

colleges. He hoped at future banquets to see representatives of the Faculty of these colleges with him. He touchingly referred to the absence of Principal MacMurchy on account of the great loss which their friend had sustained in the death of his wife. He then spoke of the reference by the Hon. G. W. Ross to the confederation scheme, and said all they wanted was equal rights, a fair field and no favor. They would always fight for it and cling to it with a bull-dog's tenacity. (Loud applause.) The Glee Club then gave "Litoria."

Mr. W. Doan then proposed the Toronto General Hospital.

Mr. Patrick Hughes replied. He said he was well pleased with the references made by the previous speakers to the success of their medical men abroad. While he was in London he met several of them there and was much struck with the pride they evinced towards their *Alma Mater*.

Dr. O'Reilly also responded. In a few well-chosen remarks he showed at the hospital there were equal rights to all, and no special favors to any.

Mr. W. Robertson here favored the assembly with a cornet solo of a very high order.

Mr. A. S. Tilley proposed the toast of "The Learned Professions."

Rev. M. Milligan, in responding, said he was in congenial society among students. He was greatly honored by being asked to sit down at the board of Trinity Medical College. He did not believe the stories he had sometimes heard about the conduct of the medical students. The medical men going out into the world had as sacred a calling as the minister.

Dr. Temple responded on behalf of the medical profession. He spoke with glowing eloquence on the nobility of the medical profession.

Mr. Barlow Cumberland, in a humorous speech, responded for the Law Society.

The Glee Club here discoursed "Sailing Down the Stream."

The toast of "The Sister Institutions" was proposed by Mr. Fotheringham, and very appropriately responded to by Mr. Murray, of McGill, Montreal; Mr. Todd, of the Royal College, Kingston, and Mr. Cullen, of Toronto School of Medicine.

The toast of "The Undergraduates" was proposed by Mr. Fotheringham, and responded to by Mr. Oliver, of the graduating class of '90. In a few well-chosen words he administered some good advice to the junior years, and, in a brilliant peroration, dwelt on the separation which, in a few months, must inevitably take place, and the responsibilities which would then be theirs. Mr. Oliver sat down amidst a round of applause, followed by "He's a Jolly Good Fellow."

The toast of "The Graduates" was proposed the by Chairman and responded to by Dr. Clouse.

The toast of "The Press" was proposed by the Second Vice, and suitably responded to in a few eloquent words from our own Dr. Sheard.

The toast of "The Ladies" was proposed by the First Vice, and responded to by Dr. Bingham, in his usual humorous manner.

The merrymaking ceased shortly after midnight, and all returned to their homes feeling better able to combat with the duties of the profession.

Now good digestion wait on appetite,
And health on both.

A noticeable feature of the banquet was the entire absence of intoxicating liquors. Trinity this year demonstrated beyond a doubt that intoxicants are not an essential to the success of a banquet.

We were much pleased by the words of our worthy Dean re-

garding the advisability of having members of the Faculty of sister institutions at our banquets. We would like to see at our next banquet some representatives from our cousins across the lines; say, perhaps, from Ann Arbor (Michigan); from the Polyclinic College of Medicine, New York; and perhaps a representative from the Medico Chirurgical College, Philadelphia. By this means the virtues of old Trinity, already so widely known, would become more appreciated by our fellow medicos.

THROUGH the courtesy of Dr. Pyne, Registrar of the College of Physicians and Surgeons, we are enabled to answer a few of the many questions anxiously asked regarding recent changes in the Medical Curriculum.

The Council requires all students not now in their *fourth* year to take a summer session, which must be attended after being registered as a medical student in the Register of the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Ontario.

No tickets for attendance on lectures in medical and surgical and topographical Anatomy will be required by the Council at the Spring Examinations of '90, but on and after '91 certified attendance will be required.

The examination in Chemistry will be conducted similar to the method adopted last year, except that the questions on theoretical and practical Chemistry will be on the same paper. Students should bear in mind that the Council with each successive announcement promulgates for the year the regulations contained therein, repealing all others hitherto in force.—(Reg. par. v).

College News.

TRINITY's field for clinical instruction has been greatly extended during the past month through the kindness of the trustees of the "Home for Incurables." Clinical lectures are now delivered weekly at the "Home" by Dr. Sheard, and the high character of the lectures is attested to by the number of finals who regularly attend. Thus far in the course the lectures have included: Locomotor ataxia, hemiplegia, paraplegia, arthritis deformans, hydrocephalous, pseudo-hypertrophic muscular paralysis, Bulbar paralysis, etc., etc. Lectures will be resumed at the "Home" on 11th prox.

OUR Reading Room is now furnished with a good variety of dailies, medical journals, illustrated periodicals, etc., which must be of a very readable nature, as the room is generally crowded with students between lectures.

It is reported that Trinity Medical Football Club will not play again this season.

OUR representatives:—Mr. Boyes, '90, at the annual dinner of the Ontario School of Dentistry; Dr. Springer, '89, at 'Varsity Medical Dinner; Mr. Sifton, '90, at McGill, Montreal; Mr. McLeod, '90, at Royal College, Kingston. They all speak very highly of the manner in which the different colleges received them.

BETTER work has been done in the dissecting room so far this session than for some years past. This is chiefly owing to the fact that there are at present a sufficient number of demonstrators to give the necessary assistance and instruction to each student.

THE Medical and Literary Society which for the past few years has existed in name only, was re-organized last month with the following officers: Hon-President, Dean Geikie, M.D., D.C.L.; Representative of the Faculty, Dr. G. A. Bingham; President, A. Ross; 1st Vice-Pres., D. Johnson; 2nd Vice-Pres. W. H. Robertson; 3rd Vice-Pres.,