

prize of fifty dollars for highest standing in five ordinary subjects of the senior year was won by J. T. Hebert, of Dorchester; the City of Fredericton gold medal for Laboratory course and thesis on "The Chemistry of Soils and Fertilizers" was won by Ralph A. Tapley, of Marysville; the Alumnae Society's scholarship for highest standing among the young lady students of the sophomore year was won by Miss Mildred E. Wallace, of Fredericton; the Alumni Society's gold medal for the best translation into Latin of a passage from Merivale's History of the Romans was won by A. N. Carter, of Fair Vale, Kings County; the Brydone-Jack Scholarship for ordinary and honour Physics of the junior year was won by George R. Carpenter, of Gagetown.

Ten members of the graduating class won first-class honours as follows:—Jessie W. Currie in Latin and Greek; Anna C. Kelley in Latin and Greek and also in Mathematics and Mathematical Physics; William H. Teed in Latin and Greek and also in Mathematics and Mathematical Physics; Saidee W. Fish in Natural Science and Chemistry and also in English and French; Elizabeth W. McIntosh in Natural Science and Chemistry; Ralph A. Tapley in Natural Science and Chemistry; Arthur E. Floyd in Philosophy and Economics; J. T. Hebert in Philosophy and Economics and also in English and French; Greta M. Robinson in English and French; Earle R. Macnutt in Economics and English.

On the Tuesday evening before Encœnia the graduating class had a class dinner at the Queen Hotel, to which the Chancellor and Mrs. Jones were invited. On the Wednesday evening the regular graduation dance, if one may so speak, was held in the University gymnasium. On the night of Encœnia the Bicycle and Boat Club of Fredericton gave a dance in honour of the graduating class, and the Alumni Society gave a dinner at the Queen Hotel. At this last function the chief feature was the speeches made by the Hon. G. E. Foster, the Hon. J. D. Hazen and Senator Ellis.

At the Encœnia proper Dr. Carson delivered the address in praise of the founders on behalf of the Faculty, the Hon. G. E. Foster delivered the Alumni oration, J. T. Hebert the valedictory in behalf of the graduating class. The honorary degree of Doctor of Laws was conferred upon His Honor, the Honorable Josiah Wood, Lieutenant-Governor of New Brunswick, and also upon the Rev. T. W. Street, the oldest living graduate of the University.

The Chancellor announced that the Highland Society of Miramichi had established a scholarship in the University to aid needy Scotchmen, and that the Hon. L. J. Tweedie would give his prize of fifty dollars again next year.

## MOUNT ALLISON UNIVERSITY.

Mount Allison has had this year new heads of two of the three branches of the Institution. Both Dr. Borden, as President of the University, and Dr. Campbell, Acting Principal of the Ladies' College, have been most successful in their administration. At the meeting of the Board of Regents Dr. Campbell was appointed regularly Principal. Since their duties would prevent him and Dr. Borden from taking as active a part as was thought desirable in the canvass for increase of endowment which was formulated a year ago, it was decided to secure an agent who will devote his entire attention to the work. During the year about \$94,000 have been added to the Endowment Fund, and the aim is to increase that amount to \$200,000 by the end of the next collegiate year. That will be a somewhat special occasion, for in 1913 the University celebrates the fiftieth anniversary of the graduation of the first B. A. class. The class consisted of only two members, both of whom are still living—His Honor Lieutenant-Governor Wood and Rev. Howard Sprague, D. D.

In the Academy there has been about the average attendance, and work has gone on quietly and regularly. Twenty-nine finished the Commercial and Shorthand courses, and ten received certificates of matriculation. Some considerable changes in the teaching staff are in prospect for next year.

The Ladies' College programme contained some brilliant violin work by the orchestra and Miss Lennie Lusby, of Amherst, N. S., who has this year been assistant in this department and took a post-graduate honor diploma. She leaves early in June to spend a few years of study in Germany. Professor Pickard, of Leeds, England, who has been for two years teacher of the pipe organ, is returning home. Professor Brunton, the director, who has left to spend the summer in England and Germany, will during his trip secure a successor. The graduates numbered twenty-three, spread over a variety of departments—literary work, household science, violin, organ, piano, vocal, drawing, and arts and crafts. The last form of work is of the practical sort which appeals to this age, and the students in that department had a most interesting exhibition of wood carving, leather tooling, jewellery and designing, the products of their skill. A fancy cover for the Christmas *Argosy* was designed by a member of the class, and another for the *Argosy* about to appear was selected from several submitted in competition.

At the University Convocation fifty-three received degrees or certificates in arts, science and theology. William H. Irving, of Moncton, N. B., who won the Alumni Life Membership as having made the highest general average throughout his course, delivered a very impressive valedictory address. Norman M. Guy, of Newfoundland, who