Miss Bell, Teacher of Lower First Form—Girls. Mrs. Davidson, Teacher of Lower First Form —Boys.

W. C. Foster, Drawing Master. Prof. Johnson, Music Master.

The work of preparing students for the Universities is made a specialty. The following classes are maintained for this purpose:

1. Class for senior matriculationhonors in all departments.

2. Class for junior matriculationhonors in all departments.

3. Class for junior matriculation-

4. Classfor matriculation in medicine. There are also classes for all grades of certificates—FIRST, SECOND and THIRD CLASS.

Those reading for matriculation in the LAW SOCIETY are classed with the "pass" matriculation students, and do the same work.

Candidates for examination in ENGI-NEERING recite with the honor class in mathematics for junior matriculation.

The special features of the school are: ' 1st. Each department of the upper school is taught by a University trained man, who has made the subjects of his department a specialty in his University course.

2nd. Complete equipment for doing the work of both upper and lower school. Not only is there a full staff of masters, but there is an ample supply of maps, mechanical apparatus used in applied mathematics, chemicals and chemical appliances for experiments, and apparatus for illustrating physics.

3rd. Large classes reading for matriculation in the Universities. Arrangements are made for those who have all the subjects for matriculation prepared, except classics and modern languages, to join special classes in these subjects, to enable them to advance more rapidly than they would in the lower school.

4th. A course of instruction in practical chemistry. Students will be taught both to manipulate and extemporize apparatus. 5th. A large collection of fossils and minerals; also several cases of Canadian birds, human skeleton, etc., to illustrate the lessons in physiology.

6th. Two flourishing literary societies among the students for the purpose of improving themselves in public speaking, reading, writing of essays, and in general literature.

7th. A course of lectures on Shakespeare's plays, by Prof. D. C. Bell, late of Dublin. The following plays of the series have been read : King John, King Richard the Second, King Henry the Fourth (part I and 2), King Henry the Fifth, King Henry the Sixth, King Richard the Third, King Henry the Eighth, As You Like It, The Merry Wives of Windsor, and Much Ado About Nothing. The series will conclude for this season with the Roman historical tragedy of Julius Cæsar.

8th. Classes in free-hand, oil and water-color drawing.

9th. Publication of a school journal by the Literary Societies.

10th. Advanced class in vocal music.

## THE SCHOOL AT THE UNI-VERSITIES.

During the last four years 40 students of this School have entered Toronto University; of these 29 are now attending lectures.

During 1877, 28 of our students passed University examinations; of these, 2 passed the first year's examination in Arts direct from the School, I passed in Engineering, 5 passed the Matriculation examination held in June, I passed the Senior Matriculation examination held in September, I passed the first year's examination in Arts at the McGill University, 15 passed the McGill examination for Associate in Arts, and 3 matriculated in Medicine.

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The following Scholarships have been won by the pupils of the School since 1873:—