

members of the University Senate and increasing the representation of graduates was carried unanimously, after which Mr. J. H. Coyne was appointed to represent the Elgin Association in the Executive Committee of Convocation. An Executive Committee, consisting of Messrs. Millar, Glenn, Quance and Ames, was appointed by the association to exercise general supervision on university matters, with power to call the association together when they think proper.

The meeting then adjourned.

ONTARIO COUNTY GRADUATES' ASSOCIATION.

A meeting of the graduates of the University residing in the County of Ontario was held in Whitby on Saturday last. A county association was formed, David Ormiston, of Whitby, being elected chairman, and A. Stevenson, of Pickering College, secretary for the current University year. The chairman was instructed to act also as the representative of the Association upon the Executive Committee of Convocation. The following resolutions were adopted:

- (1) That the Association disapproves very strongly of any proposition for the further increase of fees in the University of Toronto or in University College.
- (2) That this Association disapproves of the granting of scholarships out of the public funds.
- (3) That in the opinion of this Association it is advisable that University College should continue, as at present, to teach the work prescribed for the First Examination of the University of Toronto.
- (4) That this Association is of the opinion that the University of Toronto, having been established by the State, should receive direct aid from the Legislature of Ontario, and that, owing to the present urgent needs of that institution, application for such aid should be made at once.

QUICQUID AGUNT.

The Glee Club have postponed their proposed concert in Guelph until an indefinite period next term.

The University F.B.C. was represented at the Toronto F.B.C. dinner on Wednesday evening last, by Messrs. E. S. Wile and A. MacLaren.

A foot-ball match (Association) was played on the lawn, Wednesday afternoon, between the second teams of Knox and the University, resulting in a draw.

A Freshman in Residence is in great anxiety whether he will be charged in his next 'Battells' for a fall chicken which was not ordered but which came up with his poached eggs. This is his first experience, which no doubt explains his anxiety.

The College Examinations which were to have begun on the 13th inst., have been, through the kindness of Dr. Wilson, postponed till Monday, the 19th, in order that the Literary Society may use Convocation Hall for the Public Debate.

'Bob' and 'J. K.' of the Third year; Blakeley and McLaren of the Second year; Bruce, Fleury, McLean, Halstead, Colquhoun, and the inseparable Brown and Smith of the First year, took the oath of allegiance to His Supreme Excellency, Lord Grand Mufti, during last week.

Dr. Wilson has recently received from Mr. A. J. Hill, Port Moody, British Columbia, two interesting examples of skulls (male) of the Squamish Tribe, a race of Flathead Indians, of Burrard Inlet, British Columbia. He is also indebted to Dr. R. A. Reeve, B.A., M.D., for a blanket dress of the Bella-Bella Indians, of B. C., made of mountain goat's hair and cypress fibre, and trimmed with beaver fur. If our graduates in the North-West, and elsewhere, would keep in view the Museum of their Alma Mater in this manner, its interest and value would soon be greatly increased.

A meeting of the committee of the Rugby F. B. C. was held last Wednesday afternoon, when all business for the year was finished and the season formally closed. The \$20 for which the Club was assessed by the Union as their share of the subscription for the challenge cup was paid out of the Club funds, which leaves a small balance in the Treasury to commence operations next year. The membership was sixty-seven. The following is a record of the matches played during the year. There were seven matches played, of which four were won, two lost, and one drawn. Matches won:—(1) Oct. 12th, Univ. Coll. vs. St. George's, 17 pts.; (2) Oct. 18th, Univ. Coll. vs. Trinity Coll., 23 pts.; (3) Nov. 3rd, Univ. Coll. vs. McGill, 7 pts.; (4) Nov. 22nd, Univ. Coll. vs. Guelph Ag. Coll., 77 pts. Matches lost:—(5) Oct. 27th, Toronto vs. Univ. Coll., 22 pts.; (6) Nov. 6th, U. C. Coll. vs. Univ. Coll., 5 pts. Match drawn;—(7) Oct. 16th, U. C. Coll. vs. Univ. Coll., 1 to 1.

