

Gold Medal, to be known as the "Wood Medal," to be competed for annually on the following terms:—1st, Competitors must attend at least two sessions at Bishop's College; 2nd, 75 per cent of the whole number of marks must be taken—including all subjects; 3rd, If the graduating class, at any time be less than four, the Medal may be withheld, unless the Faculty thought that the best man had shown such excellence, that he was deserving of it. Dr. O. C. Wood having died, Dr. C. A. Wood has donated the sum of \$1000, which is invested to produce the Medal yearly.

In 1880, Dr. C. E. Nelson of New York founded the "Robert Nelson" Gold Medal. For this purpose he donated the sum of one thousand dollars. The Medal was in commemoration of his father, Dr. Robert Nelson, who began his medical career in Montreal, where he obtained special eminence in surgery. He subsequently removed to New York, where he died. This Medal, was donated as a special prize in Surgery, and for it there was to be a special examination, which must be written, oral, and the performance of operations on the Cadaver. To compete for this Medal, students must have attended two sessions at Bishop's, and have obtained 75 per cent of the allotted marks on all subjects. With the exception of one or two years, this medal has been awarded since its endowment, and at times the competition has been very keen and close. I believe the Faculty secured this magnificent Medal, which is of the value of \$60.00, through the influence of Dr. Wolfred Nelson, who, as I have already mentioned, was our first registered student, and a member of our first graduating class. In 1882, Dr. David, who had been Dean of the Faculty since the active work of the School began, died, after a lingering illness. The loss which the Faculty sustained by his death was very great, for from its inception he had been its most zealous friend and faithful adviser. To show its appreciation of his work, the Faculty founded the "David" Scholarship, which some years later was changed to the "David" Silver Medal. This is awarded to the student obtaining the highest number of marks in the Primary Examination. The other Prizes in the Faculty are