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HALLS OF QUEEN'S

DR. ETHERINGTON MAY RESIGN IN THE SPRING.

Queen's Representatives in Debate With 'Varsity—A Local Literary Speaker Says Queen's Graduates Lack Culture.

By Our Queen's Correspondent. Although the medical faculty at Queen's have as yet no intimation with regard to the resignation of Dr. Frederick Etherington, as senior professor of anatomy, it is persistently rumored about college that the professor will quit Queen's at the conclusion of the present session. It is understood that he intends to practice surgery in one of the large American cities. In the event of Dr. Etherington's departure, Queen's would sustain a great loss, and indeed would experience difficulty in finding a man to take his place.

With the retirement of Dixon and McKay, it was thought that there was little possibility of Queen's retaining the intercollegiate heavyweight boxing championship, but the hope of the students has been restored by the recent development of a man who will prove himself a match for anything that puts a foot in the university ring. "Ed" Elliott, the hero of the gridiron, the hope of the hockey team, will be the leviathan to represent Queen's in the coming contest. He is working out daily at the gymnasium and there is not a man at the university that can give him anything that looks like an argument. Occasionally Dixon drops in to give "Ed" a little exercise. The big fellow who tips the scales at 190 odd, is a scientific boxer, swings a sledge hammer blow, and gets around the enclosure with a speed and agility that is nothing short of the phenomenal.

A. D. Matheson and W. C. Clark have been chosen to represent Queen's in the intercollegiate debate at Varsity on the 24th inst. The subject to come under discussion is "Resolved that the evils arising from party government are greater than the benefits." Queen's will present the negative side of the argument.

A local literary leader describes Queen's graduates as lacking in culture and polish. It is indeed a happy misfortune if the product of the Presbyterian college does not parade that pathetic affliction which is perhaps the essential qualification for a so-called aristocrat.

It is doubtful if Smith, who sustained injuries in the T.A.A.C. game, Saturday evening, will be in shape for the contest, Friday night.

The class in senior Latin has assumed such proportions that it has been found necessary to form two divisions.

The junior year dances will take place on the 20th inst., in accordance with the recent ruling of the executive committee of the Alma Mater Society. Extensive preparations are being made, and the event will undoubtedly be one of the most pleasing of college functions.

Prof. W. L. Grant, during his holiday in the maritime provinces, addressed a luncheon of the Canadian Club in the city of St. John, N.B.

The indoor athletic meet at the Queen's gymnasium will, in all probability, be pulled off on the 27th inst. The men are all doing good work and the affair promises to be a huge success.

Queen's and Varsity basketball teams will clash at the university gym on Saturday night. The contest will be a hummer. The Toronto boys are at present making a tour of American cities in the east and will be in the pink of condition. The local students are practising hard, and hope for a victory.

The hockey squad is at present on diet and order to facilitate the practices. Marshall P. Reid has been engaged to serve lunch to the boys in the kitchen of the new arts building every day at 11.45 a.m.

WITH THE CURLERS.

Result of Games Played on Tuesday Night.

The games in the local series at the curling rink, last evening, resulted as follows: 11 to 10, Searle defeated Skip R. J. McNeil by 12 to 9. Two rinks of the Kingston curlers will go to Brockville on Thursday to play in the Central Ontario league series.

Paschal Lecture.

On Monday evening, Rev. H. Chapman, Toronto, delivered a lecture in St. James' Sunday school room, on the Paschal Supper in the Jewish home. The lecture was intensely interesting and instructive, and received a large attendance. Mr. Chapman is a converted Jew, and has been engaged in missionary work for twenty-five years, ten of which have been spent in the city of Toronto under Anglican auspices.

Was Further Remanded.

It has not yet been definitely decided whether the lad found guilty of theft will be given the terms in the reformatory. He has been remanded to jail until the 17th inst., until his case is further enquired into.

Board of Education.

There was a meeting of the management committee of the school board, last night, when some routine matters were disposed of. The board will meet on Thursday evening.

Auction Sale.

Of hats, caps and furs every evening. Thomas Mills & Co., Wellington street.

"Buy Hanyadi Water," at Gibson's.

