THE CITY OF COLLEGES.

OVER 1800 REGISTERED STUDENTS IN TORONTO.

The Expense of Higher Education—$270,000 Yearly Spent by Youths Thirsting for Knowledge.

As early as 1791 General, afterwards Governor Simcoe, before he left England for Canada said, in a letter to Sir Joseph Banks, president of the Royal society, that "a college of a higher class" would be highly desirable in the colony to which he was going. "A college of a higher class would be eminently useful, and would give a tone of principles and of manners that would be of infinite support to the government." He added: "It is possible that private donations might be obtained, and that it would become an object of royal munificence." This possibility shortly afterwards became an accomplished fact. His Majesty George III. set apart some lands in upper Canada for educational purposes, and in 1827 a charter was granted by George IV. for the establishment of a university at York under the designation of King's college. This college was endowed with a portion of the lands mentioned. The royal charter was subsequently modified by statutes of the legislatures of Upper Canada and of the province of Ontario, and the University of Toronto and University college, as at present constituted, were brought into being. Some time afterwards the university of Trinity college was endowed and its buildings erected on the south portion of the beautiful estate known as Gore Vale.

Since the foundation of these two universities, higher education has advanced with great strides in Ontario and throughout Canada generally. In our own city colleges, medical, theological, scientific, have sprung up on every hand, until Toronto has come to be justly regarded as the centre of the educational interests of Canada. The two gigantic blind worms, stretched in terrorem on the sloping parapets of the steps leading to the door (of University college), benumbed, not dead; giving in their extremities still faint evidence of life, are becoming daily a more fitting symbol of the paralyzing power of science over ignorance and superstition. Young men in every rank of life, fresh from preparatory schools, from the work-bench and from the plough, are hastening yearly to our city to pursue the arduous paths of higher learning. The spirit of the times is altogether in favor of superior education for all. A gentleman of extensive worldly experience remarked that this (what he chose to term) superfluous education, far from benefiting its recipients, spoiled them for after life. When they returned to the work house or the farm their minds would have outreached their hands, and their ambition would look for something better than following the trade of their old father. This is a gross, albeit popular mistake. The students sent forth from our schools of engineering, agriculture and practical science will be able to bring to bear all their genius on hitherto mean professions and will raise them to the level of the highest.

Besides the advantages that accrue to the students themselves, immense benefits are reaped by city tradesmen and others by this yearly advent of so large a body of money spenders. Leaving out of consideration for the present the students in law offices, private business colleges and the higher schools, we find that there are at present in the city 1800 students, the number being made up as follows: At University college, 320; at the school of practical science, 54; at McMaster hall, 40; at St. Michael's college, 110; at Wycliffe college, 25; at Knox college, 60; at Trinity college, 41; at Toronto and Trinity medical schools, 550; at the Normal school, 110; at the School of art, 200; at the Veterinary college, 225, and at the Dental college, 42. Law students, business college students, etc., would probably add another 600 or 700 to this number, making a total of 2500. At a low calculation, the average expenditure of these students for the period they remain in the city is between $150 and $200 per annum. These expenses are made up of college fees, board, books, clothes and incidentals. The expenditure of medical students for books and fees is considerably higher than that of other students, and their yearly expenditure is therefore above the average. On the other hand, of course the expenses of certain other students fall a great deal below the average. Calculating then on $150 as the lowest average expenditure per student, we find that there is yearly spent in the city by these 1800 students alone $270,000. A glance at the advertising columns of the two college papers, 'Varsity and Rouge et Noir, will convince any one that not a few tradesmen have a keen appreciation of the above facts. The regulators of each college provide that the students must live either in the college or in houses approved of by the respective faculties. Boardinghouse keepers, therefore, come in for a large share of the money spent, and the coming of the students in the fall like the coming of birds in spring brings joy to many a poor heart. Next to the boardinghouse keepers, book dealers perhaps profit most. But "incidentals" amount with the average student to as much perhaps as all the rest of his expenses put together. College societies must be joined, college entertainments patronized, college charities subscribed for, and the theatre taken in occasionally. These extra expenses are absolutely necessary to the student who wishes to maintain a position well forward in the good opinion of his fellow students. They are moreover the engenderment of that *esprit de corps* for which students are so noted.

