

bathers do their own washing, but no charge is made for the use of the laundry. At the Boston baths a charge is made, a cent for a towel and a cent for soap. It will be remembered that a little while ago, Dr. Sheard, M.H.O., recommended to the Board of Education of Toronto the establishment of baths in some of the city schools, but no reply was sent to his letter. When an increased supply of water for general and fire purposes is considered by the Toronto Council, we hope that an item for a public bath will also be added to the estimates. Toronto has great facilities for a pure and abundant water supply, so that public bath would not be expensive. Baths are needed in cold weather as well as during hot weather, and a free use of the bath would add very much to the health, bodily comfort and cheerfulness of the citizens.

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University Senate Elections.—The usual elections for membership in the University Senate take place within a day or two now, and the results, so far, at least, as the four representatives in Medicine are concerned, are looked forward to with interest. Those whose names have been mentioned up till the date of going to press, who are desirous of representing the graduates in Medicine, are Dr. Adam Wright, Mr. Irving H. Cameron, Dr. W. H. B. Aikins, Dr. J. M. MacCallum, Dr. J. A. Temple and Dr. G. A. Bingham, the two latter to represent the Trinity element. Dr. J. A. Temple and Dr. G. A. Bingham have never run before for Senatorial honors, and, we understand, have been pressed into the fight by their friends. Though "comparisons are odious," yet, in looking into this subject recently, we find that there should be little difficulty in the matter of choosing the men most worthy of the honor of holding a seat in Toronto University Senate. In order to fulfil the duties properly, every occupant of the position must be prepared to give up a certain amount of his time to the work, and those who in the past have been delinquent in this respect cannot expect any support, and should be left "at home" when it comes to the signing of the ballot paper. We find from a report issued by Mr. James Brebner, Registrar of the University, that during the last term there were in all forty-eight meetings of the Senate. Of these, Prof. Cameron has attended twenty-nine; Dr. A. H. Wright, six; Dr. W. H. B. Aikins, seven, and Dr. J. M. MacCallum but three. Dr. Mac-