INCIDENTS OF THE DAY.

Newsy Paragraphs Picked Up by Reporters on Their Rounds.

"Phone 230" drug wants, Gibson's. C. DeCarteret went up to Belleville to-day.

Prof. John Waddell is confined to his house, slightly ill.

Imperial Brand underwear makes a splendid Christmas present.

Arthur Jackson, Morven, is attending the Dairy School, here.

"Buy Cod Liver Oil Compound," at Gibson's Red Cross Drug Store.

William Swains, piano tuner. Orders received at McAuley's. Phone 778.

Ald. J. S. R. McCann went to Toronto, last night, to spend a few days.

"Phone 230" drug wants, Gibson's.

H. S. Folger went to New York, on Monday afternoon, on a business trip.

Miss Emma Paynter, who has been secondarily ill in New York, is slowly recovering.

"Buy Hanyadi Water," at Gibson's.

H. Cunningham, piano tuner, 21 King street. Leave orders at McAuley's bookstore.

J. B. Cooke, is in Toronto attending the annual meeting of the Imperial Life Insurance company.

Imperial Brand underwear can be bought from all the leading gent's furnishing and dry goods stores.

"Phone 230" Gibson's, for drug wants.

Michael McGuirk, driver for James Swift and company, is confined to his home with a heavy cold.

"Buy all drug store wants," at Gibson's.

Residents of Wolfe Island are erecting a temporary bridge at Swift's wharf from the ice to the wharf.

Imperial Brand underwear can be bought from all the leading gent's furnishing and dry goods stores.

Prof. J. L. Morrison, of Queen's University, will address the members of the Ottawa teachers-association on the 20th.

"Take Cod Liver Oil Emulsion in winter." Fresh at Gibson's Red Cross Drug Store.

Messrs. W. H. Reid, Kingston, and James Daly, Kingston, will exhibit poultry at the big show to be held in Ottawa this month.

Your name nicely printed on your purse in gold or on any kind of leather goods at the Whig Office book bindery.

Mrs. Ganaby, a former teacher at the Portsmouth public school, has taken over the duties of senior teacher there.

"Buy Apenta Water," at Gibson's.

The members of Imperial Brand underwear pay out \$70,000 yearly in wages, which go back into the hands of the Kingston merchants.

Mrs. E. S. Elliott and young son, who have been visiting the Misses Elliott, Division street, returned home to Montreal yesterday afternoon.

Miss Malvena Frasso, of Montreal, arrived in the city at noon, to-day, to attend the wedding of her brother, Martin Frasso, to Miss Malson.

Carters are going to get after a local man who carried without a license yesterday afternoon. He drew the effects of a man who was moving from one shop to another.

Roads are very bad in the country, after drifting so badly yesterday. The snow is very deep and when a horse steps off the road it goes down nearly the whole length of its legs.

Mrs. W. T. Miller, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Macdonald, University avenue, for the past two months, has left for her home in Vancouver, B.C.

"Buy Chamois Vests," at Gibson's.

Miss Margaret M. McConnell, daughter of Alexander McConnell, who has been spending her vacation at home, returned to Toronto, on Monday, to resume her studies at Loretto Abbey.

"The strong Camphorated Oil," is sold at Gibson's Red Cross Drug Store.

The members of the Skating Club held a most enjoyable gathering, on Monday night. The meeting was adjourned from Saturday night owing to the fact that there was a hockey game on.

"Buy Apenta Water," at Gibson's.

There will be a dance at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Frasso, Montreal street, this evening, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Frasso, who were wedded this morning. T. J. O'Connor will provide music.

Every garment of Imperial underwear is guaranteed by the makers.

Rev. Dr. Henderson, of Dominion Methodist church, Ottawa, will preach at both services in Queen street church next Sunday. Dr. Henderson is recognized as the ablest preacher in Canadian Methodism.

"Phone 230" drug wants, Gibson's.

W. C. Deeks has returned to Parry Sound, after spending a couple of weeks with his parents, on Johnson street. Mr. Deeks is connected with the Canadian Northern's store department at Parry Sound.

GONE INTO MERGER.

A Report Concerning Ontario Powder Company.

