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The Encaenia of the University of New Brunswick was held on Thursday, May 17. The Sunday preceding the Baccalaureate sermon was preached in the Brunswick Street Baptist Church by Rev. P. R. Hayward, B. A., of Fairville. The sermon was in every way suited to the occasion and much appreciated by a large congregation.

The Encaenial proceedings were presided over by His Honour, Lieutenant Governor Wood. The opening address in praise of the founders was delivered by Professor Stiles. The theme of his address was the development and importance of Engineering Education and a review of the work accomplished by the University in this connection.

D. Gordon Willet, of St. John, read a portion of his Essay for which he had been awarded the Douglas Gold Medal. The Medal was presented to Mr. Willet by His Honour with appropriate remarks. The subject for next year's competition was announced as "The Supernatural in Shakespeare's Plays."

The Alumni Gold Medal for Latin translation was awarded by the Alumni Society to John F. McIntosh, of St. John. Mr. McIntosh read a portion of his translation, and the Medal was presented by Dr. W. W. White, the President of the Alumni Society. The subject for next year is the best translation into Latin Prose of Smith's History of Greece, chapter 36, sec. 11-13 (pages 429-43) beginning with the words "Their future route was now a matter of serious perplexity" and ending with the words "and expressions of the warmest regard."

The Montgomery-Campbell Prize for Classics was presented to Charles R. Smith, of Lower Coverdale, Albert Co., by Dr. J. B. M. Baxter. The Governor General's Gold Medal was presented by Dr. B. C. Foster to Leo C. Kelley, of Fredericton. Dr. H. V. B. Bridges, Secretary of the Alumni Society, presented the Brydone Jack Memorial Scholarship to Russell L. Snodgrass, of Young's Cove, Queens Co. The Ketchum Silver Medal and the City of Fredericton Gold Medal were both won by Austin P. McDonald, of Shediack Road, Moncton, for Civil Engineering subjects. The President of the Alumni Society presented the Alumnae Scholarship for second year work to Miss Maude M. McMonagle, of Fredericton. The William Crocket Scholarship of one hundred dollars in gold was presented to Walter R. Fleet, of Fredericton, for the best standing in the Latin and Greek of the first year. This prize was presented by Dr. H. S. Bridges, of St.

John. Dr. White's Prize for Freshman English was awarded to Miss Louise Friel, of Moncton. Sir Frederic Williams Taylor's Gold Medal for Athletics was presented to Gregory Bridges by Mrs. Wood. The Purves Loggie Memorial Scholarship of seventy-five dollars was won by J. Ellis Taylor, of St. John, for second year Applied Science subjects. This Scholarship, awarded this year for the first time, has been permanently endowed by the family of the late Purves Loggie, a former student of the University, who died in England where he had gone as a member of the Aviation Service of the Imperial Army.

Degrees were conferred as follows:

Degree of Doctor of Laws, *honoris causa*, Dr. Walter W. White, President of the Medical Council of Canada, and Col. Murray Maclaren, of the Canadian Medical Service in France.

Degree of the Master in Arts, *honoris causa*, A. Gordon Leavitt.

Degree of Master in Arts, in course, George J. Marr and Kenneth A. Baird.

Degree of Master of Science in Forestry, Peter Z. Caverhill.

Degree of Master of Science in Electrical Engineering, A. Foster Baird.

Degree of B. A., *ad eundem*, William T. Denham, B. A. (Acadia University)

Degree of B. A., with Honors,—Charles R. Smith, Latin and Greek, Class I., and Philosophy and Economics, Class I; D. Gordon Willet, Latin and Greek, Class I; Cecil H. Turner, Mathematics and Mathematical Physics, Class I; Leo C. Kelley, Natural Science and Chemistry, Class I; Maurice

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the luminously universal philosophy of Plato, the kindly worldly wisdom of Horace; and let us not forget that whatever the faults of the old education, and we admit them all, the great sages of antiquity were lovers of their fellow-men and that, taken as a whole, the ancient literature loved truth and hated tyranny, and that the last and best gift of the Greek language to the world was that incomparable record which displays a divine humanity and implicit Christian democracy which are still the remedies for the social and political, as well as spiritual, maladies of mankind. If science is the remote parent of the political and social teachings of the Germans then it must be a chastened and humbled form of science that we shall admit to our schools.