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Men's Doubles Tennis Tournament

GAINER AND HOLSTEIN VICTORS.

Taking advantage of the benevolence of the weather man during the past week the fall Doubles Tennis Tournament has been concluded. A great deal of fine form and brilliant playing was uncovered during the course of the tournament, and, best of all, considerable new talent was discovered. Most of the games were closely contested as the scores show and on the whole the tournament was one of the best held here for years. The winners, Mr. Holstein and Mr. Gainer are to be congratulated but no one was greatly surprised to see Mr. Gainer reach that coveted position. Already our worthy head of the B. C. A. A. has been characterized as a combination of a Tunney, a Strangler Lewis and a Babe Ruth, so why not add a little touch of Bill Tilden?

The following is the schedule of the tournament:—

First Draw:

Maxwell and Westcott vs. Pechet and Eaton.

Winners, Pechet and Eaton, 6-2, 6-8.

Wright and Black vs. Eaton and Perdue.

Winners, G. Eaton & Perdue 7-5, 6-4

Carter and Umphrey vs. Robertson and Brown.

Winners, Robertson and Brown, 6-3, 6-4.

Jolliffe and Buss vs. Bowler and Martin.

Winners, Bowler and Martin, 7-5, 6-1

Riley and Macpherson vs. Gainer and Holstein.

Winners, Gainer & Holstein, 8-6, 6-4

McNeil and Sharpe vs. Hainstock and Thompson.

Winners, McNeil and Sharpe, 6-2, 6-4

Popkin and Bowering vs. Dink and Stewart.

Winners, Dink and Stewart, 10-12, 6-3, default.

Batho and Dutton, bye.

Second Round:—

Pechet and C. Eaton vs. G. Eaton and Perdue.

Winners, Pechet and C. Eaton, 6-2, 6-8.

Robertson and Brown vs. Bowler and Martin.

Winners, Robertson and Brown, 6-4, 6-3.

Gainer and Holstein vs. McNeil and Sharpe.

Winners, Gainer and Holstein, 6-3, 8-6.

Derby and Stewart vs. Batho and Dutton.

Winners, Derby and Stewart, 6-3, 6-3

Semi-finals:—

Pechet and Eaton vs. Robertson and Brown.

Winners, Robertson and Brown, 6-1, 6-2.

Gainer and Holstein vs. Derby and Stewart.

Winners, Gainer and Stewart, 6-1, 6-2

Final:—

Robertson and Brown vs. Gainer and Holstein.

Winners, Gainer and Holstein, 6-3, 7-6.

At the present time a Men's Singles Tournament is in process and arrangements are being made to the end of holding a Mixed Doubles Tournament. Under Mr. Riley's capable coaching of this branch of athletics we find that prospects are good for a splendid year in Tennis.

LEAGUE OF NATIONS CLUB'

The first regular meeting of the Brandon College Group of the International Universities League of Nations Federation will be held in Room L at 7 o'clock on Thursday, October 29th. The Club will be addressed by Mr. Chessex who is admirably well able to give us first hand knowledge of exist-

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FIELD DAY A GREAT SUCCESS.

Record of Men's Events.

Saturday, October 15th, was quite an eventful day in the history of Brandon College Athletics. In fact it was



MAC STEWART.
Winner of First Aggregate.

full of events, the sum total of which composed the program of one of the best field days held here in recent

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FORMAL OPENING OF ACADEMIC DEPARTMENT

Presentation of Arts Scholarships.

The Commencement exercises of the Brandon College Academy took place in the chapel on Tuesday evening, October 25th. At eight o'clock a full audience of the relatives and friends of the graduates, supporters of the college and students were gathered together. The graduating class entered promptly followed by the faculty and the speaker of the evening, Rev. C. H. Best.

