

DEPARTMENT OF PURE AND APPLIED SCIENCE.

In the department of Pure and Applied Science the number of students is not large. Still every Faculty has had its day of small things, and we hope for the best. A number of new classes are offered for next year:

1. *Municipal Engineering*.—Mr. Doane who has had joint charge, with Mr. McColl, of the Surveying class, has undertaken to lecture on Municipal Engineering, to which subject he has been giving special attention. Considering the number of towns introducing water and sewerage, and requiring intelligent counsellors as well as engineers, this class ought to be a popular and profitable one.

Mr. McColl, Assistant Provincial Engineer, a graduate of the Royal Military College, Kingston, now takes full charge of the Surveying Class, which is being gradually fitted out with instruments by the Alumni Association's annual grant.

2. *Education*.—Many of our graduates become heads of Academies and other High Schools not only in Nova Scotia, but in the neighbouring Provinces, in British Columbia, and the United States. Many teachers take partial courses in the College. To meet the wants of these the Faculty of Science has organized a class in *Education*. Prof. Murray offers to give a course of lectures on the theory of Education, and Mr. Alex. McKay, Supervisor of City Schools, has undertaken (without emolument) to give a course on the History of Education, and to afford the students the means of studying the methods of teaching by observation and by practice in the best schools of Halifax. This class has been added to the four years B.Sc. course intended for science teachers, so that it will now include training in professional as well as non-professional subjects. Short courses for teachers have also been arranged.

1851 EXHIBITION SCIENCE SCHOLARSHIP.

Her Majesty's Commissioners for the Exhibition of 1851 have placed at the disposal of this University for the year 1894 the nomination to one of the scholarships, which are