From the above facts it will be seen to what a material extent our tradesmen, and through them the city generally, are affected pecuniarily by the temporary advent of this host of young travelers on the road of learning.

It Astonished the Public

—to hear of the resignation of Dr. Pierce as a congressman to devote himself solely to his labors as a physician. It was because his true constituents were the sick and afflicted everywhere. They will find Dr. Pierce's "Golden Medical Discovery" a beneficent use of his scientific knowledge in their behalf. Consumption, bronchitis, cough, heart disease, fever and ague, intermittent fever, dropsy, neuralgia, goitre or thick neck, and all diseases of the blood, are cured by this world-renowned medicine. Its properties are wonderful, its action magical. By druggists.

Patti's Life at Craig-y-Nos.

Patti, the queen of song, has, for the first time in her career, broken down and been obliged to return to her loved mountain home to recruit. The pictures drawn of her life there, as of that of most prima donnas, are rosy fictions. Her life at Craig-y-Nos is one of almost complete solitude, as she is not visited by any of the gentry around in consequence of her Nicolini relations. She spends the morning in reading and writing. Strangers linger often round the walls of the castle to catch the ring of her high clear tones when practising her scales and exercises, or warbling through the airs, now gay, now sad, of her favorite operas. Nothing of Wagner's was among those sounds.

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A MAN OLDER THAN CREATION.

A Funny Mistake Made in a Toronto Insurance Office.

Through a clerical error at a prominent insurance office the number of a life policy was inserted in the certificate admitting age. In this state the document was forwarded to the holder, who penned the following reply:

Dear Sir: I have your favor informing me that my annual premium falls due 31st inst. This reminds me that I have in my possession a document which I enclose, and by which you will observe your company admits I was in the 7232nd year of my age when I took out my policy. I was therefore about 1343 years of age at the creation, and had attained my 5347th year when our Saviour was born. Ah! I have lived through rare times. When I look over the past it seems but as yesterday when I dined with Abraham and Sarah. In those days we addressed each other by our front names. Sarah had a keen sense of the ridiculous, added to which she was somewhat skeptical, for I recollect on that occasion something being told her which amused her so much that she went behind the door and laughed.

It must have been 1500 to 1800 years before this that Methusaleh and his son Lamech dropped in on me one evening for a quiet chat. Methusaleh was in a somewhat serious mood, brought about, as he told me, by his having that day received notice that the annual premium on his life policy would shortly be due. It appears he had taken out a policy payable at death, and in figuring up the matter he had already paid in in premiums more than twice the amount for which he was insured. Although he never stated so to me, it is quite probable that Methusaleh was the originator of the endowment system. This was long before the ingenuity of man had devised a scheme whereby the accumulation of profits pointed to the rapid extinction of the premium.

Toronto, Dec. 9, 1885.

Mantles.

—When a lady—no matter how large or how small—can get a mantle for 2.90 well and fashionably made, there is no cause for grumbling. Mr. McKendry has purchased 300 imported mantles at less than half cost price and those who wish to participate in the bargains now being offered should at once make their way to The Waterloo House, 278 Yonge, south corner of Alice street. 246

Wild Beasts in India.

The wild beast pest is but slowly disappearing in British India. There is, however, a slight decrease in the loss of life from the bites of wild animals and venomous snakes. The numbers are 22,905 for 1883 and 22,425 for 1884. The numbers representing those due to snake bites are 20,067 and 19,629 in the two years respectively. The reported loss of cattle amounted to 49,672 against 47,478 in the previous year. Of these 47,944 are said to have been caused by wild animals and 1728 by snakes. Tigers and leopards are shown to have been about equally destructive, having killed 19,680 and 19,699 head of cattle respectively. In the number of wild animals destroyed there was a satisfactory increase from 19,890 in the previous year to 23,775. The destruction of poisonous snakes is enormous, but the numbers have declined from 412,782 to 380,061. Wherever the system of rewards has been pursued the figures have shown a satisfactory increase, although it naturally happens that here and there a too adventurous snake killer pays for his daring with his life.

