

own subjects. The honors he has received in the course of his life indicate his ability. He published a number of text-books on mathematics and was regarded as one of the most competent teachers of the staff.

It is the wish of every student that the retiring professor will be spared a long, happy evening of life: and that he may retain his connection with the university where his sane judgment must continue of great value.

Our Last Weekly.

The weekly Journal must apologize that its final appearance will not tend to preserve it in tender memories. The proposition wasn't too well supported this year or someone was overly extravagant earlier in the term, the natural result being that the material for the convocation issue had to be cut down as a matter of dollars and cents. The semi-weekly Journal should make a strong appeal to the students. Those responsible for the weekly showed foresight: and it is certain that the semi-weekly could not have been thought of had not that experiment been made. To graduates of the University who have kept an interest in the Journal appeal must be made for the new Journal. It will fully record events within the college. This should be of utmost value to those who desire to keep in touch with the college.

Students' Day, April 25th.

THE proceedings in connection with the formal farewell of the graduating class were as usual of a quiet unassuming nature. At two-thirty in the afternoon, Convocation Hall was well-nigh filled with graduates, their friends, and some of the teaching staff. It is to be regretted that more of the professors do not find it convenient or seemly to attend.

Mr. Walter J. Lamb, M.A., second vice-president of the Alma Mater Society acted as chairman. The programme consisted merely in the reading of the valedictories. The valedictorians were:—Medicine, Dr. B. C. Patterson; Divinity, W. A. Dobson, B.A.; Science, J. B. Stirling, B.A., B.Sc.; Arts, R. M. Pounder, M.A. Owing to the absence of Mr. Stirling from the city, Mr. P. A. Borden, B.Sc., read the Science valedictory. The addresses were of the usual complimentary nature. The Medical one in particular showed great care in preparation, and was pretty severe in many of its criticisms.

Convocation.

THIS year the formal closing exercises at Queen's were of more than usual interest. On this occasion Grant Hall was filled to overflowing with friends of the graduates and other interested parties. After the invocation by Rev. D. Strachan, Toronto, the medals, prizes and degrees were conferred on the various recipients. Honorary degrees were given to the following distinguished men:—Rev. Wm. Chambers, (D.D.); Rev. A. MacLachlan, Smyrna, (D.D.); Dr. Geo. E. Armstrong, McGill, (LL.D.); Prof.