

SUMMER SESSION, 1877.

The Medical Faculty of McGill University established last year the first regular Summer Session, in which practical and demonstrative courses and systematic clinical instruction were given.

Forty Students availed themselves of the advantages offered, and the diligence with which the classes were followed showed how much such practical teaching is appreciated.

The Faculty feels that the time is come when the intermittent system, at present in vogue, of six months work and six months vacation, so prejudicial to the steady and continuous progress of the student, should be abandoned, and that at least nine months of each year should be spent in regular organized study. It is with this view that the Summer Session has been established, and the hope is here expressed that all students will endeavour to take one or two of these extra sessions, the fees for which have purposely been placed so low as to be almost nominal.

As is only natural, the advantages offered by the city of Montreal, for the practical study of Medicine and Surgery are unequalled in the Dominion. In the wards of the General Hospital there are always—and more particularly in the summer months when navigation is open—a large collection of interesting medical and surgical cases. In the out-door department there is a daily attendance of between 75 and 100 patients, which affords excellent instruction in minor surgery, routine medical practice, and diseases of children. The Eye and Ear Department, lately established, will afford to the student an opportunity of studying practically, under skilled direction, these important branches.

The attendance of the Medical Officers is systematic and punctual.

At the University Lying-in Hospital, obstetrical cases are furnished to the students in rotation.

The Faculty has much pleasure in announcing the following prospectus.

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