## ANNUAL ANNOUNCEMENT

OF THE

## FACULTY OF MEDICINE

OF

## MoGILL COLLEGE.

The Faculty of Medicine of the University of McGill College informs its alumni and the public generally, that its regular winter course of lectures for the approaching session of 1857-58 will be opened on Monday, the 2nd of November next, and, extending over the ordinary period of six months, will terminate in the last week of the following April.

The long term thus devoted to instruction has been found to be of signal benefit; and without descending to invidious comments, the Faculty can happily refer the rule it has adopted to the experience of disinterested professional brethren for their entire concurrence. The necessity created by the extensive accumulations made in the literature of each department of medicine, since its origin as a science, is continually growing more urgent, by the frequent accessions that recent researches and new considerations are bringing to light, while the limits that years ago were not found too ample, within which to convey a comprehensive exposition of the multifarious subjects of education, cannot, consistently with these increasing requirements, be safely abbreviated.

Earnest to secure general excellence in its graduates, as the