

WE were glad to see with us on the same day, Dr. Goodspeed, Superintendent McDiarmid and other members of the Ministerial Committee. We understand that they were busy until two o'clock in the morning, examining our young candidates for the ministry.

THE fears of us "old boys," that the attendance would be small this Term, owing to the large graduating class of 26 last year, have been pleasingly dispelled by the appearance of an unusually large number of new faces. The new fellows, too, seem to be good stuff, but, of course, not equal to the famous class of '95. There are now 109 names on the roll. At no time last year were there more than 110. We are expecting the usual increase after Christmas.

ON the 27th of September we held our annual games. Notwithstanding the cool weather the sports were well patronized by those invited; and we were all pleased to see the faces of such old boys as Clarke, Jones, McFarlane, D. E. Welch, A. McDonald, Simpson, etc. The spectators expressed themselves as delighted with the emulous contests, and with the sportsmanlike spirit displayed by the contestants. After a hard struggle Emmet Scarlett won the championship cup. When we had assembled in the chapel, Mrs. Dadson and Mrs. Scott presented the badges; Dr. Dadson, the cup, and Mayor Cole favored us with a speech. During these exercises Chancellor Wallace occupied the chair, and in his own inimitable way brought a pleasant day to a successful close.

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THE school opens with bright prospects. All will be glad to learn that Principal Massé is in good health, and anticipates a profitable year.

JUDGING from the number of musical instruments in the school this year, we ought to be favored with plenty of music. No less than five students brought violins, another is skilled in playing the flute, and yet another the accordion, while we have heard the sweet strains of several mouth-organs in addition. We shall probably hear more of some of these later.

ON Sunday, October 20th, Rev. T. Lafleur paid us a very pleasing visit and preached an English sermon in the evening. He came to arrange for the celebration of the sixtieth anniversary of Madame Feller's arrival in Canada, which will take place in Feller Institute on November 1st. We expect to have a very pleasant and profitable time.