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Strictly Honest.

From the Wall Street News.

He entered the office of a Saginaw machinist one day this fall and said that he believed he had a salt well on his farm, and he wanted to know what it would cost to develope it.

"I see," said the machinist, "there are two ways of developing a salt well. If you desire to plant several barrels of brine and pump from one to the other until you catch a greenhorn, I'll send you our old engine, some second hand pipe and—"

"Sir, I'll have you understand that I'm an honest man."

"Oh, of course."

"But, to please the boys and give 'em something to do this winter, you might—"

"Send out the old materials. Come out into the yard and select what you want."

—Diarrhœa and dysentery are perhaps the most common of our everyday ills, and every person nearly has some special cure of their own. Ours is Perry Davis' Pain Killer, and having used it for many years we can confidently recommend it. 36

Witching Horsemen.

From the London World.

As an instance of heredity of riding gifts and faculties, it may be mentioned that two of the late Marquis of Cianricarde's grandsons are now witching the hunting world with their noble horsemanship. One is Lord Dungarvan, and the second is Mr. Beaumont, who has lately joined the Sixteenth Lancers in Dublin, and takes his pleasure with the Meath, Kildare and Ward Union hounds.

—For a long time I have wanted that "queen of perfumes" for a handkerchief, "Lotus of the Nile." Please tell me how I can get it. Thus writes A. M. Granade, from away off in Batesville, Arkansas. When it is considered that the Lotus is not advertised in the States it must indeed be a wonderful perfume to have become known so far off. 36

Pointers to Mamma.

Here are some French superstitions: "The first time an infant's nails are cut, put a piece of gold or silver in its hands. To make a baby a good singer cut its nails behind a door, and to preserve it from toothache cut the nails on Monday. White spots on the nails of a child's right hand indicate good luck; if on the left, a tendency to approach St. Paul's opinion of the Cretans."

—Allen's Lung Balsam is warranted to break up the most troublesome cough in an incredibly short time. There is no remedy that can show more evidence of real merit than this Balsam for curing consumption, coughs, colds, asthma, croup, etc. 36

Dyspepsia.

—This prevalent malady is the parent of most of our bodily ills. One of the best remedies known for dyspepsia is Burdock Blood Bitters, it having cured the worst chronic forms after all else had failed. 246

Old Running Sores.

—Sores and ulcers, or abscesses hard to heal, are due to bad blood or scrofula. Purify the blood with Burdock Blood Bitters, and the worst sores speedily heal as the general health is restored. 246

The Eggs That Never Hatch.

There's a young man on the corner,
Filled with life and strength and hope,
Looking far beyond the present,
With the whole world in his scope.
He is grasping at to-morrow,
That phantom none can catch.
To-day is lost. He's waiting
For the eggs that never hatch.

There's an old man over yonder,
With a worn and weary face,
With searching anxious features,
And weak, uncertain pace,
He is living in the future,
With no desire to catch
The golden now. He's waiting
For the eggs that never hatch.

There's a world of men and women,
With their life's work yet undone,
Who are sitting, standing, moving,
Beneath the same great sun;
Ever eager for the future,
But not content to snatch
The present. They are waiting
For the eggs that will never hatch.

—Merchant Traveler.

He's Not a Family Man.

The poor old bachelor passes by
The gorgeous stores, nor looks
At Christmas gifts which greet the eye
And flatten pocketbooks;
He does not pause or gaze, because
He takes no stock in Santa Claus.

A PRESENT FOR EVERYBODY!

"TRUTH'S" SPECIAL

Great Holiday Bible Competition,

NO. 15.

