

In the new Biological Building every facility is now provided for practical training in Biology and Physiology; further extensions are in progress for other departments of science; and the advantages of the well equipped Faculty of Arts are now available for the students in the Faculty of Medicine. The result cannot fail to elevate the standard of medical education in Ontario.

Since the passage of the Federation Act, also, a teaching Faculty of Law has been created in the University, consisting of three professors and several honorary lecturers.

The expansion of the University has not been limited to the time-honoured faculties of Arts, Medicine and Law. In 1888 a stimulus was given to the study of scientific methods of farming by the affiliation of the Ontario Agricultural College, and the adoption of a curriculum of study for the degree of Bachelor of the Science of Agriculture. Similarly an examination for the degree of Doctor of Dental Surgery has been instituted, as a consequence of the affiliation of the Royal College of Dental Surgeons of Ontario. The College of Pharmacy has subsequently been admitted to affiliation; and with the extension of the same privileges to the Toronto College of Music, a curriculum of study has been prepared for the degree of Bachelor of Music.

The School of Practical Science was affiliated in 1889. Graduates of the School are specially eligible on certain conditions for the degrees of B.A.Sc. and C.E. in the University.

On February 14th, 1890, the main University building was partly destroyed by fire. In the reconstruction thereby rendered necessary, opportunity has been afforded for important improvements in lighting, heating, and ventilation. Considerable extension has been effected in the numbers, capacity, and adequate equipment of the lecture rooms and

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