

light on all sides of the building. The site is large, and furnishes ample room for future expansion, by way of new buildings.

The growth in the number of fellows is very gratifying, and affords much encouragement for the future. At the present moment there are fellows; and made up of five honorary fellows whose names are: Dr. W. B. Geikie, Toronto; Sir William Osler, Bart., Oxford; Sir Rickman J. Godlee, Bart., London; Prof. J. B. Leathes, Sheffield, and Dr. J. Algernon Temple, of Toronto. There are five Life Fellows as follows: Dr. Joseph Bascom, Dr. William Oldright, Dr. H. C. Burritt, and Dr. R. A. Stevenson, all of Toronto, and Dr. J. Price Brown, of Cranbrooke Lodge, Norfolk County, Ontario. There are 420 active fellows, and forty-two non-resident fellows. There is one corresponding fellow in the person of Professor H. W. Hill, of St. Paul, Minn.

The work of the academy is carried on in six sections, namely, surgery, medicine, pædiatrics, state medicine, pathology, and one for the three special departments of ophthalmology, laryngology and otology. These meet once a month from October to April inclusive. There is also a regular monthly meeting of the academy at which general matters are discussed, and papers read.

The affairs of the academy are managed by a council of nineteen, namely, the president, the vice-president, the honorary-treasurer, the honorary-secretary, the immediate past-president, the chairman of the six sections, and eight representing the fellows. The custody of the realty, the library and the funds of the academy are vested in three trustees who are chosen annually by the council. The president, vice-president, honorary-secretary, honorary-treasurer, and immediate past president constitute an executive committee. The Library Committee has to do with the purchase of books and journals, the House Committee with the care of the buildings and furniture, while the Programme Committee arranges for the speakers and papers for the meetings.

The library is an important feature of the work of the academy. At the close of last year there were six thousand five hundred and seventy-six volumes, of which no less than four hundred and ninety-eight had been added during the year. Many of those volumes are very rare, going into the bygone centuries. It would be very difficult to place a value on such a collection of books, but one might safely say that it could not be replaced for \$25,000 or \$30,000.

The fees for the year 1914-15 amounted to \$3,882.30. At the close of the year there was \$1,462.88 in the savings account, and in the general account \$505.75. The total expenditures for the year amounted to \$4,684.42. To the income must be added the interest on the funds in