

ment. Rev. J. B. Kennedy's address on "The Relation of Education to Missions" dealt with the importance of Education in the evangelization of the world. Miss Behmer, of Moulton College, sang Gounod's "The King of Love" in a charming manner, and the University Glee Club gave an admirable rendering of the grand old hymn *Te Deum*.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing term:—President, Rev. W. M. Walker, B.A., London; First Vice President, Prof. Clark, M.A., Toronto; Second Vice-President, Rev. E. Hooper, M.D.; Third Vice President, Linus Woolverton, M.A., Grimsby; Fourth Vice-President, Miss Eliza P. Wells, B.A., Toronto; Secretary-Treasurer, W. S. W. McLay, B.A.; Corresponding Secretary, W.S.S. McAlpine, B.A. Mr A. K. Blackadar, M.A., Ottawa, and Mr. A. P. McDonald, B.A., B.Th., were appointed representatives on the Senate of the graduates in Arts and Theology respectively.

The Committee appointed to report *re* Memorials in McMaster Hall to Dr. Fyfe and Principal McGregor, was continued. A committee was appointed to draft a plan whereby all graduates, whether present at the annual meeting of the association or not, may be enabled to vote for representatives to the Senate.

DELIVERY OF ESSAYS.—On Tuesday afternoon members of the graduating classes read essays to the public. The attendance was good for an afternoon. All those present felt themselves more than repaid for going. The essays were five: "Ideals: Their Nature and Value," Geo. John Menge, (Arts); "The Greatest Frenchman," Horatio Hackett Newman, (Arts); "Browning, the Poet of the Future," Mary Elizabeth Dryden, (Arts); "Christianity in the Nineteenth Century," William Wardley McMaster, B.A., (Theology); "Christian Missions in Relation to Civilization," Bert Ward Merrill, B.A., (Theology.) The Glee Club sang "The Hunter's Call," and Mr. W. S. S. McAlpine, B.A., sang "The Ivy Green," in his usual acceptable style.

THE BACCALAUREATE SERMON will long be remembered by those who were privileged to hear it. The large audience room of Walmer Road church was filled with an intensely interested audience of students and friends of McMaster. On the platform were Chancellor Wallace presiding; Rev. Dr. Lorimer, the University professoriate, Pastor W. W. Weeks, Rev. E. J. Stobo, Senr., and others.

We are indebted to the *Globe* for the following excellent digest of the sermon. No apology is needed for its length:—

After a few words of welcome by the Chancellor short musical selections were rendered, and Rev. Dr. Lorimer was called upon to deliver the Baccalaureate Sermon. Dr. Lorimer spoke for over an hour, but the magnificent manner in which he dealt with his subject, combined with his eloquent delivery, made the time pass far too rapidly. He is an orator of exceptional ability, and his address of last night will long be remembered by the graduates and friends of McMaster University. From beginning to end his remarks were most impressive and inspiring, and delivered with a charm and grace of language possessed only by the most gifted speakers.

DR. LORIMER'S SERMON.—The words on which he spoke were taken from the Gospel of St. Matthew, chap. vi., verse 23. "If, therefore, the light that is in thee be darkness, how great is the darkness." Speaking on this text he