The program began with the singing of "O Canada" after which the President, Dr. J. R. Evans, opened the exercises with a brief address. The next item was the presentation of medals and scholarships in Arts I, II, and III. The scholarships in Arts III were awarded as follows: General Proficiency, Doris Dowling, qualified, Stewart Perdue, by reversion; Aikins Scholarship and the Eleanor Beaubier Scholarship in English, Doris Dowling, Political Economy, William Derby. In Arts II only three scholarships were won: General Proficiency, Esther Magoon; English, Esther Magoon, qualified, Hilda Harrison, by reversion; Political Economy, Bruce Carter. The number of prizes awarded in Arts I was more gratifying: General Proficiency, Alfred Grantham; English, Muriel Patmore; Prize for the best original composition, Vera Ulinder; Swedish, Vera Ulinder, qualified, Inga Wickerstrom, by reversion; Hebrew, Thomas Douglas; English Bible, Wilbert A. Stevens. This completed that part of the program devoted to Arts classes.

Mr. Porter greeted those who were present to witness the exercises. He expressed his happiness that such a relatively large percentage of last year's Academy graduates have seen fit to continue their education by registering for Arts work at Brandon College. The scholarships were then awarded to the Academy students by their principal. Mary Shepley had succeeded in capturing the coveted

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THE "QUILL"

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STUDENT GOVERNMENT.

"When eight juniors refused to accept nominations for the presidency of the student council of Oberlin College and only one accepted, the student council called a special meeting of the under-graduates for the purpose of finding out if they still wanted Student Government. The students answered in the affirmative"

The above quotation taken from the "Linfield Review" serves to show what an onerous responsibility the position of president of a Student Council is considered. That it is a most responsible one is certain, but, then, so are many other executive offices and we do not find students shirking leadership in such activities. Why, then, is such odium attached to the duties of the Councillor?

Since Student Government is fundamentally democratic, the president of the Council is supported by a majority of the student body and represents that body as a whole. He is delegated the power to enforce such regulations as are set down in the Constitution and meet unforeseen circumstances as he sees fit. His actions in every instance should meet with the hearty support of the students unless they are contrary to their wishes as a body, in which instance, they should recall him. These are, briefly, his duties. In themselves they provide no reason for the distaste students show for undertaking them, since in all his decisions the president theoretically does not stand alone.

That this does not exist in practice is the greatest difficulty, and one in the face of which the councillor feels himself helpless. It is generally true that after the election, the students "wash their hands" of all responsibility and leave the president to brave his burdens alone. They feel under no obligation to support him in his work nor to impress on law-breakers the justice of his decisions. When the sympathy of the students is expressed in favor of the wrong-doer, or even, when the Council is not commended openly for its works, the burden of Student Government falls directly on the president, and it is little wonder that he feels it too heavy to

be borne. It must be shared by all, or else student government will vanish from all institutions.

There must be some reason for the lack of co-operation displayed by the students than sheer indifference. It would be too great a slur to put on any student body to say that because of lack of interest in its own affairs it allowed self-government to die. The

reason may often be found in this—that Student Government is often Student Government in name only. The Council finds it is not able to enforce its own opinions to any extent, but is hampered and restricted by a too authoritative faculty. In such an instance the students cannot be condemned for not supporting the prevailing policy, for they are under no obligation to co-operate with a body who have usurped authority which they have invested elsewhere. While it is desirable that the Council should always work in harmony with the administration, nevertheless it must be free to work out its own problems and not be simply a device which the faculty use to enforce their opinions and desires. The Student Council is the creation of the students and its prerogative as such must be regarded as sacred by all.

It is only thus that Student Government can ever attain success. To attain this goal the willing co-operation of the student is necessary, and this they will give only when they are assured of the responsibility of the Council to themselves and not to the administration. Let us all work together to make Student Government a success in Brandon College.

We would remind the students once more of the competition which "The Quill" is holding. Original poems may be handed in at any time, preferably a week before the distribution of the paper. The best of these will be chosen for publication. We urge the students to co-operate with the Quill staff in making this plan a success.

EDUCATION ADDRESS

Rev. Best Gives Inspiring Message to the Graduates of the Academic Department.

Once the Apostle Paul wrote a letter to his young friend Timothy in which as one might naturally expect, he gave some very wise counsel, and it is a modern application of that advice that I want to pass on to my young friends tonight. Perhaps in it our elders may find some food for thought and inspiration.

