

tion he passed successfully in 1897. Since that time until graduation he has been a regular student at Wesley. At his examinations he was very successful, notwithstanding the large amount of time given to other matters, and his ability is attested by his successfully taking during his Junior B. A. year, in addition to his Arts work, a full year's work in Theology, while acting at the same time as pastor of Louise Bridge Mission and as book-keeper for Miss Martin's boarding establishment. During his Senior year, too, he was pastor of Burnside circuit and prepared himself for ordination, being ordained at Brandon

of the West. Here he finished his common school education, begun at Toronto, and passed through the High school. He then decided to enter commercial life, but this not being to his taste, he entered law, in the study of which he spent a year, but, being dissatisfied with his little stock of knowledge, he decided to take a course in Arts. He matriculated successfully, then took a Normal training, after which he taught a year. He then took off the Previous examination, afterwards teaching for three years; then, thinking he had fulfilled his pedagogical obligations, he determined to finish his Arts course. Accordingly, he



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last Conference. The large amount of time bestowed by W.S. on his mission fields withdrew his attention largely from College societies and associations, but to those who shared his intimate acquaintance, he will always be remembered as a diligent and faithful student, and one who took more than a passing interest in the welfare of those around him. As he enters upon his life-work he bears with him the best wishes of his many friends and associates.

E. J. BAWDEN, the subject of this sketch, was born in Toronto, the Queen City of the Dominion, in which place the first nine years of his life were passed. At the tender age of nine his family migrated to the Prairie Province, and his new home was taken up at Brandon, the Wheat City

came to Winnipeg and registered at Wesley in 1898. The course he pursued was Philosophy, in which he was a most successful student.

Ed. will be greatly missed from the halls of his Alma Mater, for he was a prominent member in all social, literary and athletic circles, being connected with the Philosophical society, the College Literary society, and athletic editor on the most successful editorial staff in the history of "Vox Wesleyana." But it is in athletic circles where his absence will be most noticeable, as he was a prominent figure in all college sports. He played a magnificent game of football in that most difficult of positions, centre forward. As a goal keeper in hockey he was *par excellence* the surest and quickest of the intercollegiate league, to