

Exchanges



In all our Canadian exchanges mention is made of those who have answered the call of the Mother country and are now in that battle line that stretches from Dover Strait to the Gallipoli peninsula. We find too that all our Universities have taken on Military training as a part of their course. This shows that the educational institutions of Canada are doing their part, are contributing, and will still continue to contribute men, who are a credit to those Institutions and an honor to the Dominion of Canada.

There was a time when the College man was looked upon as one who would not soil his hands or clothes no matter what the cost. That time has now quite disappeared and today he is regarded as one of the most valuable assets to be found in any branch of the army service, whether he be commanding a company or digging a trench.

The October Number of Mount St. Charles *Scholastic* contains, besides a fund of poetry and College Notes, two very fine articles:—"College Spirit" and "Work." Both tend to bring back to the student the prime object of his being at College. A boy is sent to college not to spend his time in Athletics alone, but to receive an education, and this is acquired only by constant study and general hard work, not by studying or cramming for one or two weeks before an examination. Athletics up to a certain point are very helpful, and make for a union of college spirit, but the student must always keep in mind the sacrifices that are being made in order that he, the favored one, may receive a college education.

The Autumn number of St. Thomas *Purple and Grey*, is one of the finest college magazines we have seen in years, being replete with literary articles and excellent poetry. Besides this magazine, we have also before us a copy of the *Alumni Bulletin* of the same College. This Bulletin is published by the Graduates of St Thomas College in order to boost their Alma Mater, and will do much to keep the Alumni of that institution in touch with one another.

The October Number of the *University Monthly* is up to the standard maintained in former years, and although it contains very little poetry, yet several articles of a literary character and an abundance of College Notes make up the deficiency. We always look forward to the exchanges from our sister colleges of the Maritime provinces and this is especially true in regard to the *University Monthly*.

We beg to acknowledge the receipt of the following exchanges :—*McGill Daily*, *L'Action Catholique*, *U. N. B. Monthly*, *King's College Record*, *Mt. Allison Argosy*, *the Acadian Athenaeum*, *St. Thomas Purple and Grey*, *Mt. St. Charles Scholastic*.

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