

stitute so important a part of the "Medals of Creation." To render the collection fully available we require a fire-proof room for its accommodation, and a sum of \$2,000 for the expense of its arrangement. The sum necessary for the former purpose I have already collected from a few friends of the University, whose names will be announced in the forthcoming calendar; but we still require the last mentioned sum, which however, may perhaps be secured before the next meeting of the Convocation. I would close these remarks by reference to a circular which will shortly be issued privately by the Board of Governors, and which specifies some of the objects which they wish to attain to in the further growth of the University. I would remind our friends that it is not a begging petition, but simply a suggestion as to the means in which a great public interest may be advanced by those who can afford to be public benefactors. They will also find that our aims are very modest in comparison with the noble educational endowments of Great Britain, or with the sums which our neighbours of the United States, with their usual liberality and practised sagacity, give to such objects. In the past year it is stated that the private benefactions to institutions of the higher education in the American Union amount to no less than three millions of dollars. At such a rate of increase the United States may soon excel the Mother country in its educational endowments. We are far behind either; but we have made good beginnings, to be followed, I hope, in due time, by still greater things. The Benediction having been pronounced the Convocation was declared adjourned till to-morrow, when degrees in Law and Medicine would be conferred.—*Gazette*.

—TORONTO VETERINARY COLLEGE.—The annual examination for diplomas of the pupils attending this institution took place recently. Our readers are perhaps aware that the College has now been in existence for about six years, and that it is established under the authority of the board of Agriculture. Until within the last two or three years not as many licensed practitioners were to be found in the Province of Ontario; nine of the students presented themselves for examination, and there are twenty-one besides in the school going through the regular curriculum of study. This comprises Anatomy, Materia Medica, Pathology, and Physiology, &c. Upon these subjects the candidates were very strictly examined, the test occupied over four hours. The examiners were Messrs, W. Varley, V.S., 13th Hussars; T. J. Lang, V.S., Royal Artillery; Mr. Haggard, V.S., Brampton; W. B. Nichol, M.D., and W. Rowell, M.D.,—The gentlemen who were fortunate enough to obtain diplomas were Messrs. Coleman, St. Mary's; Wilson, London; Wells, King; Uphaw Chinguacousy; Thomas, Owen Sound; Sanderson, Richmond Hill; Cowan, Waterloo; and Gemmell, Grahamsville. The institution, we should have mentioned is under the superintendence of Mr. Smith, V.S. having with him as associates Mr. Thorburn, V.S., Mr. Bovell, V.S., and Professor Buckland.

IX. Departmental Notices.

PROVINCIAL CERTIFICATES GRANTED BY THE CHIEF SUPERINTENDENT OF EDUCATION.

The Chief Superintendent of Education, on the recommendation of the Masters of the Normal School, and under the authority of the following section of the Consolidated Common School Act for Ontario, has granted to the undermentioned students of the Normal School, Provincial Certificates of Qualification as Common School Teachers in any part of this Province.

"107. The Chief Superintendent of Education, on the recommendation of the Teachers of the Normal School, may give to any Teacher of Common Schools a Certificate of Qualification, which shall be valid in any part of [Ontario] until revoked; but no such Certificate shall be given to any person who has not been a student in the Normal School."

The Certificates are divided into Classes, in harmony with the general programme, according to which all teachers in this Province are required to be examined and classified, and are valid until revoked, or until the expiration of the time mentioned in the Certificate.

Each Certificate is numbered and recorded in the Register of the Department, in the following order:

THIRTY-NINTH SESSION.—DATED 15TH JUNE, 1868.

MALES.

<i>First Class.—Grade B.</i>	<i>Grade B.</i>
2546. Boyle, William S. (2482).	2563. Clark, William Reid.
2547. Campbell, Aaron Jesse (1652).	2564. Dennis, James Edwin.
2548. Hay, Andrew (1940).	2565. Doupe, William.
2549. Manley, Charles Lewis.	2566. Ferrier, Amos B.

- 2550. Scott, William.
 - 2551. Williams, James Richard.
- Grade C.*
- 2552. Boulter, Joshua John.
 - 2553. Galbreath, William James.
 - 2554. Houston, John.
 - 2555. Leslie, Alexander (2399).

Second Class.—Grade A.

