

*In the Final Branches*—J. E. Orr, R. M. Kincaid, J. R. Springle, A. E. Orr, H. D. Fritz, H. V. Pearman, J. H. Thompson, H. E. Young, A. D. Stewart, D. McLennan, P. C. Park, O. H. Hubbard.

PROFESSOR'S PRIZES.

*Botany*—W. A. Farwell, Lennoxville, Q.

*Anatomy*—Demonstrator's Prizes : 2nd year, R. E. McKech-nie ; 1st year, E. A. Grafton.

*Obstetrics*—W. G. Stewart.

*Pathology*—N. D. Gunne.

The Registrar having administered the oath, the newly-made M.D.'s were capped by the Principal.

Dr. J. G. McCarthy read the valedictory. It was a model of advice, based on a large experience of the student world, and a fine tribute to the faithfulness of the professors, the thoroughness of the work, and the wisdom and skill of the physicians and surgeons. He spoke of the liberality of thought, the kindly feelings and sincere friendship among students, irrespective of nationality and creed, whilst they are striving for one end, to become worthy members of a great profession. He briefly sketched the history of McGill, and contrasted it at different stages of its development. Even the class of '88, the largest in its history, has seen it double its accommodation, until now its diploma, from the standing of its staff and efficiency of the work, carries with it the recognition it deserves. Dealing with the lighter side of student life, he recounted fresh experiences, the piercing eye and determination of that janitor of janitors softening in the course of four years to a confidential chuckle, implying "You are now one of ourselves." He dwelt upon the personal weakness of the class for beards for the Spanish Cavalier, for a "speech or a song," and on behalf of the class he took a dignified leave in feeling terms of the professors and the University, and of the citizens, forgiving and forgetting the harsh criticisms occasionally passed on the medical student.

Dr. Geo. Wilkins, on behalf of the University, delivered the address to the students. (*See page 577.*)