

Scottish Colleges acting conjointly grant only one examination and therefore confer a triple qualification.

The degree in Medicine and Surgery of this University being accepted by the licensing bodies of Great Britain its possessor is entitled to the same exemptions as are allowed all other recognized colonial degrees. The College of Physicians and Surgeons of Quebec accept the degree without further examination.

The medical degrees of this University are—Master of Surgery (C.M.) and Doctor in Medicine (M.D.). The degree of Master of Surgery is not conferred on any person who does not also at the same time obtain the degree of Doctor in Medicine.

Convocations for the conferring of medical degrees are held in Montreal immediately after the close of the session.

#### HOSPITAL PRACTICE.

Montreal is particularly rich in the facilities which it affords for hospital practice—the factories and shipping furnishing a constant and varied supply of surgical cases.

*The Western Hospital* (50 beds) is attended by a staff of eight physicians, all of whom are members of this Faculty. It is divided into two distinct departments: a lying-in department, directly under the superintendence of the Professor of Obstetrics, and a gynæcological department for the treatment of diseases peculiar to women. This latter is attended daily by two members of the staff. There is also a daily clinic at 12 a.m. of diseases peculiar to women, which furnishes advantages to students desirous of successfully studying uterine and other diseases peculiar to females.

The Obstetrical Department is entirely under the control of Bishop's College, and from the large number of patients admitted affords greater facilities for acquiring a practical knowledge of midwifery than can be obtained by any other medical school in Canada. In addition this is the only special hospital for diseases of women in the Dominion, and gynecological operations are being frequently performed. The large number of successful ovariectomies which have occurred in this Institution has afforded abundant opportunities to witness abdominal surgery. The position of Resident House Surgeon is open to senior students of the College. Operations and Clinical lectures every Saturday at noon.

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