

blundered down two steps into the parlour, from the corner of which an exceedingly cork-screwy and rickety staircase led upstairs to the bed room, commanding a cheerful view of a churchyard, one of whose primeval yews swept the window with its branches. Not a cheerful place for a long stay, but it suited our needs very well. After a substantial meal we set out to look after our boat, and after a long chat with the proprietor of the boat house, who was one of those ancient worthies who can remember everything for fifty years back, and is very anxious to inflict all his recollections upon you, we decided on taking a double sculling outrigger, about the best kind for two men who are accustomed to rowing together, as they are roomy and yet light. Having concluded all the necessary arrangements, we returned to the inn, but we had forgotten the primitive habits of the proprietor and arrived there to find the house closed and guarded by an exceedingly noisy and hungry looking dog who would persist in regarding us as burglars; so we had to arrange a division of labor, and while one of us pounded at the door the other kept the animal at bay with brickbats and other trifles. The combined noise was something terrific but had the desired effect of rousing the proprietor, who informed us that had we asked for it we might have had the key, an arrangement in iron weighing somewhere in the neighborhood of three pounds and of such a size that no ordinarily constructed pocket would hold it. We intended to make an early start so our first care was to thoroughly examine all our traps to see that no indispensable requisite had been left behind. All was in order; so after a smoke and a chat over our plans and a final anxious inspection of the sky for weather probabilities, we turned in.

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TRINITY TERM, 1883.

MR. ELMES HENDERSON, M. A., and Mr. C. L. Ferguson, B. C. L., have been elected members of the Council.

WE have much pleasure in recording the fact that the Rev R. N. Jones, B. A., one of our graduates, took the highest place in the examination for Priest's orders, held a short time since at Ottawa. The Rev. C. E. S. Radcliffe, B. C. L., took the second place in the Deacon's Examination.

THE University Calendar for the year 1883-4 is now out, and assumes a bulkier appearance than before. It contains the new regulations for the degree of B. D.

There is also a very desirable addition to it in the shape of a list of the correct hoods for each degree. Perhaps this will have some effect in future in preventing the remarkable discrepancies noticed by a correspondent in a former issue.

A COUNCIL Meeting was held on Saturday, April 28th, to consider the tenders for the building of the new Chapel. We are unable, unfortunately, to give this report, as it will not be made public before it has been submitted to the Corporation, who meet on May 9th. We trust that no valuable time will be lost in setting to work, and that the end of the summer will see the Chapel actually completed, or at least far advanced to that desirable end.

We must confess to some little disappointment in the regulations for the degree of Mus. Bac., as they made no provision for the admittance of gentlemen who have been longer than five years in the musical profession, and who certainly would not care to spread this examination over three years. Could not the Statute be amended so that those who could produce certificates of having been in the study and profession of music not less than say ten years, could be admitted to the degree on passing the final examination only, in fact a parallel regulation to that governing admission to the degree of B. C. L.

THE Library is again open, after a thorough rearrangement by the librarian, Professor Schneider. The books are now classified in such a way that it is not the labor of a day to find any particular work. We are glad to notice that among the new purchases is the latest edition of the Encyclopedia Britannica, now in course of issue, undoubtedly one of the most valuable works in point of utility. Prof. Schneider has introduced a good feature in the form of a Recommendation Book, in which any reader may place the names of books he thinks would be desirable additions to the Library.

By the way, we see in the new Calendar that the Science Scholar is *de jure*, assistant Curator. Here is a long sought for opportunity. He could not be better employed than under the supervision of one of the Curators, in rearranging those dismal specimens, giving them new labels, and removing the accumulated dust of ages under which they threaten ere long to be entombed. The label part of the question is important. At present a great many specimens are not named at all, and of those that are, the labels have got shifted in a way, that to put it mildly, is misleading. To a lover of science this employment could not fail to afford the highest amusement.

THE Convocation for the conferring of medical degrees was held in the Convocation Hall, on Thursday, April 26th. The gold medallist, Mr. Krauss, deserves