

Lectures have been delivered on Biblical Theology, tracing the history of religion, the developements of revelation, and the progress of religious opinion during the Patriarchial period and the Mosaic dispensation. The completion of this Course, comprising a review of the doctrines and institutes of Christianity, is reserved for the next Term, when it is also proposed to commence a series of Lectures on Ecclesiastical History.

There have been exegetical exercises on the Greek of the Acts of the Apostles, including the first twelve chapters. The Greek Testament is read at morning prayer; the portions read during the Term were the Gospel of John, and the Epistles to the Thessalonians, and the Galatians.

Essays on various subjects have been prepared during the Term by all the Students in rotation. The Theological students have been exercised, in addition, in the composition of sermons. They have been usually engaged in preaching on Lord's days, and their services have proved very acceptable to congregations in the neighbourhood.

With a view to excite more general interest in the Institution, the public were invited to attend a series of lectures, which were delivered in the College Hall, in the following order:—

Feb. 1.—*English History and English Heroes.*

By the President.

" 15.—*Chemistry,*

By Dr. Simon Fitch.

Mar. 1.—*Railroads—their History and Advantages,*

By the President.

" 15.—*Tobacco,*

By Dr. Shaw, Kentville.

" 29.—*Martin Luther,*

By the President.

Apl. 12.—*Schools and Scholars in the 16th Century,*

By the same.

" 26.—*The history of the Earth before it was inhabited by man*

By the same.

These lectures were extremely well attended. It is hoped that a similar effort will be made next winter, on an enlarged scale.

In conclusion, the undersigned begs to express his most earnest desire for the immediate appointment of additional Professors.

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Immediately after the meeting of the Convention the Governors proceeded to adopt measures for completing the Endowment. The valuable services of the Rev. Dr. MacLay having been secured, and other agencies appointed, liberal subscriptions were obtained, which amounted, on the 1st of January last, to upwards of £10,000. The Governors have pleasure in stating that the sum of £10,172 9s. 7d., has been already secured, in cash or notes, for completing the Endowment, according to the original design, and that the Institution is at length placed on a firm basis, and the hopes of its friends are realised.

Resolved