In a concluding part of his letter Paul thus writes to Timothy: "Meditate on these things,—give thyself wholly to them—that thy progress may be known to all. It is a plea on the part of Paul for his young friend for meditation for moral earnestness and self realization and influence. To these three wishes we give our attention.

The first is a plea for reflection, for thought, for meditation. Meditate he says—what a difficult thing to do in these modern times. Meditate, that means to get into the middle of things—that can scarcely be said to be the mental habit of the times.

One trouble is that our minds wander over the broad surface of a multitude of things and find it hard to concentrate on any. We are too often easily satisfied with the opinion of someone else or worse with no opinion at all.

The author of a book wrote in the introduction his gratitude to three friends, naming first a woman who taught him "to think and to care to think." Such a teacher always deserves the first place.

One of our troubles is that there are not enough people who really care to think. A moment's reflection, I think, will bring proof of my contention. Take for illustration the popularity of the cheap magazine, of which millions of copies are sold every month, while those few magazines that deal with current problems of tremendous significance, calling for treatment at length, with historical background and significance, are counted high brow and boresome and have a very small number of readers. Premium is put on something short and snappy.

Think of the preponderance of silly, sentimental stories and their wide circulation as compared with the really good books that deal with fundamental problems. I have heard those, who are in a position to give an opinion say that this century has not so far produced a great author, a poet—if it is true it is easily explained. There is no great demand for one.

I think an accurate reading of the mental habits of the times will inform us that it is not popular to think. Amusement is the popular thing, the word itself is suggestive—meaning something that keeps us from musing. Duresion is prospering as never before. An amusement place in Chicago

advertised "Here you need not think." You can have a really good time. Thinking that suggests is at the opposite pole from having a good time. There seems to be a popular disinclination of many people to seriously think.

Sometimes one wonders in how far our own system of education is responsible for our sloppy thinking. In this I must speak very guardedly in the midst of educators. But really is there not too much spoon feeding and parrot work in our education. Instead of challenging the pupils to active painstaking thought that will develop and strengthen their mental faculties and draw out their native powers do we not too often regard their minds as blanks to be written on and pigeon holes to be filled and indexed with that which we want them to know. There is much to be said on both sides but surely there is a middle course. I think I have had as good teachers as any and was ordinarily successful in my work under them. But I know today that the teachers that really have helped me were those who inspired thoughtfulness and meditation.

And as we think so shall we become strong. Rodin has a heroic sculpture "The Thinker" which stands before the Pantheon. Strange to say its outstanding features are its tremendous limbs and hardened muscles. Rodin was trying to portray that the thinker is the world's strong man and so he is. In spite of all who affect to doubt it, ideas still rule the world, and the thinking, no matter how superficially brilliant, no matter how plausibly successful for the time are always the weak and failing.

What makes the thinker, the true thinker whose ideas are power? Three qualities mainly:—He comprehends clearly the facts of his own times. He conceives the possibilities of the times ahead; He understands the minds of his neighbors, and how to sway them. In a word the efficient thinker is first a correct surveyor, then a competent architect and a capable psychological engineer.

That is what the world needs today. That is what Canada needs today. Men who will think things through—men who can grasp the mighty implications of every problem and proposed solution.

LEAGUE OF NATIONS CLUB.

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ing conditions in Europe. A welcome is extended to all who are desirous of membership, which carries the obligation to attend as regularly as possible and to take part in the preparing of papers as occasion may arise.

OUR LIGHTER HOURS.

Social Events in our Midst.

On Saturday evening after one of the most successful Field Days held at the College, a most successful entertainment was provided by the athletic committee. A short programme was held in the chapel prior to the presentation of ribbons and medals won by the heroes of the day. Gordon Brown gave the opening number, a violin solo.

Then a One Act Play was presented under the direction of Kay Underwood, featuring Jerrie Balmer, Helen Mann, Mr. Jolliffe and Dink Derby. The Brandon College quartette, Joss Thompson, Mr. Jolliffe, Hilmer Nordlund and Mr. C. G. Stone, substituting for Howard Hainstock gave a rousing negro revival song, followed by a touching rendition of Susan Jane.

