repeat, of such talents and these experiences to the work of education in this Province, and to nothing else, will fulfil the expectations of those who have, without solicitations on my part, placed me here, then they shall have no reason to regret that choice which they have honored me by making.

I thank the Honorable the Superintendent of Public Instruction for many kind words, and for all the aid that his official position affords; the Rev. Mr. Rexford, Protestant Secretary of the Department, for much encouragement and valuable advice; and the Normal School Committee of the University for the confidence they have accorded, and the unfailing help they have given. I trust it may be granted me with wisdom and fidelity to serve the country of my adoption, remembering that it is my duty in all things loyally and honestly to act as I may be directed by those whom I have already named, and by the Protes ant Committee of the Council of Public Instruction, as the constituted authorities to whom I am immediately responsible.

The presentation of Academy, Model and Elementary diplomas then took place. The names of those who received these diplomas are as follows:—

ACADEMY DIPLOMAS-UNIVERSITY GRADUATES.

Samuel Rondeau, B.A.; Codefroi N. Massé, B.A.; James H. Marceau, B.A. James Mabon, B.A.; Luther M. England, B.A.

ACADEMY DIPLOMAS.

1st. Marion Allen, of Waterloo, Marquis of Lansdowne Silver medal; honorable mention in Logic, English Literature, Latin, Greek, Soud Geometry Trigonometry, and French.

2nd. Marion Taylor, of Montreal, honorable mention in Logic, English Literature, Latin, Greek, History, Solid Geometry, Trigonometry, French, and Elecution.

3rd. Anna M. koss, of Montreal, honorable mention in Logic, English Literature, Latin, Greek, History, Solid Geometry, Trigonometry, Drawing.

4th. Mary H. Ellicott, of Montreal, honorable mention in English Literature, Latin, Greek, History, Solid Geometry, Trigonometry, Elocution.

5th. Isabella H. Ferguson, of Cazaville, honorable mention in Latin, Greek, History, Solid Geometry, Trigonometry.

6th. Isabella Grant, of La Guerre, honorable mention in Greek, History, Solid Geometry, Trigonometry.

7th. Mary Watt, of Dewittville, honorable mention in Latin, Greek, Solid Geometry, Trigonometry, French, Elocution.

MODEL SCHOOL DIPLOMAS.

1st. Maude Clar'te, of Montreal, Prince of Wales medal and prize, honorable mention in Grammar, Writing, Latin, History, Book-keeping, Arithmetic, Algebra, Geometry, French, Elocution.