

may never bring dishonour upon our profession or University.

The present event recalls a scene pictured in one of Tennyson's idylls, and which we cannot refrain from quoting. King Arthur is speaking of the manner in which he received his Knights into the Order of the Round Table :

"I made them lay their hands in mine and swear
To reverence the King, as if he were
Their conscience, and their conscience as their King."

So, in being admitted to this Order this afternoon, our desire is to be made more conscious of the obligations we take upon ourselves. It is true we cannot by our efforts rid ourselves of the debt we owe to our University, but we are willing to devote our time and labour in promoting her glory. It may be an unworthy offering, but it is the best we can bestow ; and if it be expression of honest hearts we feel it will not be lightly esteemed by you. Our parting hope is that our professional career may always be marked by a true sense of duty ; for in this way we may best prove ourselves worthy sons of our Alma Mater.

Dr. Craik then summed up the work of the session as follows :

Sir Chancellor, Mr. Vice-Principal, Members of Convocation, Ladies and Gentlemen,

The interesting Ceremony which we have this day witnessed, by which fifty-three gentlemen have received their Degrees in Medicine and have been declared worthy to practice Medicine and Surgery in all their branches, marks the culmination of the Sixty-Second session in the history of this Faculty.

In its ordinary features this Convocation differs very little from those which have preceded it. We have brought before you a goodly array of worthy Graduates, in no sense inferior to those that have gone before them, and, we may fairly hope, even better equipped than they in the most modern ideas and methods, and you, Ladies and Gentlemen, and many warm friends who are not with us to-day,