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Editorials.

ADIEU !

Another scholastic year is ended, and with it terminate the duties of the present board of Editors of this journal. We have discharged our duties to the best of our ability under the circumstances; and, though conscious of many defects in the GAZETTE and in its management, we yet hope that we have done something towards placing the paper in a position of influence. Events, for the past three or four years, have proved that its influence is even now considerable; we wish for those who shall succeed us much pleasure in their work, and satisfaction when it is done.

RESULT OF THE ELECTION.

The contest for Representative Fellow in the faculty of law has resulted, as we anticipated, in the return of Prof. Hutchinson. The newly-elected Representative polled more than two-thirds of the votes cast. The GAZETTE congratulates the graduates upon the wise choice they have made in this matter.

1886-7.

The year 1886-7 has been a successful, and, in some respects, an eventful one at McGill. All the classes have been large, and notwithstanding the grumbling of the most impatient of our friends, there are evidences of vigor and new life, which bode well for the future.

There is little doubt but that the influence of Mc-Gill is extending with wonderful speed. As she is becoming possessed of the means, so she is taking upon herself new burdens, and, as it appears, is determined that no enquirer after knowledge in any of the thousand forms in which the need of it presents itself in this new country, shall seek her assistance and guidance in vain. McGill is keeping abreast with that spirit of enterprise, which is pre-eminently the characteristic of our people, and is, we believe, doing more than any other institution in the Dominion towards uniting the people of the different provinces in a common pride in Canada as a whole.

The deserved high estimation in which her medical school is hold all over the continent, draws students from all the Provinces, and gives her the opportunity of exerting her influence over the whole country. And now, since the munificent donation of Sir George Stephen and Sir Donald Smith will place hospital accommodation in this city, unsurpassed on the continent, McGill bids fair to become the most noted medical school in North America.

We regret that we are unable to chronicle any great improvement in the Faculty of Law, unless it