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YOUR HONOR, guests, members of the Faculty, and fellow-students :
In opening this, the ninth annual dinner of the Medical Faculty in the University of Toronto, it affords me the greatest pleasure to extend, on behalf of the faculty and students, to our guests this evening a hearty welcome, and I earnestly trust and desire that you will enjoy our hospitality to the utmost. This is the one evening of the year when it is our privilege to have with us and to unitedly entertain those to whom we are in many ways indebted ; but I must confess that our entertainment is not without the alloy of selfishness, as we are looking forward with no small degree of pleasure and anticipation to the addresses which are to follow.

Among those who grace our halls to-night are representatives of Church and State, of Bench and Bar, of the professor's chair and the practitioner

* Delivered at the banquet of the Medical Faculty of the University of Toronto, December 5, 1895.