- 2556. Edwards, Thomas Albert.
- 2557. Farrington, James (1938).
- 2558. Jardine, Wm. Wilson (2336).
- 2559. Mulloy, David Wilson.
- 2560. McKellar, Hugh.
- 2561. Stahle Schmidt, William (2491).
- 2562. Ward, Edward.

FEMALES.

First Class.—Grade A.

- 2580. Sutherland, Margaret (2506).
- Grade B.*
- 2581. Calder, Elizabeth (2528).
 - 2582. Moore, Isabella (2535).
 - 2583. Thompson, Charlotte Emily, (2540).

Grade C.

- 2584. Armstrong, Elizabeth (2516).
- 2585. Daville, Emma Julia.
- 2586. Mearns, Isabella (2427).

Second Class.—Grade A.

- 2587. Fletcher, Margaret (2531).
- 2588. Fraser, Margaret (2532).
- 2589. Harney, Ellen Hora (2534).
- 2590. McDonald, Annie Jane (2537).
- 2591. Robertson, Jane.
- 2592. Spread, Margaret.

Grade B.

- 2593. Batty, Alice Pamela

- 2567. Gill, Samuel Rea.
- 2568. Hughes, Samuel.
- 2569. Jessop, Elisha (2494).
- 2570. McIlvanie, Samuel.
- 2571. McKay, David W. B.
- 2572. Ward, Henry.
- 2573. Wilson, John.

Grade C.

(Expire 15th June, 1869.)

- 2574. Campbell, John Harkness.
- 2575. Crawford, Duncan.
- 2576. Iaw, Benjamin.
- 2577. McMillan, John.
- 2578. Reilly, Marlow Miles.
- 2579. Rutherford, Peter (2342).

Grade C.

(Expire 15th June, 1869.)

- 2594. Bodwell, Sarah Melinda.
- 2595. Calder, Annie.
- 2596. Good, Rebecca Ida.
- 2597. Gorman, Jane Ann.
- 2598. Hoggan, Eliza.
- 2599. Johnson, Sarah Edith.
- 2600. Lister, Jane.
- 2601. McGurn, Mary Jane.
- 2602. Nicholls, Mary Ann.
- 2603. Preston, Sarah.
- 2604. Sefton, Annie Maria (2109).
- 2605. Walkinsbaw, Mary Ann.
- 2606. Walsh, Mary Ann.
- 2607. Brown, Martha Eva (2296).
- 2608. Brownlee, Marion.
- 2609. Coyne, Margaret Jane (2455).
- 2610. Hunter, Mary.
- 2611. McBride, Charlotte Louisa.
- 2612. Rowland, Alice Jane.
- 2613. Tambllyn, Elizabeth Ann.
- 2614. Trott, Mary Ann.
- 2615. Watt, Elizabeth C.

EXPIRED CERTIFICATES.

The Certificates of the *Second Class, Grade C.*, granted subsequently to the nineteenth session, have been limited to one year from their respective dates. Lists of certificates which expired before June, 1868, have already appeared in the *Journal of Education*, and the following list comprises those which expired on the 15th of that month.

MALES.

- 2410. Obtained second class B (2489)
- 2411. Obtained second class A (2481)
- 2412. Obtained second class B (2490)

FEMALES.

- 2453. Obtained second class A (2514)
- 2454. Clark, Alvina.
- 2455. Obtained second class C (2609)
- 2456. Obtained second class B (2529)
- 2457. Obtained second class A (2519)
- 2458. Obtained second class A (2520)
- 2459. Guillet, Mary Ann.
- 2460. Harris, Elizabeth.
- 2461. Obtained second class A (2522)
- 2462. Mills, Jane.
- 2463. Moore, Sarah.
- 2464. Page, Minnie Emilie.
- 2465. Obtained second class A (2524)

Certified.

ALEXANDER MARLING,

Registrar.

EDUCATION OFFICE,
Toronto, July, 1868.

EXAMINATION OF COMMON SCHOOL TEACHERS. COUNTY OF YORK.

NOTICE is hereby given that an Examination of Common School Teachers, and others will take place on Wednesday, the 26th day of August, 1868, at the Court House, City of Toronto—at Richmond Hill—and at Newmarket, at 9 a.m. Candidates will be required to produce certificates of moral character, from their respective ministers, and if Teachers before, also from their respective Trustees.

JOHN JENNINGS, D.D.,

Chairman of County Board York.

CITY OF TORONTO, }
July, 1868. }