In order that no one shall be disappointed in this competition, the proprietor of *Truth* will promptly mail, postpaid, a HALF DOZEN FINE SILVER-PLATED TEA SPOONS OF ELEGANT DESIGN, to every person sending one dollar, and six letter stamps, for four months subscription to *Truth*, and answering these three

BIBLE QUESTIONS.

1st. Where are SHEEP first mentioned in the Bible?
2nd. Where are GOATS first mentioned in the Bible?
3rd. Where are OXEN first mentioned in the Bible?

The Spoons will be given whether your answers are correct or not. The letters will all be carefully numbered by disinterested parties in the order they come to hand at *Truth* office, and if your answers are *correct*, and your letter arrives in time, you will get one of the costly prizes named below, *in addition* to the Silver-plated Tea Spoons. That is, the sender of the first letter received at *Truth* office correctly answering the above Bible questions will take number one of these first rewards, the Three Hundred Dollars in gold coin; the second the Piano; the third correct answer received will get the SILVER TEA SERVICE; the fourth correct answer, number four of these first rewards, and so on till they are distributed.

The spoons will be sent promptly on receipt of the dollar and stamps, but the list of the winners of the larger prizes in the first, middle and consolation rewards cannot of course be given till the close of the Competition, January 31st next, as it will not be known who are the winners of the prizes till the Competition ends.

In former lists of competitions are some of the most prominent men and women of Canada, as well as the most humble. All are welcome to compete, all will be treated with the utmost fairness, and everything offered in these lists will be positively distributed without partiality.

THE FIRST REWARDS.

1. Three Hundred Dollars in gold coin.
2. A fine rosewood grand square Piano, by a celebrated maker.
3 and 4. Two fine extra gold silver-plated Tea Services.
5, 6, 7 and 8. Four gentlemen's elegant fine Gold Watches, (American).
9, 10, 11 and 12. Four ladies' elegant fine Gold Watches.
13 to 19. Seven celebrated Wanzer Sewing Machines.
20 to 26. Seven gentlemen's fine solid Coin Silver Watches.
27 to 50. Twenty-four solid Gold Gem Rings, sizes to fit winners.
51 to 135. Eighty-five ladies' fine Rolled Gold Brooches.
136 to 507. Three hundred copies of a fine German Oleograph, better in quality and colors than most of the oil paintings now in the market.

In order to give all persons, living anywhere, a fair opportunity to gain rewards, there has been arranged a lot of rewards to be given to the sender of the middle correct answer in the whole competition, from first to last name inclusive, the senders of the one hundred and thirty-three correct answers following the middle one, you can therefore almost be certain of getting a valuable reward by sending in your dollar and stamps any time from now till the close of the competition, as well as securing *at once*, as soon as you send your money, the half dozen tea spoons, which, apart from any other prize you get, will cost you at retail *far more* than the entire sum of money asked for.

THE MIDDLE REWARDS.

1. A fine 10-stop Cabinet Organ, by a celebrated maker.
2 and 3. Two gentlemen's fine gold Open-face watches, newest design.
4, 5 and 6. Three ladies' fine gold Open-face Watches, newest design.
7, 8 and 9. Three double-barrelled English Twist Breech-loading Shot-guns, from Chas. Stark's great gun store.
10 to 40. Thirty-one fine extra heavy silver plated Cake Baskets, elegant pattern.
41 to 90. Fifty solid Gold Rings, 20 different patterns.
91 to 133. Forty-two fine Rolled Gold Brooches, newest designs.

After these middle rewards, for the benefit of those living at a greater distance, there has been arranged the consolation rewards. Number one of these rewards, the gold watch, will be given to the sender of the last correct answer received at *Truth* office in this competition; the second to the last, number two, the silver watch; the third from the last, number three, and so on, counting backwards till all the one hundred and twelve rewards are given away; Five (5) days only will be allowed for letters to reach *Truth* office from distant points, and all letters must bear postmark where mailed dated not later than the closing day of this competition, which is January 31st, 1886.

THE CONSOLATION REWARDS.

