

established and operated. The chief difficulty has always been the want of necessary room accommodation for a number of pupil-nurses. This difficulty was finally overcome by the construction last year of a new mansard storey to the hospital, which has been found to fully meet all the requirements. The school was organized for work under the lady superintendent, Miss Livingstone, on April 1st, 1890, and a formal public opening, at which the Governor-General and Lady Stanley kindly consented to be present, took place on the 11th December following. There were thirty-eight pupils in training during the year, and weekly lectures were given by members of the medical board and resident staff, besides daily instruction by the lady superintendent. The working of the school has been eminently satisfactory, and the nursing of the hospital has been brought up to a high standard.

The Committee of Management, as desired by the governors, have been earnestly engaged in preparing for the construction of considerable additions to the hospital. After careful consideration of the requirements, it was decided to erect two large surgical pavilions and a spacious amphitheatre attached thereto, at an estimated expenditure of \$100,000. These are to be called respectively the Campbell wing, under the donation of Sir George Stephen, and the Greenshields wing, under the bequest of the late Mr. David Greenshields. Contracts have been given out, ground broken and building operations begun. It is thought that about one year will be required for their completion.

During the year Dr. Kirkpatrick continued to fill the position of medical superintendent with his accustomed diligence and faithfulness. In April he resigned his office to begin the practice of his profession in this city. The Committee have appointed Dr. D. J. Evans, a former resident medical officer, to be medical superintendent, and believe that under him the affairs of the Hospital will be successfully conducted.

The vacancies occurring by the termination of the year of office of Drs. McKechnie, Smith, Inksetter and Vidal have been filled by the election of Drs. J. R. Spier, W. S. Morrow, H. Tatley, E. A. Grafton and W. F. Hamilton. The non-resident clinical assistants to serve alternately for six months in the outdoor and gynaecological departments are Drs. E. A. Robertson and W. F. Farwell.

The following gentlemen have acted as collectors in the different