

TRINITY COLLEGE, DUBLIN,

REGISTRAR'S OFFICE.

I am glad to have an opportunity of recommending MR. HERBERT TATE, M.A., for an Assistant Professorship in the McGill University. I have seen a statement of the subjects required, and I have no hesitation in stating that I regard MR. TATE as eminently fitted for such a post.

In addition to a training in Queen's College, Cork, MR. TATE attended four years Honour Courses at Trinity College in Mathematics (Pure and Applied), and in Experimental Physics and Chemistry, and he graduated with First-class Honours in both sets of subjects—obtaining two gold medals. I was one of his Examiners in Mathematics on this and on other occasions, and can therefore write from personal knowledge.

Since graduating MR. TATE has devoted himself to teaching and he will no doubt send testimonials on this side of his qualifications.

Should MR. TATE be appointed and his services be required for more advanced subjects than those in the programme that I have seen, he will be just as well qualified to undertake the duties of lecturer in them. His work as far as I have seen it is neat, and his reasoning and style precise and logical, and I should expect him to be an accurate and careful teacher.

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