1. One gentleman's fine solid Gold Watch, elegantly engraved.
2. One lady's fine solid Gold Watch, beautiful design.
3, 4 and 5. Three gentlemen's fine coin Silver Watches.
6, 7, 8, 9 and 10. Five fine heavy extra Silver-plated Cake Baskets, newest designs.
11 to 20. Ten fine solid gold Gem Rings in pearls, rubies, emeralds and diamonds, size to fit winner.
21 to 40. Twenty solid Gold Rings, new patterns.
41 to 90. Fifty solid rolled Gold Brooches, new designs.
91 to 112. Twenty-one finely bound volumes of Shakespeare's Complete Works.

Mr. Wilson has been liberal and generous in his offers before, but this is the most liberal and best arranged plan yet devised of giving his customers the benefit of a portion of his profits, and distributing rewards direct to his readers, instead of giving them to agents for getting lists. The public should show their appreciation of his enterprise by patronizing him generously. Just consider that you are absolutely certain of—in the first place *Truth*, a large 28-page *weekly* magazine, for four months—which alone, we guarantee, will please you, and you will be so satisfied with your investment that you will renew for a year at the end of four months, and that is where Mr. Wilson hopes to make his profits; in the second place you will get the half-dozen silver-plated teaspoons, which are sold at retail for far more than the sum you will send; and in the third place, you have a chance of a fine piano, organ, gold watch or many of the other handsome and costly prizes in the three lists, provided you answer the Bible questions correctly.

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Mr. Wilson's whole system of Bible Questions has been endorsed by the clergy of all denominations, and there is no doubt but that they have resulted in giving a great impetus to Bible research and study throughout the length and breadth of Canada and the States, and accomplished much good. Letters have been published in *Truth* stating that the writers have in many instances taken up the Bible for the first time to study up questions that have been propounded from time to time, etc., etc. It will, we are sure, be to the interest of our many readers to take up this matter at once and compete without further delay. The prizes in this competition are not as numerous as the last one, but owing to the fact that EVERY ONE will get one reward (the spoons), and many persons will get two, the cost in the aggregate to the proprietor of *Truth* is very much greater than any yet offered to the public. Everything in the three lists of prizes will positively be given, and no postponement or alteration of these offers will be made.

Complete lists of the prize winners in this competition will be published in *Truth* immediately at the close of the competition on January 31 next. Prize lists of former competitions are appearing almost every week in *Truth*, and the names of any given may be referred to as to the genuineness of the offers. In order to prevent fraud, the proprietor of the *Truth* reserves the right to deny any person or persons the privilege of competing for these rewards. He has always done *exactly as promised* during these two years in conducting these competitions, and his reputation for fair and honest dealing is too well established now to risk overthrowing it. Address, S. Frank Wilson, *Truth* office, 33 and 35 Adelaide street west, Toronto, Canada. All money must be sent by mail or express, so as to give all an equal opportunity. None can be received by telegraph.

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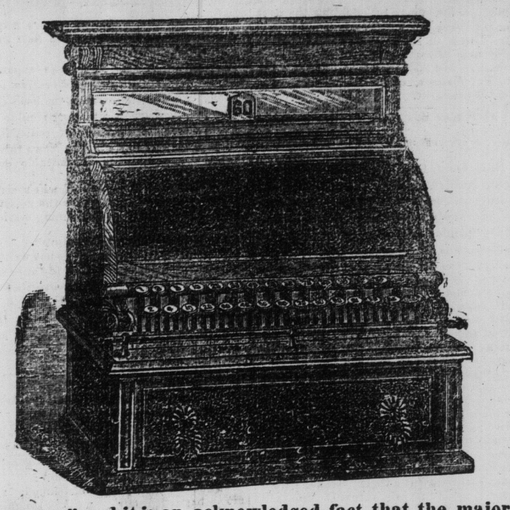

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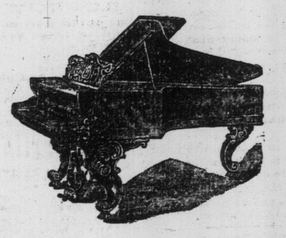

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