The company then adjourned to the dining room for excellent "eats" There was a large attendance and the room rang with songs and laughter and wicked jibes. "Ambish" Gainer and Mr. C. Riley were to be seen in the midst fairly beaming with pride over the success of their undertaking while Jerrie Balmer and the rest of the Athletic Committee served a delicious lunch. The "tired but happy" company concluded with "Hail, Our College."



JUNIOR MEN'S TRACK TEAM.
 J. Condell. N. Spearin C. McNeill. M. Stewart R. Lundgren G. Eaton

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scholarship in Grade XI while George Heywood received the second one. The two scholarships in Grade X were won by Hector Foster and Vernon Myers and those in Grade IX by George Hockley and Eva Polson.

The next item on the program was one of great interest to the graduating students for it was not known just which one would participate. It was the presentation of the Governor General's medal. This year, for the first time, the medal was given to a young lady, one who has been pre-eminent in scholastic attainment throughout her course and one who has taken keen interest in all phases of College life. Miss Mary Shepley. Few students in the past can have been such a popular winner as this young lady.

The diplomas were presented by Mr. Richards and Mr. Porter to the following graduates: Mary Armstrong, Ralph Easter, Kenneth King, Gordon Reid, Gordon Tolton, Murray Beer, George Heywood, Alfred Mott, Robert Reid, Gordon White, Margaret Draper, Ida Jackson Leonard Peers, Mary Shepley, Ruby White and Donald Wright.

The Academy addresses were greatly enjoyed by the audience. They were the Class History, by Kenneth King; the Class Prophecy, by Gordon Tolton; the Class Valedictory by Margaret Draper. Each one exemplified excellently the ability of the 1927 Graduating Class of the Academy.

The Sunbeams are always up to something. Last Wednesday afternoon, attired in appropriate costume, the group motored out for a supper cooked with that capability particularly "Sunbeamish." To all appearances the affair was a huge success.

On Monday, October 17th, Douglas community held its annual Fowl Supper. A large group of college students, Arts I and III attended and thoroughly enjoyed the refreshments provided and the program afterward.

On Wednesday last, the call of the great outdoors was responsible for two vacant tables in the dining-room Miss Moffatt's table, joined by a party organized by the Resident Master he took themselves to Sykes' for a picnic supper. The food was smoked and burnt to just the right degree of blackness about the bonfire.

The Fowl Supper at Chater on Wednesday, October 12th, was well patronized by members of Brandon College. Arts II and Arts IV, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Chessex, Miss Bradley and Mr. Jolliffe, were present and a party comprised of the majority of the members of the faculty also attended. A delicious supper was thoroughly enjoyed. The program was excellent and the reading by Andrew Clark and the selection by the College quartette were greatly enjoyed

The last item was the Educational address given by Rev. C. H. Best, of Knox Church. Mr. Best spoke in a manner which was very inspiring to the students and which opened up suggestive lines of thought to the rest of the audience. He gave impression to many original ideas on modern education in keeping with the occasion and the College will count themselves fortunate to hear Mr. Best at some other time.

At the conclusion of the programme a most enjoyable reception was held in Clark Hall for the members of the Board and Faculty, the Academy students and their parents and friends.

meeting on Thursday, October 20th, at 4.30 p.m. Plans for the year's program were discussed.

On Friday, October 21st, Rev. M. L. Orchard, met the Ministerial students at 7 p.m. in Room K.

The question of Sunday supplies was discussed and arrangements were made for students going out to allotted fields.

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FIELD DAY.

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years. The benevolence of Old Sol coupled with the very well organized and interesting list of events was the criterion of that very successful day. Mr. Gainer, the worthy head of the B. C. A. A., deserves great credit for its success and to him we extend the appreciation of the Student Association. Also it must be noted that there has been a decided increase in the enthusiasm towards athletics since Mr. Riley's appointment as physical instructor. Most of the participants showed good form and evidences of faithful training as several took part in almost every event. Each and every event was keenly contested so that the spectators' interest was never allowed to fall.

