

English descent, for ignorance of the French language. The Act of Incorporation is explicit on this point. It states, 'that the qualifications to be required by the Board of Governors, from a person about to commence the study of medicine in this Province, shall be,—a good moral character, and a competent knowledge of Latin, History, Geography, Mathematics, and Natural Philosophy; and that from and after the end of the year one thousand eight hundred and fifty, a general knowledge of the French and English languages shall be indispensable.' We understand that the two young gentlemen, who were thus unfortunate, passed otherwise very creditable examinations. But the Board had no other alternative than to carry out the law; and we state these facts as a warning to students."

"CONVOCATION, UNIVERSITY OF MCGILL COLLEGE.—At the Convocation held on Thursday, May 8th, the following gentlemen were admitted to the degree of M. D. The valedictory address was delivered by G. W. Campbell, M. D., Lecturer on Surgery. With the names of the gentlemen, we subjoin their residences and the subjects of their Theses:

R. C. Weilbrenner, Boucherville, C. E. on Difficult Labour; Peter O. Carr, Simcoe, C. W., on Diseases of the Bones; W. H. Hingston, Montreal, C. E., on Plethora; G. M. McMicking, Chippewa, C. W., on Puerperal Fever; S. T. Brooks, Sherbrooke, C. E., on Hæmoptysis; Robert Walker, Simcoe, C. W., on Intermittent Fever; J. J. Blacklock, Cornwall, C. W., on Epilepsy; George LeClere, Montreal, C. E., on Apoplexy; Onesime Bruneau, Montreal, C. E., on Cancer; Charles E. Casgrain, River Ouelle, C. E., on Epilepsy; John W. Mount, Mascouche, C. E., on Tetanus.—*Brit. Amer. Journal.*

## THE ST. LAWRENCE SCHOOL OF MEDICINE, MONTREAL.

ANOTHER Medical School has been established in Montreal under the above designation. We recognize among the Lecturers the names of several who have been most favourably known as teachers for several years past, in that city. We need only allude to Dr. Arnoldi, on Midwifery; Dr. McDonnell, on Surgery; and Dr. Horace Nelson, on Anatomy, to augur that this school will form a powerful rival to the other two institutions already, we are informed, in successful operation. The chairs of Practice of Medicine, Institutes of Medicine, with Comparative Anatomy and Zoology, and Materia-Medica and Pharmacy, are to be occupied by Drs. David, Gibb, and Fenwick, gentlemen, according to report, thoroughly qualified for doing justice to the task which they have undertaken.

The fees for the lectures are to be the same as those at the University of McGill College. We are happy to find that this is the case, because it indicates all absence of opposition to, and petty jealousy against that institution, which would certainly have been inferred had the class fees at the new Institution been lower than those at the original school. *We heartily wish our medical brethren success in their undertaking.* We perceive that an act of incorporation is sought by them from the Legislature.