

In the completion of this, the final issue of Red and White for 1930-31, we realize that our duties in connection with the magazine are at an end for the year. This should, perhaps, be a source of satisfaction, especially if we feel that said duties have been well discharged. If, however, we have a lingering suspicion that our humble efforts to be helpful have had the opposite effect and have incurred resentment it is expedient that we endeavour to "remedy the abuse," and this we now do. We therefore assure those who may not have taken kindly to our criticisms that they were given with the very best of intentions and beg that they be accepted in the same spirit.

We wish to express our gratitude to our contemporaries for their splendid co-operation in contributing to our exchange desk, and for whatever suggestions we may have received from them for the improvement of *Red and White*. Also, we hope that our relations with all of our present exchanges will be renewed at the beginning of the succeeding scholastic year.

THE ARGOSY WEEKLY

Our most regular visitor is the Argosy Weekly, of Mt. Allison University, Sackville. This paper maintains the high standard set by the issues of previous years, and contains much that merits our approval.

Of course, as is proper in such a publication, intramural proceedings are given first place, and right well are they handled. This is not so at the expense of a literary section, however, for we find some splendid essays and clever stories, e.g. "A case for Mental Telepathy." In the April number "My Ship" has a lilt and beauty worthy of a Roberts. Evidently the humor is mainly intended for those "in the know," hence most of the effect is wasted on outsiders.

THE MARYWOOD VOICE

Sacred Heart College, Michigan, is the home of the Marywood Voice, another of our new visitors.

The salient feature of the magazine is, I think, the poetry, for in this respect the young ladies of Sacred Heart College seem to excel, which fact is demonstrated

by such poems as "Trust" and several others. The essays also captured our fancy, and "Our Sketch Book" contains some clever paragraphs, which make up in part for the exclusion of humor. We liked the idea of putting the section dealing with school affairs at the last, but why not add an exchange column so that you may tell others what you think of them?

THE FORDHAM MONTHLY

In the Fordham Monthly we find a well-proportioned program of which the stories pleased us most, especially "The Girl in the Glass Cage," an unusual tale. "Some Romers Met" is interesting too, but we are at a loss whether to call it an essay, an article or a story. Of the several poems "Leaves That Fall" was our choice, being, in our opinion, far superior to the others in thought and expression. The sections devoted to reviewal of books and current plays are also interesting and well worth reading, but "Antidote" does not, we feel, give adequate expression to the humor of Fordham.

As a whole the *Fordham Monthly* is an excellent production of which its creators may well be proud.

THE QUARTERLY

A superior type of magazine is the *Quarterly* of the College of New Rochelle, New York. Each issue received supplies an exceptionally interesting array of stories, poems, essays and articles.

The stories especially are of a very high order, and convince us that New Rochelle possesses an enviable lot of story writers. The poerty is good and some of it beautiful, but a great deal of it impressed us as being extravagantly fanciful, which may or may not be a fault. The section entitled "Book Talk" is a splendid departure which more of us would do well to follow. We notice, however, that humor is religiously excluded from the Quarterly, owing perhaps to the fact that the aim of the editors is to produce a purely literary magazine.

ST. JOSEPH LILIES

To the young ladies of St. Joseph's College we extend sincere congratulations on the success they have achieved in St. Joseph Lilies.

Of a strictly literary type, this magazine presents much interesting matter to the reader. A certain amount, being contributed by persons other than students, is, of course, not subject to our criticism, but the students' contributions are worthy of unstinted praise. The poem "Treasures" is a splendid type, which, in its expression and depth of thought, is a fitting supplement for the article which precedes it. "Swallow of the Sun" is well written with a hint of pathos which makes it charming, and "Romanticism" portrays the work of a keen student of literature. An admirable publication!

THE ORACLE

The Oracle, of Fort William Collegiate Institute, together with its supplement, the Snapshot, offers an inviting program, and represents what must be a vast amount of work on the part of their producers. The Year Book contains an exhaustive review of the various classes, as well as a large section of sparkling humor. The literary section, however, is not neglected, and here our choice is "The Fiddler of Paris." The splendid array of photographs and cartoons is a distinct addition to the publication.

The Snapshot, a new venture, it seems, devotes itself almost entirely to intra-mural activities, with the exception of a short literary section and a humor column, which is especially good. "Exchanges" also is well handled in both books.

THE CADET

This little periodical, published by the students of La Salle Institute, Troy, N. Y., is a bright and concise publication, taken up almost entirely with home affairs. We realize, of course, that the aim of the editors is to produce a magazine for the students, and in this they have succeeded admirably. We believe, however, that the Cadet would be improved by the addition of more material of a literary nature, e.g., stories, essays or poetry. Homer is well treated, and "Books and Bookmen" contains some interesting remarks on modern books and writers.

THE SPUR

One of our new exchanges is the attractively bound *Spur*, of Mission Church High School, Roxbury, and we can truly say that it reflects great credit on its producers.

Our notice was especially attracted by the abundance of short stories which the *Spur* contains; stories which would do credit to the students of any university. "Paying the Price" and "The Three Musketeers" appealed to us most. Of the poetry, "Happiness" seemed superior, the remainder being slightly insipid, with the exception of the humorous verses which are good. Something we like in the *Spur* is the fact that it deletes school news as much as possible thus being a more interesting production. We are pleased to add the *Spur* to our exchange list.

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The Brunswickan, University of New Brunswick, Fredericton, N. B.

The Burr, West Philadelphia Catholic H. S., Philadelphia, Penn.

The Cadet, La Salle Institute, Troy, N. Y.

The Campion, Campion College, Regina, Sask.

The Canisius Monthly, Canisius College, Buffalo, N.Y.

The China, St. Francis Xavier Seminary, Scarboro Bluffs, Ont.

The College Times, P. W. C., Charlottetown, P.E.I.

The Collegian, St. Mary's College, Halifax, N. S.

The Dalhousie Gazette, Dalhousie University, Halifax, N. S.

The Eikon, 141 McCaul St. Toronto 2, Ont.

The Epsilog, Box 138, Blacksburg, Va., U. S. A.

The Fordham Monthly, Fordham University, New York City, N. Y.

The King's College Record, King's College, Halifax, N. S.

The Labarum, Clarke College, Dubuque, Oowa.

The Marywood Voice, Marywood College, Grand Rapids, Mich.

The Marksman, La Salle Military Academy, Oakdale, Long Island, N. Y.

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Our Missions, St. Mary's Mission House, Techny, Ill.

The Paulinian, St. Paul's College, Winnipeg, Man.

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As the sword of the best tempered metal is most flexible, so the truly generous are most pliant and courteous in their behavior to their inferiros—Fuller.