The B. C. Department of Athletics cannot record their events without a word of tribute and admiration to the splendid performances found in the ladies' events. Their events will be recorded elsewhere in this paper and let it suffice to say that the men of Brandon College are proud of the high standard set this year by the lady athletes of this college.

"Where are the verdant Freshmen gone?" Mac Stewart showed that they sure are safe in the Junior Class by carrying off the honors of the day and winning both the Grand Aggregate and Freshmen's medals. Mac had 29 points to his credit with Cam McNeil close on his trail with 27. Thus Cam qualified for and received the Second Aggregate Medal. Cam also won the coveted 220 yard medal by stepping it off in 26.4 secs. The half mile medal went to Neil Derby with the record time of 1 min. 59 secs. Geo. Eaton topped the field in the pole vault competition by vaulting 8 ft. 4 inches and thus became the proud possessor of the pole vault medal.

Several standard records were broken during the course of events. A fact that goes to show the high calibre of the participants. Mac Stewart smashed the Standard Record of 20ft. in the Running Broad Jump by jumping 20 ft. 1/2 in. Neil Derby made the Half Mile Standard Record look like a snail's pace when he made it in 1 min. 59.2 secs. The Standard Record in this event is 2.05. R Lundgren swept in at the head of the field in the mile run and equalled the Standard Record of 4.50. The three aforementioned athletes are entitled to wear a B as



C. McNEILL
Winner of Second Aggregate.

an emblem of their athletic achievement in B. C.

Perhaps the most interesting event of the day was the Relay Race in which the competition was very keen. However the highly "tooted" Normal team failed to measure up to the advance dope and the result was that the College team won by a safe margin. The composition of the College team was: S. Perdue, Neil Derby, Mac Stewart, C. McNeil

After all the events had been run off and the points for each department added up it was found that the Juniors had carried off the honors of the day with 134 points to their credit. The Seniors came second with a total of 41 points, while the Academy brought up the rear with 4 points.

Thus they won the coveted Sparks Cup which is the trophy emblematic of inter-department championship.

The following are the events in order of sequence accompanied in each case by the individual record.

- 1.—100 Yards Dash.
 - 1.—Campbell MacNeill, 11 secs.
 - 2.—Neil Derby.
 - 3.—Stewart Perdue.
- 2.—Standing Broad Jump.
 - 1.—Mac Stewart, 8 ft. 3 3/4 ins.
 - 2.—Campbell MacNeill, 8 ft. 8 in.
 - 3.—Ewart Bowering, 8 ft. 3 1/2 ins.
- 3.—High Hurdles.
 - 1.—Mac Stewart, 15.4 sec.
 - 2.—Campbell MacNeill, 16 sec.
 - 3.—Neil Derby.
- 4.—Shot Putt.
 - 1.—Stewart Perdue, 31 ft. 1 in.
 - 2.—Campbell MacNeill, 28ft. 4in.
 - 3.—Mac Stewart, 26 ft. 10 1/2 ins.
- 5.—220 Yards Dash.
 - 1.—Campbell MacNeill, 26.4 sec.
 - 2.—Neil Derby.
 - 3.—G. Sweany, Normal School.
- 6.—Running Broad Jump.
 - 1.—Mac Stewart, 20 ft. 1/2 in.
 - 2.—Mac MacFee, 19 ft. 7 1/2 ins
 - 3.—Campbell MacNeill, 17ft., 9ins.
- 7.—Running High Jump.
 - 1—Mac Stewart, 5 ft.
 - 2.— Jack Condell, 4 ft. 7 1/2 ins.
 - 3.—Campbell MacNeill, 4ft. 5 1/2 ins
- 8.—Half Mile Race—Open.
 - 1.—Neil Derby, 1 min. 59 2 secs.
 - 2.—B. Simington, city, 2min, 1.8 s.
 - 3.—E. Cunningham, Collegiate.
- 9.—Hop, Step and Jump.
 - 1.—Mac Stewart, 37 ft. 7 ins.
 - 2.—Campbell MacNeill, 36ft. 7ins.
 - 3.—Wallace Martin, 35 ft., 6 ins.
- 10.—Relay Race—Open.
 - 1.—College—Perdue, Derby, Stewart, MacNeill, 52.4 secs.
 - 2.—Collegiate—G. Ruller, A. Offer, S. Mills, E. Doakes, 60 secc.
 - 3.—Normal School.—E. Armstrong G. Sweany, H. Laycup, H. Topnik.
- 11.—Pole Vault—Open.
 - 1.—G. Eaton, 8 ft. 4 ins.
 - 2.—Mac Stewart, 8 ft. 3 ins.
 - 3.—Norman Spearin, 7 ft. 10 ins.
- 12.—Mile Race.
 - 1.—R. Lundgren, 4 mins., 50 secs.
 - 2.—Neil Derby, 5 mins.
 - 3.—V. Wilson.

