the tension and rushed to McIsaac, who stopped a nice shot from Richmond's stick. The game ended with the puck in Dal territory.

Richmond and Capt. Fraser were the pick of the forwards, although Dwyer and Bill Fraser played well on the wings. George Campbell and Leslie made, with

Scriven, an excellent defence.

After the game, the visitors were entertained at Patrick's by Mgr. Lyons, who proved himself a genial host. Mr. Lyons' thesis of twenty minutes duration on the advantages of athletics in college life was the only one delivered. A pleasant evening was brought to a close by the singing of "God save the King."

Tech 0, Dal 2.

The last game of the Intercollegiate schedule was played at the Arena on March 4th between Tech and Dal. Owing to the number of counter-attractions, the usual fifteen Dal enthusiasts did not turn out to see their favourites annex the undisputed title of "Intercollegiate Champs, 1913-14". However, the three that were there were amply repaid for their presence.

They saw again an exhibition of hockey which in style resembled the product of long vanished ages. The insinuation is not that the faithful ones see more virtue in the old than in the new style of game, or that our players are more efficient in that direction. The elements that combined to make the game so interesting were so foreign to what is seen usually now-a-days that they seemed to work the assembled multitude—the caretaker and timekeepers—into fits of frenzy that would do justice to a Truro-Windsor game in the old amateur days. That is a happy state in which to be: to get rid of surplus enthusiasm is always well, much more so when that is accomplished without the aid of beverages, as was done in this case. So that from all angles, the three onlookers enjoyed themselves.

The ice was dewy in spots and in tracts, lake like. The puck refused to be stick-handled on that night, its locomotion was effected by the air route. He was a brave navigator indeed who ventured to place it in the desired spot by steering it through the shallow lakes and treacherous ledges that beset the path of the mariners. Only two young men attempted to wrest the crown of fame and glory from the honored mantle of Christopher Columbus. These audacious ones. each in his turn was brought to his deserved grief. Mr. Murray, of Tech, reposing great confidence in the title of Capt. conferred upon him, was the first to put to sea, but after a roll to larboard, he was sunk in a few fathoms that awaited him near the boards. Leslie, the Dal cover point, was the other that dared the breakers. His fate was equally ignominious. He sank only to his fifth rib. This is not by any means a reflection on the depth of the water. For the benefit of the anxious and those who are conversant with Biblical literature and know the use that Adam's fifth rib was put to, we wish to state that the fifth rib referred to is not "Rocket".

Henceforward, the contestants were willing to be students of Graham White and sent the disc along the aerial route.

The score then was 2-0. Capt. Fraser got the two scores on long shots from centre. The game was very clean and well handled by Fluck of the Wanderers.

In passing, it might be well to make a reference to the year's work at hockey. The team was developed from practically new material. That they won the league is a compliment to their faithfulness; for it takes a considerable amount of time and work to have a winning team with new material in one short season. Capt. Fraser, Mgr. Lyons and the committee in charge deserve a lot of praise for the interest they took in their work.

Basket Ball

During the last few weeks, hockey has not been the whole centre of interest, for basket ball has been claiming its share. On February 28th, a game was played with the fast U. N. B. team, which resulted in a win for our opponents by the score of 27-22. The style of play of the visiting players was somewhat new to our team, being faster and considerably rougher. A large proportion of the goals scored were penalties, which does not speak well for the nature of the play. The visiting team was composed of McGibbon and Jago, forwards; Alexander, centre; Bender and Laughlin defence; Runden, spare. The Dalhousie team was Marsters and Creighton, forwards; Graham, centre; Cowan (capt.) and James, defence; McDonald and Richmond, spares.

On March 7th a game was played with the strong New Glasgow team, who had defeated Dalhousie in the former town, during the Christmas vacation. This last was a reversal of the previous encounter by the score of 42 to 31. The team arrived in town with the reputation of having defeated Truro on the previous evening by the overwhelming score of 76 to 7. They began well and were leading at the end of the first half, 19-17. However, the whirlwind finish of the Dalhousie team almost parlaysed them with the above mentioned result. A return game with U.N.B. is proposed for the near future in Fredericton.

DALHOUSIE GAZETTE

Curling.

Curling is a form of sport that we do not seem to take much part in at Dalhousie, but this winter we are all interested in the "roarin' game". In the grand bonspiel held here in February, the Twentieth Century Cup, the biggest prize of the lot, was won by a rink skipped by Professor Murray Macneill against all the crack provincial teams. Lately, Professor MacNeills rink has been winning more honors—the Dennis medals having fallen to it also. We congratulate Professor Macneill on his success and trust it will be long continued.

