

should be occupied by others. Why may not your sons be mayors, doctors, lawyers and judges? See to it that your son is mayor of Toronto, president of a bank or Judge of Queen's Bench. He may not be Governor-General, but he may be Lieutenant-Governor. Give him the education he needs to fit him for such a position. Your daughters, to be fitted for their high mission in life, must be sent from the family circle. Where can their minds be better cultivated—their physical and spiritual health better cared for and their womanhood better developed, than at the Canadian Literary Institute?

"Finally, brethren, let me urge upon you the imperative duty of supporting freely, large-heartedly, this beloved school. The lack of means cripples the energies of the best enterprise. We cannot now stand still, for that would be to retrograde. We must put our shoulder to the wheel, and help to move onward and upward the chariot of civilization. We must enlarge and multiply those streams of knowledge, clear and sweet, for which scores of thirsty minds come annually up hither. The Baptists of Ontario are able to place \$250,000 upon the altar of this college."

The above is but a synopsis of the very able address of the rev. gentleman, who must be heard to be appreciated.

At the close, the Hon. Wm. McMaster moved a resolution, seconded by Wm. Craig, Esq., that the Institute merits and shall receive the hearty and united support of the Baptists of Ontario.

Over \$1,000 was raised in a few minutes before the meeting closed. Every way considered, the meeting was a decided success.

Local Items.

The "eyesores" complained of in our last have been removed, and we have now a creditable rostrum whereon our spouting talent can exercise itself, and also a neat reading desk of the most approved style of architecture.

The Base Ball season with us was short and lively, lasting about six weeks. The sport was excellent, and some good matches were played.

The appearance of the Institute is much improved by the alterations. The ladies' new building only wants a similar opposite to make everything complete.

RE-UNION DAY will ever remain a green spot in the memory of those who enjoyed all its good things—Holiday—Kind Words—Collation—Eloquent Address—No Study Hours. When shall we have such another treat? We were glad to meet and greet many old students and friends from abroad.

The Rev. Mr. Cameron, of New York, visited us at the same time, but did not give any address.