JUNIOR EVENTS.

All students 16 and under were qualified to enter into the Junior competition and they did so to such a degree that every event was hotly contested. Alex. Cameron showed his (Continued on Page 6.)

FOOTBALL.

Football got away to a fine start with two keenly contested games Monday, October 17th, between Hash and Senior Arts. Gainer and Dink Derby proved the stalwarts of Senior Arts and it was due to fast work on their part that the lone goal of the game was scored. The teams were:

Senior Arts.—D. Derby, Gainer, Smith, Hainstock, Martin, Schachter, N. Derby, Perdue, Nordlund, Popkin.

Hash:—Jolliffe, G. Eaton, H. Batho, C. Eaton, L. Umphrey, Wilson, Bowering, Brooks, Riley, Cameron.

On Wednesday the 19th, the Senior and Junior Arts clashed to a 0-0 tie. Senior Arts being at a loss without the Sunbeam element. The teams were:

Senior Arts—L. Bowler, Smith, Schachter, N. Derby, T. Brooks, Martin, Hawson, Bowering, Perdue, Popkin.

Junior Arts.—Holstein, Lundgren, G. Eaton, Tolton, McNeill, Stewart, Spearin, Wilkie, Fromme, M. Brooks, Kilgour.

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athletic prowess by winning the most points in the competition. He had 25 points to his credit. The following is the list of Junior events.

- 1.—100 Yards Dash.
 - 1.—Alex. Cameron, 12.1 secs.
 - 2.—R. Jarrett, 12.3 secs.
 - 3.—Chas. Eaton.
- 2.—Running Broad Jump.
 - 1.—Alex. Cameron, 16 ft. 2 ins
 - 2.—Chas Eaton, 14 ft. 5 ins.
- 3.—Standing Broad Jump.
 - 1.—Alex. Cameron, 8 ft. 1¾ ins.
 - 2.—R. Jarrett, 7 ft. 4¾ ins.
 - 3.—Chas. Eaton, 6 ft. 8½ ins.
- 4.—Running High Jump.
 - 1.—Alex. Cameron, 4 ft. 10 ins.
 - 2.—Chas. Eaton, 4 ft. 3 ins.
 - 3.— Cecil Ryder.
- 5.—Hop, Step and Jump.
 - 1.— Chas. Eaton, 31 ft. 9½ ins.
- 6.—Pole Vault.
 - 1.Alex. Cameron, 5 ft. 10 ins.
 - 2 — Cecil Ryder, 5 ft. 9 ins.

Starter

Dr. Evans.

Announcer

Chris Riley.

Referees

Prof. Johns.

Mr Porter

Clerks of the Course:

Mr. Batho.

T. Brooks.

H. Holstein.

Measurers:

Prof. Richards.

Mr Jolliffe.

Mr. Elsey.

Timekeepers:

Mr. E. Scott Eaton

Rev C. G. Stone.

C. Riley.

Last but not least in this survey of field day activities we must mention our hot dog vendors, otherwise known as the Umphrey brothers. They kept the atmosphere circulating with their verbal appeals to the crowd to make themselves happy and with cheerful countenances they turned the hot dogs into cold cash.

Mr Wright (striding into the Practice corridor). "Here, here Hainstock. I'll teach you to make love to Miss Foster

Hainey.—"Wish you would. I'm not making much headway."

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FIRST GATHERING.

