

the Faculty trust will not lessen the efficiency of teaching in the branches affected.

The statutes of the College require attendance on Lectures during four sessions; but the tickets of other Colleges and Schools whose curriculum is similar to, or approaches that of, this University, are accepted provided one session be passed in it.

The length of these sessions, and the separation of the distinct branches of professional study, are advantages to Students wishing to complete their studies in Europe, though it has been found of late years that Students prefer first completing their studies here by graduating before visiting the Old World.

Some changes in the Regulations have been made, but not materially altering the course of instruction or the mode of examination. The principal of these is the division of the Medical Examination into primary and final; the former of which, (comprehending the Elementary Branches,) it is optional with the Student to undergo at the end of his third session. This is considered a boon to the Student, in enabling him to concentrate his attention more particularly on those branches comprised in the one or other of the examinations; while it affords to the Professors the time and opportunity of ascertaining more completely the actual progress made by the Student in his studies.

It was found during the last session that the proposed division of the Examination was very acceptable to the Students, and a number of third year Students came forward to take advantage of the privilege conceded to them.

With a view to the same object, viz., ascertaining