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## COLLEGE NEWS

### FACULTY OF APPLIED SCIENCE

H. W. Tate, '09, who has been recently surveying up in the Peace River district was at the school on Friday. Mr. Tate was an intimate class mate of the late Mr. C. O. Hay, '09 whose regrettable death from typhoid fever occurred in Montreal early in September.

Among the students from distant parts is Mr. J. E. C. Stroud, '15 from Barbadoes, W. I., who has enrolled in Mining Engineering.

J. M. Gibson, '10, is back with us for his fourth year. J. M. has been out in Edmonds, B.C., where he has been with the city engineering's staff for the last year.

Amongst the recent appointments to fellowships in drawing are J. C. Murton, '11, W. F. B. Rubidge, '10; E. Swinerton, '06; A. E. Nourse, '07; T. H. Crosby, '09.

### FACULTY OF MEDICINE

It is the intention of those interested to form a Medical Male Quartette and Octette. A professional man will be secured to test the voices, and everything possible will be done to obtain the best talent in the Medical Faculty. Those interested should not fail to communicate at once with E. A. McQuade '14 or B. L. Guyatt '14. Look for further announcements.

To the relatives and friends of Dr. Trow, the Students of the Faculty of Medicine desire to extend their deepest sympathy.

### DENTAL COLLEGE RECEPTION

#### Pleasant Event Took Place on Friday Evening

On Friday evening a most successful reception for Dental Freshmen was held in the Assembly Hall of the Dental College, in spite of inclement weather. This year the Faculty joined hands with the Y.M.C.A. in this function, the men appreciating it, as was shown by the large turnout of all of the classes. A pleasing feature of the reception was the presence of so many of the members of the Faculty and their wives, as well as the two lady students of whom the Freshmen are so proud.

Dean Willmott occupied the chair.

Dr. W. A. Thornton on behalf of the Faculty spoke a few words of welcome to the Freshmen, incidentally commending them on their wise choice in entering the study of Dentistry because of the practical usefulness they may be to humanity later on. Among other kindly advice he referred to "what a nice loving thing it was to have a woman around," this of course only applies to Freshmen.

Mr. Warburton, General Secretary of the Y.M.C.A. in Toronto, was well appreciated by the boys in his pleasant and appealing manner in the few words he spoke. He warned the students against the tendency of professional men becoming narrow in reading and thinking, not confining themselves to one particular line but to become broad in reading, thought and deed. He thought that every man should live his own life with his particular mental, physical and spiritual characteristics, for God wanted voices, not echoes. In closing, he advised the men to do good to others by being good themselves and to endeavour to become an ideal.

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The exceedingly pleasant evening fittingly closed with the serving of refreshments, kindly prepared by the wives of the members of the Faculty, followed by College songs and yells. Such a general feeling of good fellowship prevailed that the reception was pronounced the most successful in the history of the Y.M.C.A. in the College.

### GYMNASIUM

All faculties wishing to enter teams in Mulock Cup Series, send applications to J. S. Galbraith at the Gymnasium.

All who subscribed for Varsity Rugby season tickets will be notified Wednesday, Thursday and Friday.

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### Y.M.C.A. BOOK EXCHANGE

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## PROFESSOR IN WAR ZONE

**Prof. McCurdy is En Route to  
Palestine—May Be  
Detained**

In view of the Turco-Italian war, the movements of Prof. McCurdy, of Toronto University within the war zone are of special interest. Prof. McCurdy, Mrs. McCurdy, and their two daughters, the Misses Jessie and Hattie, spent the summer in Europe, visiting Germany Switzerland, Florence, and finally Rome. From Rome dated the 22nd, friends in Toronto received a card announcing the plan to leave for Palestine on the 5th of October. Since the despatch of the card war has broken out between Turkey and Italy, and Palestine being in Turkish territory no ships may be expected to leave Italy for the Holy Land. It is thought that the McCurdy family will be obliged to go to some neutral port in Egypt or in Greece to take ship for Palestine from there.

Professor McCurdy is the first Canadian Oriental scholar to be appointed to take charge of one of the archaeological colleges which have been established in Jerusalem, in Rome, and in Athens, largely through the energy of the American School of Research. The work of these colleges is placed in charge of different Oriental scholars every year. At present there are five post-graduate students from Toronto University at the college in Jerusalem. Excavating has been going on in various parts of the ancient city, and a large number of ancient inscriptions and antiquities of interest to students of Biblical and mythological history have been unearthed. For one year Professor McCurdy is to take charge of the studies carried on by students from all over the world in connection with these discoveries—if the war does not interrupt the work.—Star.

### ATTENDING OSGOODE HALL

The following members of the class of 1911 are at Osgoode Hall: E. Pepler; G. D. McLean, (with Mulock, Lee, Milikin and Clarke); A. W. Langmuir; P. W. Beatty, (with Cassels, Brock, Kellar, and Falconbridge); W. M. Mogan (with Day, Ferguson and O'Sullivan); L. W. Wood (with McCarthy, Osler, Hoskin and Harcourt); H. H. Ellis; R. P. Locke (with Masten, Starr, Spence and Cameron); W. McNally (with Rowell, Reid, Wilkie and Wood); H. H. Donald; S. C. S. Kerr (with Kerr, Davidson, Patterson and McFarlane); W. P. McKay; C. B. Henderson (with T. H. Barton; G. G. Beckett; W. H. Male; W. C. McNaught (with Ritchie, Ludwig and Ballantyne); D. G. McIntosh (with Masten, Stark, Spence and Cameron); C. H. McKinun (with Masten, Starr, Spence and Cameron); E. Bristol (with Bicknell, Bain, Strathy and MacKelcan); A. Sibbald; T. M. Mulligan; W. T. Robb;

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