

The attendance was in excess of former years, and the guests began to arrive early. They were received by Major Cosby, president, and Mrs. Cosby, assisted by Mr. G. R. R. Cockburn and Dr. Kennedy, 1st and 2nd vice-presidents. The opening set was as follows :—Major Cosby and Mrs. Kirkpatrick, Mr. G. R. R. Cockburn and Mrs. Cosby, Dr. Kennedy and Mrs. Alex. Fraser, Dr. Ryerson and Mrs. Kennedy, Lt.-Col. Strathy (Montreal) and Mrs. Davidson, Lt.-Col. Davidson and Mrs. Strathy, Mr. E. B. Osler and Mrs. Allan Cassels, Mr. P. C. Ridout and Mrs. Osler.

The music supplied by the 48th band was excellent, and the dances were largely patronized and heartily performed. A feature were the Scottish dances headed by the "Reel o'Tulloch," in which there was a full floor. The officers in their uniforms, and the members in Highland dress gave the scene a picturesque appearance and a brilliancy which were very attractive. The Scottish reel was one of the most pleasant dances of the evening. For these the pipers of the 48th Highlanders supplied music, and the whole atmosphere was redolent of the mountains and the bens. Heather was a favorite boutonniere, cairngorms flashed, and tartans brightened the dresses of very many of the enthusiastic ladies and gentlemen who wore the Scottish dress for the evening.