

son could catch fish when even the natives failed, and it was one of the secrets of his success in life that he usually brought home fish. He was also a devotee of curling in winter and of lawn bowling in summer.

Dr. Richardson, who was most enthusiastically received, expressed heart-felt thanks for the reception, and then briefly reviewed some of the incidents of his long career. He had first studied medicine in 1841 with Dr. Rolph, then exiled in Rochester. He then attended the first course of medical lectures at King's College, Toronto, there being only one other student, who was absent most of the time, and he was the first graduate. In 1844 he crossed the ocean and entered Guy's Hospital in London, and was present at the first demonstration of ether in London. In 1847, having graduated, he returned and commenced practice. In 1850 he succeeded Dr. Sullivan as professor of anatomy in the recently-constituted medical department of the University of Toronto, and when that faculty was discontinued in 1853 he accepted the chair in anatomy in the Toronto School of Medicine, which he held until 1887, when, the medical faculty of the University being restored, he returned to the same position there, resigning only a year ago. Dr. Richardson gave many incidents illustrating the progress of medicine, and was loudly cheered as he resumed his seat.

Dr. Cullen proposed the toast of "The University," and President Loudon responded, and the health of Mr. Patterson, the artist, was proposed by Dr. Ross.—*The Globe*.

GATHER TO HONOR DR. WM. BAYARD.

A tribute of public regard and personal esteem was paid to Dr. William Bayard of St. John, N.B., recently, when the resolution passed by the Municipal Council, because of his resignation from the Board of Commissioners of the General Public Hospital, was presented to him at his home in Germain Street.

The resolution was handsomely engrossed on parchment by D. R. Willet, and bound in red morocco, with gold finish by J. & A. McMillan. On the cover was this legend, in letters of gold: Municipality of the City and County of St. John, to Wm. Bayard, Esq., M.D., LL.D., A.D. 1903.

At 4 o'clock there assembled at County Secretary Vincent's office, Warden John McMulkin, County Secretary Vincent, Councillors McGoldrick, Baxter, Millidge, Lewis Lee, Hogan and Dean. More of the city councillors would have been there had they not been engaged in an important city hall meeting.

The party went to Dr. Bayard's residence and were heartily welcomed by him, they being presented by Councillor McGoldrick,