"Dumb, we'll say they were dumb, but screamingly funny!" was the verdict of most people concerning the first number on the program last Friday night. This number was given by Walter Waite and Howard Hainstock of Senior Arts. They were followed by a piano duet entitled "Sleighride", rendered in a most pleasing manner by Doris Bingham and Iloe Brandon representing music and Expression

The interlocutor and his coons under the direction of "Snowball", representing the Academy, called forth laugh after laugh in quick succession. Mere words cannot describe the Senior Arts stunt.

The cast of "Nothing but the Truth" are to be congratulated on their presentation of that amazing one-act comedy. The secretary "Mickey" Maltman won the hearts of all the audience as well as of the chauffeur, Tommy Douglas, who later proves to be the real Lord Harding. Kathleen Underwood in her part as the supposed Miss Faulkner filled her role splendidly and made us feel that as mere "Mona Mooney" she and Reggie Brooks would be supremely happy. We were left rather in doubt as to the fate of her patroness, creditably played by Ruth Bingham. Mr. Montmorancy Montmayne, the poet, and his wife, roles portrayed by Mr. McLaughlin and Lois Gainer, must be seen to be fully appreciated. We are anxious to see them soon again. Dunc Wilkie for half an hour became a true Englishman and was very amusing as the impersonator of Lord Harding. George Eaton, the butler, completed the splendid cast.

The final number on the programme was a delightful vocal solo by Dorothy Douglas, a member of the Music and Expression Department. With Miss Henderson presiding at the piano the meeting closed with the singing of "Hail our College."

It was announced at the meeting that a shield would be awarded again this year to the class presenting the best literary programme. It is hoped and expected that there will be keen competition for this shield.

The student body owe a vote of thanks to the Bulgarians who again have come to their assistance. There were busy fingers around Clark Hall last week—and the result—a curtain as good as new. We sincerely thank them for their work.

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NEWS OF OUR ALUMNI.

—'12.—E. H. Clarke, for years the efficient and well beloved General Secretary of the S. C. M. has resigned from that office and has commenced farming in Aurora, Ont. He always declared he would do just that thing at the earliest opportunity. At the recent "Elgin House" Conference Mr. Clarke was presented with a gold watch and \$200 a gift of appreciation from his student friends across Canada. "The Quill" wishes Mr. and Mrs. Clarke the finest kind of success in their new venture.

—'12.—Miss Vera Leech, holder for this year of the scholarship provided by the University Women's Club is spending the year studying in Paris. In a recent letter she tells of having flown from Brussels to Paris. Vera always had a soaring ambition.

—'16.—E. Pound paid a flying visit to our halls this week, having motored from Bowman River in one day. His work as "Sky Pilot" to a very scattered community is being crowned with real success. We were glad to see him if only for such a short time.

—'18.—Walter White who has been pursuing medical studies at Rush Medical University of Chicago has gone to Los Angeles this year to complete his course.

—'18.—Miss S. Gwen Whidden is spending this year in study at Yale and incidentally making a home for her brother Evan '21 at the parsonage.

—'22.—Ross McDonald after a sojourn of two or three years in New York has returned to his native land and has a position in Weyburn, Sask.

—'22 --Florence Kennedy has returned to Hartney, Man., for her fourth year of service as teacher in the Collegiate there.

—'24.—Lillian Edmison left Brandon recently for Vancouver where she will visit for a short time before proceeding to California where she will spend the winter with her mother.

—'25.—Robt. McDorman, familiarly known in Brandon College as "Scat" has returned to Lexington, Virginia, to his work as instructor in Washington-Lee University.

—'27.—Harold Clark has entered upon his course in Medicine at Manitoba University.

One should never go to a comedy on Saturday night.

Why not?
Because he might laugh out in church Sunday morning.

Mr. Chessex.... "Fermez la porte, s'il vous plait, Monsieur Derby."

Bill.—"Huh?"
Mr. Chessex.—"Now the next person that says 'Huh' will be sent out of this class-room."

Chorus of all.—"Huh."

Dr. Dadson.—"When was the revival of learning?"

Hawson.—"The night before exams."

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