

assure you, I did not fail to observe, when I attended at an examination of the High School, your aptitude and pleasing manner in imparting instruction to your pupils generally.

Believe me very sincerely.

THOS. W. MITCHELL,

Lieut.-Colonel, Royal Artillery.

Mr. D. RODGER, High School.

XIV. From Revd. DR. LEACH, Vice-Principal McGill College.

McGILL COLLEGE, 20th November, 1855.

DEAR SIR,—I write these to represent to any one interested in the cause of education, into whose hands they may come, that your qualifications as a teacher have always in the High School of the College been reckoned of a very high order, and that during the experience of at least a dozen of years, I am not aware that you have had your superior, perhaps I should say your equal, in the department and classes committed to your charge. I assert that this is here the general opinion.

I have often been present to witness the examination of your classes in Arithmetic, Geometry and Latin, and on every occasion have been impressed with the conviction that you possess, in a rare degree, the qualifications I should most desire to see in a successful teacher. I shall only add that while you command the respect of your pupils, no one seems to have greater power in conciliating their affections.

WILLIAM T. LEACH, D. C. L.,

Vice-Principal and Professor McGill College.

Mr. D. RODGER, High School.

XV. From WM. ANDREW, Esq., M. A.

I hereby certify, that I have several times attended the public examinations of the Mathematical and Arithmetical classes taught by Mr. D. Rodger in the High School of Montreal, and have had many other opportunities of judging of his efficiency as a teacher, and of the