

that the moral law cannot be broken with impunity, and proceeded to prove very clearly the infidelity of one of Toronto's foremost soldiers. Mr. Sawers in reply reiterated his previous statements. The negative won both on the merits of the speeches and the debate itself. Messrs. Spencer, Turley and Owen were appointed as a committee to amend the constitution.

## Theological and Missionary.

### MEETINGS.

At 7.30 on Tuesday evening, November 20th, a meeting will be held to hear and discuss papers on Conversion, which the Rev. J. E. Murrell Wright, B.A., and Mr. G. G. Ballard, B.A., are carefully preparing.

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On Tuesday evening, December 4th, a devotional meeting will be conducted in the Chapel by the Rev. Father Davenport.

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THE men are respectfully requested to consider these dates as engagements which they, as sons of Trinity and loyal to her institutions, are expected to keep.

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OWING to lack of space the record of the further doings of the Society is held over for the December number.

## Miscellany.

### CONVOCATION, 1900.

On Tuesday, October 23rd, our annual Convocation took place.

A more than usually well-filled hall; a student body that taxed the capacity more than for years past; on the dais a distinguished gathering which included bishops, judges, and several of Canada's most eminent educationists—all united to make the event a memorable one. The presence and the remarks of President Loudon, taken in connection with recent occurrences, added a significance to the occasion. This was the first Convocation held since the appointment of our new Provost, and probably the last Convocation, though all deplore it, at which our popular public orator, Rev. Prof. Huntingford, was to be present. Without doubt it was a fitting assemblage to preface the events of a College session which will see Trinity's fiftieth birthday.

The students early established themselves in the gallery. Pending the arrival of the procession their energies were centred in encouraging the ushers, although some of these evidently needed no encouragement in their attentions to the ladies of S. Hilda's.

At last the procession made its dignified way up the aisle. An exuberance of undergraduate spirits hailed its appearance, and, although it has justly been said that the students were at this Convocation more orderly and moderate than heretofore, moderation and orderliness were not inconsonant with the display of a little unobtrusive unit. With the vigorous ringing of the handbell, with humorous references to the new facial decoration recently affected by a member of the faculty, and with many sallies on kindred subjects the Convocation got under way.

Chancellor Allan, of course, presided, while at his right was seated the Provost and Vice-Chancellor; and at his left Rev. Professor Jones. Among those who were present in addition to the Faculty, were:—Bishop DuMoulin, Coadjutor Bishop Charles P. Anderson, of Chicago; Bishop Thornloe, Algoma; Bishop Hamilton, Ottawa; Bishop Dunn, Quebec; Archdeacon Bedford-Jones, Brockville; Dr. D. J. Goggin, Superintendent of Education, North-West

Territories; Archdeacon Houston; President Loudon, Toronto University; Mr. Justice Osler, Judge Macdonald; Dr. Parkin, Principal, Upper Canada College; Chancellor Burwash, Rev. Canon Tremayne, Rev. Canon Sweeney, Archdeacon Dixon, Rev. Dr. Bethune, Rev. Canon Polard, Rev. Dr. Langtry, Rev. Canon Welch, Rev. Canon Cayley, Rev. W. H. Clark, Rev. C. E. Thomson, Revs. A. J. and G. H. Broughall, Dr. Wishart, Dr. Fotheringham, Rev. G. E. Taylor, J. A. Worrell, Q.C., Rev. T. W. Pater-son, Rev. J. A. Richardson, Rev. G. C. Wallis, and Messrs. William Ince, Beverley Jones, James and Elmes Henderson, Edward Martin, Q.C., and Dr. Harold Parsons.

Immediately after the Latin prayer the degrees were conferred.

President Loudon's remarks on receiving his degree of D.C.L. were of much importance, because they dealt with a subject that concerns the future of the College. He hastened to express his appreciation of the distinction conferred upon him, deeming it, however, no more an honour to himself than to the institution over which he presided. It was, he thought, the outcome of those friendly relations between the two universities, which had of late been growing more friendly. Trinity and Toronto could claim a common parent in King's College. They could also claim a common interest in the first Bishop of Toronto, who might be regarded as the founder, not only of Trinity, but of King's College as well. For his part he rejoiced in the alliance of friendship existing between the two universities, he would rejoice far more if that alliance were extended. No mere formal connection was desired. They should have a union of loyalty and ambition, which would lead them to support one another in the noble cause of higher education.

Judge McDonald, James Henderson and D. J. Goggin also spoke briefly. Mr. Goggin, who is Superintendent of Education in the North-West Territories, felt the responsibilities as well as the privileges which his degree conferred on him, and he hoped that his future services would show Trinity that such was the case.

Bishop Anderson, Coadjutor of Chicago, on whom was conferred a D.D. degree, proved a very powerful speaker, and during his address the gallery was more than ordinarily attentive. He made eulogistic references to Trinity College School and to Trinity College, ascribing his advancement in the Church to the training he had received at these institutions. Not that he had been a scholarship man or even a hard-working student, but his character had been moulded by the wholesome influence of the residential life.

Bishop Dunn, of Quebec, brought fraternal greetings from Bishop's College, Lennoxville, and hoped that present relations between the two colleges would grow closer.

The medallists, scholars and prizemen were then presented to the Chancellor: G. B. Strathy, Prince of Wales' prize for honours in classics; A. S. B. Lucas, Prince of Wales' prize for honours in mathematics; L. A. Trotter, prize for honours in theology; G. B. Gordon, prize for honours in philosophy; Miss B. Bovell, prize for honours in modern languages and prize for honours in English; F. J. Sawers, Wellington scholarship in classics; W. H. M. Mockridge, Dickson scholarship in modern languages; Miss M. L. Nevitt, Dickson scholarship in modern languages; G. H. Tomlinson, Dickson scholarship in science; Miss M. F. Talbot, Burnside scholarship in English; F. W. Hovey, scholarship in philosophy; A. E. Taylor, Wellington scholarship in classics; E. M. Sait, Burnside scholarship in history; E. T. Owen, Wellington scholarship in classics; W. C. White, Wellington scholarship in mathematics; A. R. Kelly, Bishop Strachan scholarship in classics; L. C. Hodgins, Burnside scholarship in English and history; Miss D. Odum, head of S. Hilda's College, Governor-General's medal.

In his closing address, Chancellor Allan paid tribute to the late Sir James H. Hagarty, who had rendered