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OPENING OF THE MEDICAL SCHOOLS.

MONTREAL.

McGill Faculty of Medicine opened Oct. 2nd, with an introductory lecture by the Venerable Dr. Joseph Workman, with one exception the oldest living graduate of the school. The lecture was followed by a conversazione in the Peter Redpath Museum, which was largely attended. In numbers, so far as we can learn, the class is larger than last year.

Bishop's College Faculty of Medicine had no introductory, but set off at once to real work. The Freshman class is the largest this school has had since its organization.

Laval University (Montreal branch) had no special introductory lecture, but began work at once.

Montreal School of Medicine and Surgery (Victoria College) opened with unusual *clat*, in consequence of its sudden resuscitation, when almost at its last gasp. The attendance of students is very large. Dr. d'Orsonnens gave the introductory lecture, in the course of which he said, "This meeting of the Montreal School of Medicine is certainly its most glorious day, for the school, threatened in its very existence, nay thunder-struck, I should rather say, but a few weeks ago, and apparently lost forever in the eyes of every one, is seen again by its friends, in this the opening day of its lecture, more renowned and more brilliant than ever, and with a still greater chance of success for the future."

TORONTO SCHOOLS.

The Toronto School of Medicine and Trinity College opened with very large classes. The new Female College also opened under favorable auspices.

KINGSTON SCHOOLS.

The Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons opened their regular course with a fair complement

of students. The Women's Medical College of Kingston, the outcome of last year's troubles, is in full work. The lectures are the same as those delivered at the Royal College, and the Professors of both schools are the same.

WESTERN (LONDON) UNIVERSITY.

The second session of this school opened on October 1st by Dr. Maurice H. Burke giving an opening lecture. We have not seen anything stated about the attendance.

QUEBEC.

Laval University opened at the usual time. The death of its Dean, Dr. Jas. A. Sewell, cast a gloom over the opening.

HALIFAX, N.S.

The Halifax Medical School continues to do good work, and opened its doors with a fair list of students.

MONTREAL SCHOOL OF PHARMACY.

This school held its introductory services in their rooms, McGill St., on the evening of the 3rd of October, the President of the Pharmaceutical Association, being in the chair. The attendance of students was large, and they listened with much attention to an address from Dr. F. W. Campbell, the Dean of Bishop's College Faculty of Medicine. Brief addresses were also delivered by Dr. Reed and Mr. Manson. This Association has done a great deal to elevate pharmacy in this Province, and it deserves liberal support.

DIO LEWIS'S MONTHLY.

Dio Lewis is a name well known in the United States among all who are interested in athletics and sanitary matters. Three months ago he entered the field of journalism, and is now issuing a monthly periodical which contains a large amount of interesting matter, much of it being of practical value in the direction in which he has devoted his life. The October number is particularly rich in material. "Our Young Women," by the Rev. Dr. Crosby, is a brave discussion of an enormous but fashionable evil—in fact all its articles are interesting, some exceedingly so. It is published by Frank Seaman, 68 Bible House, New York.

OUR LITTLE ONES AND THE NURSERY.

This is the name of a really very elegant little monthly, for young children, which is published