

To the *Exegetical Class*, composed of all the students, a course of *twenty-three* lectures was given on Inspiration and Hermeneutics. A text-book on Biblical Interpretation was also used once a week. Students of the *first* and *third* years prepared critical exercises on subjects from the Greek and Hebrew Scriptures. These were read and criticised in the presence of the class. In addition to the foregoing work conducted by Professor Currie, Dr. Pollok conducted an Exegetical lecture once a week on the *first* Epistle to Timothy, and at the close of the term a competitive examination was held, which was attended by two candidates—a prize of twenty dollars having been offered for this purpose. Principal McKnight also delivered to this class a weekly exegetical lecture on the Epistle to the Colossians.

In the *Church History Class*, the *third period* of the history of the Church in its ancient and classic form, and the three periods of the history of the church in its Germanic development, were carefully studied by means of examinations. On *three* days of each week of the former half of the Session, lectures were given on the subject of the Reformation and the complete establishment of the Protestant religion in Scotland. In the latter half of the Session, two lectures in each week were read on the subject of the *Worship* and *Services* of the church, particularly, Psalmody, Hymnology and Public Prayer; in continuation of lectures on the same subject given during the previous session. In the department of Homiletics, students delivered sermons and lectures on subjects previously prescribed. These exercises were as usual criticised before the class.

In all the departments of the work of the College weekly reviews were held; and the two written examinations which were conducted, one at the middle, the other at the end, of the term, yielded very satisfactory results.

Out of a number of candidates who competed for the degree of Bachelor of Divinity, which, in pursuance of the action of the General Assembly and in the exercise of powers granted by the Legislature, this College has been authorized to confer upon qualified persons, two gentlemen have obtained the average of marks in the examinations prescribed by the regulations of the Senate. This degree has accordingly been granted to Messrs. William Dawson and C. S. Lord.