In a contest between the Freshmen and Sophomores, at the Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, several of the students were severely injured. One of them is now mentally deranged.

College News.

TRINITY MEDICAL SCHOOL.

That Old Father Christmas is close at hand is evident, from the many enquiries among our students as to when the school breaks up for holidays. As yet there seems to be no certainty, some asserting that we will say good-bye to our Toronto friends on the fifteenth, others the twentieth inst.; however, we hope to be able, in our next report, to state for a fact, when this important time will arrive.

On Monday there was a large meeting in the lecture theatre, to elect our representative for the McGill College Annual Dinner. Messrs. Fierheller, Sprague, and Trow were nominated for the position. It was clear to all that the contest would be a keen one, and upon the first ballot being counted Mr. Fierheller led his opponents by ten votes; upon the second, he was elected by a very satisfactory majority. He is a good man, and will no doubt sustain the high reputation Trinity has gained all over the Dominion of Canada.

On Tuesday afternoon there was another large and successful meeting, to establish an Athletic Club, Mr. F. H. Brennan occupying the chair.

Mr. Féré was elected President; Mr. Brennan, Vice-President; Mr. Cleminson, Secretary. The following gentlemen compose the Committee: Messrs. Farrer, Hood, David, and Hamilton.

Meetings seem to be the order of the day this week, for on Wednesday afternoon there was held another, to elect our representative for the Western Medical School Dinner. However, we were doomed to disappointment in the transaction of business, as the lecture bell rang, and, after a motion having been passed to hold the election on Thursday afternoon, the meeting adjourned.

There being many conflicting opinions regarding the right of the Primary years to send one of their number as representative for this school at the dinner, a meeting was held of these years on Thursday morning, to discuss the question, when, a vote having been taken, it was declared advisable that the representative should be a Final man. Notwithstanding this decision, it is thought a Primary man will be placed in the field.

We have the programme of our Literary and Scientific Society's meeting on Saturday evening, and judging from its contents it is a very meritorious one. Amongst other attractions, there is to be a paper by the Dean, Dr. Geikie; songs, readings, recitations, etc., by the students.

TORONTO MEDICAL SCHOOL.

At a general meeting of the students of the T. S. M. on Monday 3rd inst., Mr. Spence was elected over Mr. Ellis to represent this College at the annual dinner of McGill Medical School.

At the meeting referred to above, Mr. King brought in a motion to the effect that the freshman fee be one dollar and that each of the students of the other years be taxed twenty-five cents per annum, the money to go toward the expenses of representatives to other colleges and the numerous other little expenses for which the students are being daily asked to contribute.

We believe there was also a clause in it relating to the students of the summer session being allowed to draw from this fund. This motion gave rise to one of the liveliest discussions that has taken place for some time. No doubt the motion would be a good one if the last clause were left out. It is absurd to think of the students of the winter session being taxed for the expenses of the summer students.

We must congratulate a certain student upon an event which took place recently. The gentleman in question was acting as clinical clerk to a member of the Hospital Staff who had under his charge a private patient suffering from a serious complication of diseases. After a time he left the hospital and went to board in a private house, where the student visited him and carried out a treatment mostly palliative, which treatment was recommended at the hospital. The patient died shortly afterwards, leaving a sum of one thousand dollars to the student for his kindness and attention.

Two weeks ago we had to report the illness of Mr. Patterson, house surgeon. This week we have pleasure in announcing his convalescence and return to duty, but regret to record the illness of Mr. Draper, who is suffering from an attack of typhoid fever.

We think the clinics at the T. G. H. would be more acceptable were each lecturer to confine himself to some particular system and thus have the work divided, one person taking, for instance, the respiration system, another the circulation system, etc. In this way the work would all be got over, and we would not have, as now, two or three clinics in the same disease in the same week, and then have it repeated the next week on some other disease, while some important subjects would not be touched upon at all.