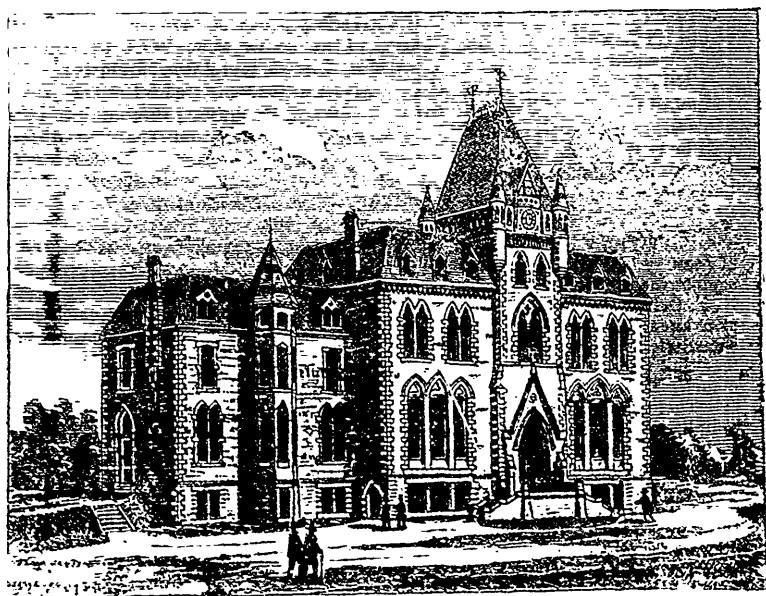


June, 1868, the Rev. Dr. D. H. MacVicar, then minister of Cote street Church in this city, was placed at the head of the institution as Professor of Systematic Theology and Apologetics, by appointment of the General Synod. It was then destitute of resources and appliances of all sorts, but has already accumulated assets amounting to over seventy thousand dollars, and has over forty students upon its roll. Four of these are Gold Medallists in Arts, two from the University of Toronto, and two from McGill College, Montreal; and two of these are preparing for Foreign Mission work. Six of its graduates are settled pastors—two of them in the Province of Quebec and four in Ontario. Ten students will graduate next spring. The library, numbering over ten thousand volumes, is select and valuable; and twenty scholarships are offered for annual competition, and a gold medal founded by the students. This medal is awarded on special and extensive examinations in theology, and limited to the graduating class of each session. Full provision is made for training French-speaking students with a view to missionary service among Roman Catholics. This is the only institution in the Dominion that offers such facilities.

The staff of instructors for the present session are Rev. D. H. MacVicar, LL.D., Prof. of Systematic Theology, &c.; Rev. D. Coussirat, B.D, Prof. of Polemics, &c.; lectures in French; together with the following lecturers, viz.: Rev. J. M. Gibson, M.A., in Exegesis; Rev. Wm. McLaren, in Apologetics; Rev. John Campbell, M.A., in Church History; Rev. Wm. McKenzie, in Pastoral Theology; Mr. G. Gibson, M.A., Classical Tutor; Mr. J. Andrews, Elocutionist, who lectures twice a week, all students being required to attend his class.



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