A report current in the city to-day, is to the effect that the Ontario Powder Company has gone into a merger, with the head office at Montreal.

C. A. Macpherson was interviewed in regard to the report, but stated that he had no statement to make regarding the matter. He would neither confirm or deny the report.

It has been rumored for some time, that the company was going into a merger.

A Trust Company in Trouble.

Montreal Gazette. Trust company, of New York, which was in trouble during the semi-crisis three years ago, has had to close its doors. It has \$1,200,000 of capital and about \$8,900,000 of deposits. The cause seems to be akin to that which recently led to the closing of the Farmers' bank of Canada and which has driven many another financial institution to the wall. The managers put the money entrusted to them where they could not get it back when the owners wanted it. Of the several ways of wrecking a bank this is one of the oldest and is almost as effective as any that have been devised.

A dynamo, perfect in every detail, but weighing only a quarter of an ounce has been made by a French electrician.

One of the best rules of life is not to think about yourself nor talk about the weather.

AWAIT FIGURES

WILL THEN CALL FOR ANOTHER CONVENTION.

Ald. Elliott at Work on Negotiations for Cheap Power for Eastern Ontario Municipalities—Committees Called to Meet.

Immediately upon being re-appointed chairman of the light, heat and power committee, Ald. Elliott got into communication with Hon. Adam Beck, the power commissioner, and the secretary of the Union of Municipalities, in Eastern Ontario, in regard to the negotiations which were set on foot a short time ago, to secure cheap power for Kingston, and other municipalities, in Eastern Ontario.

In his letter to Hon. Adam Beck, Ald. Elliott urged that the union be set on foot a short time ago, to secure cheap power for Kingston, and other municipalities, in Eastern Ontario. In his letter to Hon. Adam Beck, Ald. Elliott urged that the union be set on foot a short time ago, to secure cheap power for Kingston, and other municipalities, in Eastern Ontario.

In his letter to the secretary of the union, Ald. Elliott asked how many municipalities have expressed a willingness to join the union for cheap power.

Held a Conference.

Last night there was a conference of the civic finance committee, the industries committee, and representatives of the Ontario Exploration Syndicate, which controls the Wilbur iron mines. As stated before the syndicate is asking the city to sell it the balance of the smelter site and the span in the harbor dredged, and the span in the Cataragui bridge widened. On condition that these requests are carried out the company is prepared to go ahead with the construction of a large dock for the shipping of ore.

While several matters of importance were talked over there was no settlement in the matter. The mayor was instructed to look up some information regarding certain rights and privileges, and another meeting will be held on Friday night. The dominion government will be approached regarding the dredging to be done.

Civic Committees Called.

The members of the light, heat and power committee will meet this afternoon to organize the season's work. A joint meeting of the board of health and the water works committee has been called for Tuesday afternoon to discuss an important matter regarding the water works system. It will be a private session.

Carpenters Elect Officers.

There was a well-attended meeting, last night, of the carpenters' union, when the following officers were elected: President, John Watts; vice-president, D. Pelow; recording secretary, W. Hubble; financial secretary, W. Birmingham; treasurer, G. Turcotte; warden, W. Davey; conductor, L. Boswell.

Takes Major Panet's Place.

Maj. D. I. V. Eaton will take command of "A" Battery, R.C.H.A., in place of Maj. H. A. Panet, who goes to England to be attached to a Royal Horse Battery at Aldershot for a course. Capt. E. Panet, of the R.C.H.A., will go to the staff college in England.

A Liberal Club.

A movement is on foot to secure the rooms now occupied by the Board of Trade for a liberal club, reading, smoking, meeting and game rooms to be attached. The Board of Trade moves out June 1st.

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Your druggist will refund money if Pazo Ointment fails to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days. 50c.

Board of Trade.

There will be a meeting of the board of trade, to-night. Before the business session, Prof. Skelton, of Queen's, will deliver an address on "Immigration."

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Fine assortment of latest music and music follows. Lowest prices. Kingston News Co., opposite Y.M.C.A.

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NEW YEAR'S GIFTS FOR BOYS AND GIRLS.

