

will be built a beautiful Gothic hall, also for the use of the students.

Behind these three buildings, the Governors will, at the expense of the University, erect in a style of architecture, consistent with the buildings in front, the gymnasium, swimming baths, etc., so much required by the students, the present gymnasium being absorbed in the group of buildings. The site will be the land in front of the present gymnasium and Students' Union, and southward for the necessary distance.

The part to be borne by the Massey Estate in this new arrangement is a very large and costly undertaking, one of the most important, if not the most important, ever made for the benefit of the public in Toronto.

Handsome residence buildings have also been presented to the University, in one case by Mr. E. C. Whitney, and in another by several other friends of the University.

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### **The Academy of Medicine to Have a New Home.**

We understand from good authority that, owing to the University of Toronto being unable to give the Trustees of the Academy of Medicine permission to put up the desired buildings, the same to include an auditorium and stack-room, there is every probability, of the Academy having a new home in the very near future. It seems that the University intends taking up all of its leases as they fall due, on account of the fact that they have very little property left on which to erect the necessary buildings for educational purposes. The Board of Trustees of the Academy have been considering the advisability of spending from twenty-five to thirty thousand dollars on the present property, but the President of the Board of Governors of the University of Toronto, it seems, cannot see his way to giving the necessary permission for the expenditure of a sum greater than fifteen thousand dollars. We understand that the Massey Estate