

their profession is \$2,907.30, and the incomes of sixty-six vary from \$1,000 to \$20,000. Four are receiving incomes of from \$5,000 to \$20,000.

Some of these graduates are doing a noble work in the far off lands, India, China and Japan. No man in these countries, whatever his profession, is allowed access to the women of any household but his own, not even in the extremity of disease, but a lady educated as a physician may have as ready and intimate intercourse with those of her own sex as in this country. This being the case what a mighty influence a true-hearted Christian lady-physician can exert both over the bodies and souls of the women of the East?

Eight of the graduates of this College have engaged in this work, and one of them, Dr. Mary Seelye, established a child's hospital in Calcutta, the first of its kind in India, and so endeared herself as a woman and a physician to both natives and Europeans that, although she has passed away from this earth, she will never be forgotten.

A moral may be drawn from these statements and applied to the women of Canada. The practice of Medicine will afford them a sphere of labor, to which the school-desk and the counting house are not to be compared. It is well known that there are many female complaints which can not be properly treated for the simple reason that the medical *man* does not and cannot fully understand them. The screech that the study of medicine by a woman is debasing, and that she was not intended for such a profession, and such like nonsense, is fast dying away, and only taken up by men of a jealous and bigoted character, and shallow-minded women who think because they are contented to live supported by others, that there should be no others of a more independent spirit than themselves.

❖THE+CLOSING+EXERCISES.❖

CONSIDERING the fact that the University is now properly housed, and that the present session was the most eventful and auspicious that has left its impress on old Queen's, the Senate thought it eminently proper that its close should be celebrated in a manner suitable to the joyous feelings which every one connected with the University must feel. At this season of the year her loyal sons love to gather around their Alma Mater, and numerous are the Alumni who pour into the old university city—many coming hundreds of miles at each recurring Convocation for no other purpose than to renew the recollections of their college days.

We believe the Senate intend hereafter to make the closing ceremonies of such a character, and of such duration, that Alumni will find it worth their while to attend them; and the proceedings which have just come to a close may be looked on as a forerunner of what may be expected at the close of each session.

These proceedings were so eminently interesting that we will endeavor to set them before our readers in as full an account as possible, merely remarking that, as the other members of the staff have left for their homes, the work of getting out this JOURNAL has necessarily devolved upon the writer, who hopes he will be excused if any omissions or mistakes may be made.

SUNDAY.

The results of the Final Examinations in Arts and Theology were made known on Saturday. The suspense being over and anxiety removed, the session was considered practically closed on that day.

This (Sunday) was appointed for the delivery of the Baccalaureate Sermon—the first ever given in the college—by Rev. James Williamson, LL.D., Vice-Principal, who has seen thirty-six classes graduate from the college. We give a short report of the sermon.

Shortly after the opening proceedings,

Dr. Grant said the session was drawing to a close, and with it these Sunday afternoon services. He expressed the