

de St. Real and William Badgley, Esq. Each Candidate was presented to the Principal by a sponsor, who read the petition of the party, detailing, at the same time, his qualifications for the honour. The latter of these gentlemen, we believe, has accepted the Chair of Lecturer of Civil Law in the University.

The language used throughout was that of Rome; but we regret that by far the greater part was perfectly inaudible; a word here and there was all that could be made out,—even the Principal, with his usually sonorous voice, was with difficulty heard where we stood.

Great disappointment was felt because of there not having been an address spoken, either by the Principal or the Professor of Practice of Medicine. On previous occasions, we have heard that which well repaid the trouble of having gone to hear, and we, with many others, missed that which was wont to be considered an essential part of the day's ceremony.

The following are the names of the gentlemen who received their diplomas, together with the subjects of their theses. We wish them all joy and every success:—

W. E. Scott, of Montreal, on *Peripneumonia*.

W. H. Wagner, Osnabruc, C.W., *Hæmoptysis*.

Alexander Long, Montreal, *Oblique Inguinal Hernia*.

P. Proulx, Boucherville, *Rubeola*.

R. Holden, of Belleville, C.W., *Pneumonia*.

E. H. Trudel, Montreal, *Hydrophobia*.

R. Godfrey, Montreal, *Blood-letting*.

The first two numbers of a new periodical, holding a position intermediate between the daily and other journals and our own,—have made their appearance. The *Gazetteer* occupies a middle place between these two classes, both as to matter and periods of publication—embracing medical, legal, literary and commercial subjects, and being issued twice a month.

We offer the Editors our congratulations, and hope they will receive every encouragement from the classes to whom they have appealed.

We beg to assure them that the reports of which the leader of the second number complains have not reached us, and that we therefore, could not have formed an "erroneous opinion" on the subject. Were