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The time is now drawing near for the Annual Meeting of the above Society. It is desirable that this should be a very large and representative meeting, as matters of great importance affecting the rank and file of the Alumni, are to be discussed. Members from Halifax and the immediate vicinity should make it a point to attend this meeting and dinner, which will be held immediately at its close. At this gathering the Students' Movement for a Union Building on Studley Grounds will be discussed, and the question of greatly enlarging the aim and scope of the Society will be placed before the Alumni, for their approval. A further vote of our support for another year to the Chair of Biology will be carefully considered and voted on by that meeting. An Alumni Governor will be appointed, and, last but not least, the officers for the ensuing year will be elected. Another matter, however, which will require considerable attention at that time and before it, will be the Secretary's report. This needs the attention of all the Alumni now. We should try to make the balance come out as large as possible on the right side, and start to send in our subscriptions as soon as possible. Every little helps, and every \$2.00 subscription will tend to make the yearly report look larger than it has ever done before. Every Alumnus should attend the Annual meeting and dinner if he can but every Alumnus should send in his subscription as soon as possible.

"Alumni loosen your bank rolls and help the Society to get a higher rating at Bradstreets."

ALUMNI NOTES.

In the Calgary "Western Standard" the other day the Gazette noted with gratification a very favorable comment on a lecture given in that city by one of Dalhousie's successful graduates, Rev. Archibald Mac-Rae, Ph. D., founder and principal of Western Canada College. Dr. MacRae was one of the class of '93 at Dalhousie. He then took a post-graduate course under eminent professors in the Universities of Edinburgh, Jena, Leipzig and Paris. At the present time he is one of the leading educationalists of Western Canada, as well as a lecturer and writer of note. Recently MacRae has been in the public eye in Calgary through his advocating sane boosting of western cities.

At a meeting of the Alumni Association Executive held March 2nd, a committee from the students, consisting of Messrs. Gass, Nelson and MacLeod presented a resolution embodying the plan to raise money for a Students' Building at Studley, and asked the support of the Alumni. The meeting heartily endorsed the scheme and promised their aid, and Messrs Pearson and Geo. Henderson were appointed to aid the Student Committee in laying the matter before the Governors.

Born-At Aberdeen, Scotland, February 28th, to

Mr. and Mrs. G. Grassie Archibald, a son.

At Halifax, N. S., to Prof. and Mrs. Murray MacNeill, a daughter, on February 21st.

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The Argosy is up to its usual high standard. From the article "Literature and Life" we glean the following lines:-"The reading of good literature gives us a complete change of atmosphere, greatly broadens our intellectual horizon, enriches the mind, stirs the pulse, quickens the emotions, enlarges the sympathies, kindles noble aspirations, and by so doing adds immeasurably to the enjoyment and meaning of life." There is also a good story of life in a lumber camp, although the credulous cook seems rather unusual.

The Xaverian has a good article on "Pollination". Writings like this on scientific subjects are, strange to say, almost entirely lacking in college monthlies.

The Gateway publishes an interesting account of the reception of Emile Boutroue, as a Member of the French Academy at Mazarin's palace. From one of the addresses we take the statement: -- "Modern thought centres around those ideas which are summed up in the word Life."

We acknowledge with thanks the receipt of the following exchanges: - McGill Daily, Queens Journal, U. N. B. Monthly, Sheaf, Gateway, Argosy, Atheneum, Mitre, The Student and others.

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Sw-n--n, (picking up document in M-c--tt's room)—
"What is this paper?"

M-cn-tt-"Why, that's a deed."

Sw-n--n—"By Heck! that's something I've been wanting to see ever since I began studying law."

T. Lebb—"What are you always grinning about?" "F-ll-r—Oh, I always have to laugh when I see you, You're the biggest joke around here."

Miss K. A-l-n—"I'm going to buy a farm next summer."

Miss M. C-rr---"Well, I don't care whether I get a farm or not, as long as I get the 'Farmer'."

Professor(in Anatomy Class after Harry B---n has fallen from his seat while sleeping)—"The prestige of Great Britton has fallen."

Too bad Stan Fraser did not keep his private car in Europe until after the U. S. C. elections. Selah.

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From a recent Union Meeting speech:

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First Junior (looking up a word in German Dictionary)—"E-b-e-n, what's that?"

Second Junior-" 'Eben,' why that's 'precisely'."

Ask T. Lebb his opinion of G. K. Chesterton.

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Professor of Anatomy—"What is the shape of the kidney?"

C--lt-r-"Kidney-shaped, sir."

At a "Union Meeting" at the City Home recently—Old Lady to A--d (pointing to young co-ed nearby)—"Is this the girl you are going to marry?"

A--d-"Yes, yes, oh, yes."

But a little later when the lady claimed the privileges of a fiancee', the genial Y. M. C. A. Secretary had changed his mind and was greatly alarmed at the prospect.

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