

At the close of the session of the McGill Normal School, in July, the following diplomas were granted by the Hon. the Superintendent of Education:—

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The Silver Medal presented by Your Excellency to the Normal School was awarded to the student taking the highest place in the Classical and Mathematical subjects, and passing creditably in the other subjects of study.

In the school examinations of May last, thirty-one candidates were successful; of whom twenty-four passed as Associates in Arts, and seven for the Junior Certificate. Eleven of the successful candidates were young women, and the candidates were sent up from six schools, three of them in the city of Montreal.

One candidate passed in the higher examinations for women, and was the first to receive the diploma of Senior Associate in Arts.

Nine Scholarships and Exhibitions, of the value of \$100 to \$125, were awarded in the examinations held in September last. Six were the gift of W. C. McDonald, Esq., one of Mrs. Redpath of Terrace Bank, one of Charles Alexander, Esq., one of the Board of Governors, and one of the Principal.

The Scott Exhibition, the gift of the Caledonian Society of Montreal, and a special prize, given by the Dean, were awarded in the Faculty of Applied Science.

In the past session we have had to lament the removal by death of three members of the Board of Governors of the University. The Honourable Luther Holton had been a member of the Board of Governors only for a few years, and those other public duties in the discharge of which he earned so high a reputation, did not permit him to devote much time to educational affairs, but he was a wise and helpful friend whose absence will be felt. Andrew Robertson, Esq., M.A., Q.C., was one of the original Governors of the University under the new charter, and for nearly thirty years was regularly present at its meetings, and was always ready to attend to its business and to give his kindly aid and encouragement in any case of difficulty. The Honourable Christopher