

Principal, Dr. Howard, Dean of the Medical Faculty, the Professors of the Medical Faculty, members of the sister faculties, governors of the University, and a number of the old graduates and friends of McGill.

The proceedings opened (after prayer) by the Dean, Dr. Howard, reading the report of the Medical Faculty for the past year.

In the Medical Faculty there are 237 students.

In the late examinations the following gentlemen passed the Preliminary Examinations. Those who have taken upwards of 75 per cent. of the marks given are arranged in order of merit:

W. J. Bradley, H. D. Fritz, W. D. Gunn, F. L. Kenny, J. R. Clouston, G. McLennan, R. M. Kincaid, A. D. Macdonald, A. D. Stewart, A. E. Orr, Hubbard, A. E. Kirkpatrick, J. E. Orr, P. C. Park, J. H. Kennedy.

The names of those who have taken over 60 per cent. of the marks are, in order of merit, as follows:

J. J. Hopkins, K. Cameron, Welmore, D. R. McMartin, J. Hewitt, M. McFarlane, R. H. McKay, J. H. Thompson, A. J. MacDonnell, W. M. Donald, C. W. Hays, C. P. Conroy, D. S. McDougall, W. Christie, McCarthy, Geo. McDonald, Robertson, Springle, J. Boyd, Morrow, Berry, Pothier, Desmond, Wengant.

The names of those who have taken over 50 per cent. of the marks are as follows, arranged in alphabetical order:

C. L. Easton, C. J. Edgar, J. Graham, A. G. Hall, C. H. Long, D. Murray, H. McKinnon, T. H. Orton, J. M. Potts, H. V. Pearson, W. R. Thomas, H. P. Wilkins, C. F. Wyld.

N.B. Mr. R. A. Westley passed with honors, but is not ranked because he did not undergo the same examinations as the rest, on account of illness.

Those who have taken the degree of M.D.C.M., are:

J. H. Armitage, P. Ayle, H. S. Birkett, G. W. Boggs, A. W. Campbell, W. C. Cattaneh, J. L. Clarke, M. A. Craig, W. C. Crockett, D. McE. DeCov, T. M. Gardner, J. B. Gibson, G. J. Gladman, J. Graham, J. H. Y. Grant, T. J. Haythorne, P. H. Hughes, J. A. Kinloch, R. C. Kirkpatrick, D. Murray, E. P. McCallum, W. J. McCaug, T. G. McGannon, Z. M. Mackay, T. H. Orton, Alf. Poole, L. E. McC. Pomeroy, W. R. Pringle, Alf. Raymond, G. H. Raymond, F. D. Robertson, L. H. Ross, W. M. Rowat, A. F. Schmidt, A. G. Schmidt, F. J. Seery, W. R. Thomas, R. Turnbull, W. W. White, J. F. Williams, C. W. Wilson, A. W. Worthington.

The above names are arranged in alphabetical order.

Of these the following took First Class Honors. They are arranged in order of merit:

Kennedy, R. A., B. A., McCallum, E. P., Robertson, F. D., B. A., Kirkpatrick, R. C. B. A., Haythorne, T. J. B. A., Crockett, W. C. B. A., Campbell, A. W., Gibson, J. B., Kinloch, J. A., Rowatt, W. M., Seery, F. J., Wilson, C. W., Raymond, Alf., Hughes, P. H., Wilkins, J. F., Pringle, J. R., McCaug, W. J., Grant, J. H. Y., Gairdner, T. M., Worthington, A. N.

Following are the Prize men of '86:

The Holmes Gold Medal for the best examination in the Primary and Final Branches is awarded to Herbert S. Birkett, of Hamilton, Ontario.

The Prize for the best Final Examination is awarded to Walter W. White, B.A., of St. John, N.B.

The Prize for the best Preliminary Examination is awarded to William I. Bradley, B.A., of Ottawa.

The Sutherland Gold Medal is awarded to William I. Bradley, B.A., of Ottawa.

PROFESSOR'S PRIZES.

BOTANY.—Prize, G. G. Campbell.
PRACTICAL ANATOMY.—Demonstrator's Prizes: 2nd year, H. D. Fritz. 1st year, H. Slater.
CLINICAL MEDICINE.—Junior Class, E. P. H. Blackader.
OBSTETRICS.—H. S. Birkett, Hamilton, Ont.

After the distribution of prizes, the Principal, Sir William Dawson, conferred the degree of M.D.C.M. on the graduates of '86.

Dr. Crocket, B.A., the valedictorian of the Graduating Class, then came forward. He said, addressing those present: "This occasion, so long awaited with happy expectation, brings with it mingled feelings of pleasure and regret."

He spoke of the pleasure of having completed their task at the University; of the regret at parting with friends, whom four years' acquaintance had endeared; of the sorrow of passing beyond the guidance of their professors, who were friends, as well as instructors:

He referred, touchingly, to the death of the late Professor Scott, and paid a deserved and kind tribute to the classmates who had died during their course.

He expressed the appreciation of the Graduating Class, and the Undergraduates, at the rapid advance the Medical department of McGill is making year after year. He hoped she would soon demand of those seeking her degree the qualification of an Arts degree.

In humorous language he predicted that the future student of McGill would have fair companions to lighten his labor and divide the honors, and expressed his opinion in the terse sentence—"Woman's sphere is in her home." On behalf of the class, he bade farewell to the professors and the citizens of Montreal.

In bidding farewell to his fellow-students, he advised them to seek their relaxation from the stern duties of the profession in literature, recommending to them the advice of Dr. Bingham—"Make the science of medicine your first love, and lovingly array her in the mantle of literary excellence, etc." He hoped they would all do their duty to themselves, to their fellows, and to their *Alma Mater*.

Wouldst shape a noble life? Then cast
 No backward glances towards the past,

Give others' work just share of praise,
 Not of thy own the merits raise.

Beware no fellow-man thou hate;
 And in God's hands leave that thy fate."

Dr. Gardner, on behalf of the Professors, delivered the farewell address to the Graduates.

He congratulated them on their brilliant course, as evidenced by their standing to-day. His excellent address contained much of value for the guidance of the young doctor. It was a fitting close to the long series of instructions, which, for four years, the professors in Medicine had poured, with a lavish hand, on the devoted heads of the Class of '86.

The Chairman delivered a short address. He reviewed briefly the history of the Medical Faculty, from its beginning, in 1824, down to the present time, when he addressed the largest class of Graduates in Medicine McGill had ever had.

Sir William, in a few remarks, congratulated the