Chums, \$1.75. Now \$1.25. Boys' Own, \$1.25. Now 80c. Girls' Own, \$1.25. Now 80c. Herbert Strang Annual, \$1.25. Now 80c. Yama Yama Land, \$1.25. Now 80c.

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THE SUBSCRIBERS HELD THEIR ANNUAL MEETING.

Dr. A. E. Ross Was Elected as the President—The Other Officers Elected—Now Installed in Their New Quarters—The Treasurer's Report.

The annual meeting of the subscribers of the Kingston Public Library, was held in the new rooms, at the corner of Bagot and Johnson streets, Monday afternoon, at 4.15 o'clock. The meeting was well attended. These officers were elected: President, Dr. Ross; vice-president, Col. Duff; treasurer, James Redden; secretary, Dr. Legbel McConville.

The board of management will be composed of the above officers, with James Craig, T. McKeon, Rob. erson, A. Strachan, James Farrell, Donald McIntyre, N. C. Polson, Mrs. E. Beckwith and the Misses A. Davidson, M. Crawford and M. Davis. Auditors, Bernard Browne and E. L. Fortt; trustees, Dr. Sparks, Dr. Chown and R. McFaul.

The treasurer reported that the finances of the library, despite the change in the location, and the cataloguing of the books, etc., was about equal to last year. The directors have worked very hard during the past year, and look to the people of Kingston for their aid in building up a library of which Kingston, as an educational centre, will be proud.

The new building is an ideal one for a library; the room is large, well ventilated, well lighted, and the library contains all the latest books and magazines. The books are catalogued in the latest system recommended by the educational department of Ontario, namely Dewey-decimal system. The system is such that a subscriber can reach any book in the library in a few minutes. There will be installed a travelling library of scientific books, containing the latest work and references to local industries.

A tea will be given in the near future, to which the friends of the library will be invited, and at which, the directors are making arrangements for the inspector of libraries to give an address, which will be interesting to all lovers of books.

DEATH OF MRS. FOLLEST

Deceased Was a Resident of City Forty-five Years.

A resident of the city for forty-five years, and one who was held in very high esteem by a large circle of friends, passed away at two o'clock on Tuesday morning, in the person of Mrs. William Follestone, who died at her home at 170 Nelson street, at the age of sixty-four years.

Deceased had been in poor health for some time. Her husband died a year ago, and since that time she suffered a severe breakdown. Deceased was of a lovable character, a true and kind woman. She was born in Quebec, and had lived here close on to half a century, all of the time being spent in Williamsville. She is survived by eight children: Albert and Chester, of Western Canada; Mrs. W. J. Moxley, of Coscob, Connecticut; Mrs. W. Marsh, Mrs. J. Peters, Mrs. H. Loke, Mrs. H. Bryant, Kingston, and Miss Maud at home. Two sisters also survive, Mrs. Thorogood, and Mrs. Melville, of Toronto. Twenty-six grandchildren and two great-grandchildren also survive.

The funeral will take place on Thursday afternoon. Rev. B. Laing will have charge of the service.

Shamrock II's Fatal Beauty.

Poor Shamrock II! He ate deep of the fine grass of Iowa, grew fat and sleek on mixed foods and had his back scrubbed every day for ten short months. Life was a good thing to Shamrock II. Each day he grew sounder, happier, and then one day the Iowa State Agriculture College shipped Shamrock II to Chicago. There Richard A. Garden, of County Tipperary, Ireland, said to be one of the finest judges of cattle in the country, saw the young steer and sealed his fate when he directed that he be given the blue ribbon. Shamrock II was killed, his 1,100 pounds of meat being pronounced as the best in the country. This is the third time that Iowa has won the first prize for raising the finest cattle—Exchange.

The Push Man Train.

One of the quaintest sights in Japan is the "push man train," a little railway which runs for minutes miles among the mountains between Arami and Odawara, taking four hours to complete the journey. Each car is hauled and pushed up hill by coolies and then allowed to run down the next incline by its own momentum, the coolies jumping on behind. When skidding ceases and rounding sharp curves this becomes somewhat exciting, the sensation is rather "as being in a runaway switchback car."

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