

faith in it by contributing towards it himself. No better plan could have been adopted to induce others to give. His example was contagious. Others seeing his faith endorsed by his works had their faith strengthened and went and did likewise.

Now that Principal Grant is gone, many friends of Queen's are inclined to shake their heads and cast gloomy forebodings for her. Not so. The foundations have been too well laid, her friends are too many, and their loyalty too strong to allow her to go back. Queen's has now attained such a position and such a hold on the public confidence, that the new Principal, whoever he may be, supported as he will be by the trustees, the professors and the alumni, will be able to carry on the work for which Principal Grant sacrificed so much—his time, his money, his labour, his life.

THE ONTARIO MEDICAL COUNCIL AND MATRICULATION.

AT its last meeting the Ontario Medical Council decided to raise the standard for registration as Medical students. The new regulation is as follows: "Any person who presents to the Registrar of the Medical Council a certificate that he has passed the examination conducted by the Education Department on the course prescribed for honor matriculation in Arts, including Chemistry and Physics," will be entitled to register as a Medical student. This is a step in the right direction. No one interested in Medical education doubts the advantage and necessity of every Medical man having a good preliminary education. Heretofore our standard has not been high enough. The Council is to be congratulated on the change it has just made. We have not seen an official report of the Council proceedings, but we presume that the options for registration previously allowed will still be accepted by the Council. Formerly "A certificate from the Registrar of any chartered univer-