

more especially in connection with one of our Affiliated Colleges.

Another and unexpected loss was experienced in the death after a short illness of the able and accomplished head of the Faculty of Law, Wm. H. Kerr, D.C.L., Q.C. As Professor of International Law and Dean of the Faculty, Dr. Kerr distinguished himself by skill as an instructor, and by the introduction of new and improved methods of tuition and examination, as well as by watchful care of the interests of the Faculty ; and the chaste and beautiful addresses, with which he was wont to dismiss the graduating classes, will long be remembered. Professor Trenholme, M.A., D.C.L., who is the Senior Professor of the Faculty of Law, and has long been one of its leading members, succeeds to the Office of Dean, and to the Chair of International Law, while Professor Hutchinson, D.C.L., takes that of Roman Law, and Archibald McGoun, B.A., B.C.L., has been appointed to the Chair of Civil Procedure.

Professor Charles F. A. Markgraf, M.A., Professor of German Language and Literature, was at the time of his death the Senior Professor in the Faculty of Arts, having been appointed in 1853. He was an earnest and profound student of German Literature, and a solid, painstaking, and conscientious teacher, ever zealous to give prominence and interest to the study of the language and literature which he loved.

Mr. P. Toews, M.A., a graduate of the University of Toronto, and who has studied in Germany and in France, and has had considerable experience as a high school teacher, has been appointed, for the present session, Lecturer in German Language and Literature.

Another serious loss, felt alike by all the Faculties of the University, is the untimely death of our untiring and enthusiastic Instructor in Gymnastics, Mr. Frøderick S. Barnjum, whose earnest and self-denying labours in the cause of Physical Culture, were beyond all praise, and whom it is felt that it will be difficult to replace.

For the present session, Mr. James Naismith, B.A., a pupil of Mr. Barnjum, and the winner of one of the Wicksteed Medals for Physical Culture, has undertaken the instruction of the classes for men with much success, and Miss Barnjum has opened a class for women.