

on the prosperity of the Province, which he attributed to the intelligence of our people, he said that when the proper authorities were called upon to say whether it was necessary that further aid should be given to the University of Toronto, he hoped the discussion on the subject by those who might hold different views would be conducted in such a way as to leave behind it that good fraternal feeling which existed to-day. He was satisfied that the University of Toronto occupied a firm place in the affections of the people of Ontario, and he was sure no college or institution doing similar work had anything but the best wishes for its success. Rev. Dr. Sutherland replied for Victoria College in a most able speech. He said he hoped that if any of them ever entered politics they would be statesmen and not mere politicians, and drew a vivid contrast between the two classes. Dr. Geo. Wright responded for the Toronto School of Medicine, Mr. Graham for McGill University, Mr. Forin for Kingston Medical College, Mr. Gibson for the Western Medical College, Mr. Watham for the Toronto School of Medicine students, and Mr. Haslam for Trinity College arts students. Drs. Burns and Macdonald replied for "The College of Physicians and Surgeons of Ontario."

The toast of the evening, "Trinity Medical School, its Graduates, Undergraduates, and Literary Society," was warmly received and was responded to by Dr. Geikie, dean of the faculty. He referred to the presence of representatives from kindred bodies, and expressed gratification at the unity of feeling and sympathy at present existing among them. He knew well the school had a firm hold on the hearts of the students, and it was most gratifying to the faculty to feel that this grows stronger every day. Their work was lightened and brightened by knowing that the students, for the promotion of whose welfare throughout their entire professional life their work was undertaken, fully appreciated the efforts made in their behalf. The present position and future prospects of the medical school were all their warmest friends could wish. He referred to the establishment in Montreal of a medical faculty endowment fund, and hoped that some friends in Toronto or Ontario would come forward to aid the establishment of a similar fund. He expressed gratification at the high position to which many of the graduates had attained in all parts of the world.

Drs. Stark, of Hamilton, and Baines, of Toronto, responded for the graduates, Students in the different years for the undergraduates, and Dr. Sheard for the Literary Society.

"The Learned Professions" was responded to by the American Consul, Mr. Howard, in a happy speech. "The Toronto General Hospital," by Dr. O'Reilly. "The Ladies," by Dr. Sheard, and "The Press," by Dr. Fulton. In responding to the toast of the press, Dr. Fulton took occasion to refer to the expediency of having one uniform standard of matriculation for all the professions, and also for arts, and civil engineering. Let all come up to the same standard of preliminary education; let all start, as it were, on the same plane, and then let each branch out in the direction of his future course of studies. He also alluded to the question of amalgamation of the schools, to which he was opposed so far as the didactic teaching and internal management were concerned, and reminded them that where amalgamation was greatly useful it was now being carried out, viz., in the clinical instruction at the Toronto General Hospital. There were six professors from each school, constituting a Faculty of *twelve* teachers, actively engaged in delivering daily clinics to the joint classes of the two schools. He would now christen this Faculty, and proposed as a volunteer toast, "The Toronto Polyclinic," which was enthusiastically received. "Mine Host of the Inn," and the singing of God Save the Queen, brought the proceedings to a close.

The annual banquet of the Kingston Medical School was also held on the 22nd ult., and was a most successful affair. Representatives were present from the sister medical schools in Ontario and Quebec.

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H. E. MANWARING, M. D., of St. George, died suddenly from paralysis, at the age of 71 years. He was born in Lynne, Connecticut, and in 1820 came to St. George, Canada, where he has since lived. He graduated in the University of New York State, in 1839, and obtained the Provincial license to practice in Canada, in 1842. From that time to the day of his death he was actively engaged in the practice of his profession, and enjoyed the confidence of a large section of the community, who will long retain his name green and fragrant in their memories.