

and of which the highest reward is the consciousness of having performed one's duty.

To his personal friends the death of Sir Daniel Wilson is a positive loss. Those who have had the happiness to count themselves among the number will long remember the charm of his manner, his readiness of illustration, his love of truth because it was truth, his depth of affection, his warm Catholic sympathy.

I know how imperfectly I can express the sorrow felt by us all at his loss, but Sir Daniel obtained a good old age and passed away after a long life of honourable usefulness. He died as he lived, in harness. His life has been one constant educational effort. He was untiring in his labours. His attainments and his literary work reflect honour alike on the fair country in which he spent his best years and the old historic land from which he sprung. He raised himself to the first rank as a student in his favorite researches and made his name known in all civilized countries. It was his privilege to enjoy in the highest degree the confidence and esteem of those who stand first in virtue and harmony on both sides of the Atlantic. It was but last year when his native city paid him the highest honours. In Canada he has long been a central figure in a great educational sphere, where his talents and his virtues exerted an influence upon the destinies of those around him.

Sir Daniel Wilson has passed away, but his life and work and character will not pass away. Every literary man, every educational body in the country can bear testimony to his worth.

It is meet that we should do homage to a name which was closely identified for many long years with a sister institution. To one who has known him throughout his Canadian career it is a sad satisfaction thus humbly and imperfectly to pay loving tribute to his memory.

#### ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.

Subscriptions sent to the Principal to assist him in equipping the new Laboratories in Medicine:

Already acknowledged.....	\$100
Professor Anglin, M.D.....	25
Professor Knight, M.D.....	100
Dr. John L. Bray, Chatham.....	10

#### DIVINITY HALL.

After the revelations made some weeks ago in connection with Divinity Hall, the theologues have become very reticent about their business. They solemnly resolved that in future no JOURNAL man should have access to their meetings. It is reported that in consequence the selection of the various men for ecclesiastical dignity was made under cover of darkness, when it was thought that all strange students had left the building. But, alas, "the best laid schemes o' men and mice gang aft a-glee." The shade of Oily was concealed in the mighty pulpit in the Divinity class-room. The shade reports that after an acrimonious debate the ballot papers were passed around. The result of the vote was as follows:

Pope—James Madill, Esq.

Archbishop—James Rollins, Esq.

Bishop—James Hodges, Esq., B.A.

It was decided that no one was worthy to succeed Patriarch Sharp. The Patriarchal office was therefore abolished with due solemnity.

#### ECHOES OF THE DISCUSSION.

Has not Madill disqualified himself for his office? Is he not a married man?—J. M. M-l-r.

I consider that Mr. Rollins has not yet sufficiently developed the traditional tone in his delivery.—R. L-r-d.

Well, H-d-g-s, it must be either of us.—C. H. Daly.

It has been decided that the time for another heresy trial has arrived. Divinity Hall has its watchful eye on a post graduate student with classical proclivities, who is strongly suspected of heterodoxy.

The students of the Hall are requested to be vigilant in this matter, and in the interest of truth, to note every evidence of independent thinking on the part of any student, and to lay such evidence before the executive above mentioned. It is understood that the executive will deal severely with any departure from Old Sarum.

Principal—"I wish, Mr. Th-p-n, you would furnish me a translation of your metaphysical treatment of this subject." Th-p-n—"But, Principal, you always insist that it is better to read the original."