

SCHOOL OF PRACTICAL SCIENCE

PROVINCE OF ONTARIO

CALENDAR FOR THE SESSION 1898-9.

THE Legislative Assembly during the Session of 1877 gave its sanction to the establishment of a School of Practical Science on the basis proposed in the memorandum of the Minister of Education confirmed by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council on the 3rd day of February, 1877.

By the scheme thus approved of, the Government effected an arrangement with the Council of University College whereby the students of the School of Practical Science enjoyed full advantage of the instruction given by its professors and lecturers in all the departments of science which were embraced in the work of the School.

This arrangement was brought to an end in 1889 by the transfer of the departments in science above referred to, from University College to the University of Toronto under the operation of the University Federation Act.

In order that the students of the School might continue to enjoy the advantage of the instruction in the above departments, the Senate of the University of Toronto passed a Statute in October, 1889, affiliating the School to the University, which Statute was confirmed by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council on the 30th day of October, 1889.

By an Order in Council, approved by the Lieutenant-Governor, on the 6th day of November, 1889, a Principal was appointed, and the management of the School was entrusted to a council composed of the Principal as chairman, and the Professors, Lecturers and Demonstrators appointed on the Teaching Faculty of the School.

There are five regular Departments of Instruction, in each of which Diplomas are granted, viz. :—

1. Civil Engineering (including Sanitary Engineering.)
2. Mining Engineering.
3. Mechanical and Electrical Engineering.