

THE UNDERGRADUATES.

Rev. Dr. Burns then presented the prizes in the undergraduate class as follows: Best crayon work, Miss Lillian Meakins and Miss Alice Gould (equal); best still life from round, Miss May Stoneman and Miss Jessie Russel (equal), and best copy, Miss J. F. McLaughlin.

The chairman then announced the results of the competitions in the Alumnae work as follows: Best essay by a graduate, Miss Nettie Burkholder; best examination on Alumnae course, Miss Emily Coulter; best essay for literary society, Miss Lenah A. W. Sutcliffe.

Mayor McLellan was then introduced, and referred to the Wesleyan Ladies' College as being a great power for the advancement of the educational interests of young women throughout Canada. Some of the pupils were from points as far east as Nova Scotia, and as far west as Calgary. N. W. T., being also scattered in large numbers throughout the Province. He referred in very complimentary terms to the success of Guelph's representative, Miss Shaw, and thought her success was a splendid evidence of the success of the curriculum. He also complimented Miss Hobbs on the excellence of her work. (Applause)

In bringing the exercises of the evening and of the term to a close, the President, Dr. Burns, indulged in a short retrospect of the history of the College and the names of Jackson, Moore and others who will always be remembered in connection with the institution. He treated with contempt the idea which he had heard expressed that the College was similar to a private school in its acquirements. He thought that a careful inspection and comparison of the examination papers of the late term would show that in order to secure the degree of M. E. I. the girl graduates had had to go through an examination even more difficult than that necessary for a B. A. degree at any of the Canadian colleges. He referred briefly to the many benefits to be derived in the home life from the study of music and art as taught in the College, and thought none should stop short of getting as near perfection as possible. In regard to the rumor that the College was going to be removed from its present quarters, he thought it might be, providing some one else wanted it very bad and could also suggest another suitable location. He stated that the musical directorate would be in capable hands during the next term notwithstanding Mr. Clarence Lucas' intention of removing to Utica, N. Y.

The audience was then dismissed with the

benediction by Father Coleman, and the class of '90 became a thing of the past.

+ Societies. +

THE Senior Literary Society held its Open Meeting on Saturday evening, May 31st. The parlors prettily decorated were well filled by the students and their friends from the city. The President, Miss Carry Keagey, occupied the chair and opened the performance of the evening with a few appropriate remarks.

The programme consisted of a number of choice selections from the students, the reading of the Class Criticism and Prophecy. Speeches from representatives of the Alumnae, Dr. Burns and Professor McLaughlin, closed the evening.

CRITICISM.

“THOUGHTS, such as they are, come crowding in so fast upon me that my only difficulty is to choose or reject.”

Another year of school life has passed, with its conflicts and successes, its troubles and joys, its longings and attainments, what has the future in store? Time will tell whether for the past year life will be brighter or sadder, successful or regretful. Does the declining sun of this Senior year leave a track of glory on the horizon behind which lies the future, as a harbinger of brighter days to come, of grander things to be accomplished? Has the work of the year been an impetus to greater achievements? Let us trust that as the years pass, memory may bring us back to a year that may ever stand out as the brightest in the history of school life, because of the friendship formed, the courage gained and the victories won.

The Senior Class this year is unusually small, consisting of only two members, but not on that account has it been less interesting, nor has the work been less faithfully accomplished. You are bidding farewell to the last year of your school life, and may we hope that it is just a