

ROBERT CHAMBERS, B.A., '66, Missionary at Erzeroum, East Turkey, recently sent us a congratulatory letter for our work in the past and good wishes for the future. The JOURNAL thanks him for his kindness and wishes him likewise every success during the many succeeding years.

REV. ALEXANDER MCGILLIVRAY, an Alumnus of '75, who, as we recently reported, received his charge at Williamstown, has been appointed by the Board of French Evangelization to visit the United Kingdom in the interests of the work they have in hand. He proposes to leave early in January.

GEO. T. NEISH, L.D.S., Jamaica, eldest son of James Neish, M.D., '65, Health Officer of Port Royal, Jamaica, was married on the 3rd of Dec., to Agnes, daughter of W. C. G. Arrowsmith, Esq., of the Audit Office in the Treasury Department. We extend to the happy couple our congratulation and best wishes for a long life of prosperity.

JOHN MUNDELL, '87. Medico, met with a serious accident before the holidays while working in the Chemical Laboratory, a quantity of sulphuric acid, we believe, getting into his eye. He went to Toronto to Dr. R. A. Reeve, '65, to have an operation performed on it. The Doctor, we are glad to report, thinks there will be no serious results from the accident, though time will be needed to effect a complete recovery.

R. VASHON ROGERS, B.A., '61, has written a book which has just been published, entitled, "The Law and Medical Men," which is a concise and clear statement of the law well supported by authorities. The titles of the different chapters will give a summary of its contents, which are as follows:—Early Practitioners and Laws, Fees, Who should pay the Doctor? Who may practice? Negligence and Malpractice, Criminal Malpractice, Professional Evidence, Medical Experts, Experts in Insanity Cases, Defamation, Relation with Patients, Dissection and Resurrection, Dentists, Druggists, Partners, Goodwill, Assistants.

Woman's Medical College.

THE annual meeting of the subscribers of the Woman's Medical College took place on the afternoon of the 4th Dec., in the Council Chamber. The attendance was not large. Mr. W. Harty occupied the chair, and the first thing that was undertaken was the reading of the report, which contained considerable information which has already appeared in print. It referred to the change of quarters and to the attendance at the College. Last year there were eleven students and this year there are thirteen, an increase of two. It was also pointed out that the College had received from Queen's the same terms of affiliation that were granted to the Royal College, and related that students were now allowed to go up to the Medical Council for examination, but that the College had no representative in the Council. This showed a liberal spirit on the part of the Medical Council.

The report also referred to the location of the graduates of the college, and to the additional apparatus that had been added to the institution, and to the fact that the work achieved in the college had given great satisfaction.

The financial statement was then read, which showed the receipts to be \$2,246.36, and the expenditure \$1,959.04, with a balance on hand of \$287.32

THE DIRECTORS.

The following board of directors was then appointed: Sir R. Cartwright, Hon. G. A. Kirkpatrick, A. Gunn, M.P.,

W. Harty, E. J. B. Pense, R. V. Rogers, H. Folger, Jno. Carruthers, A. P. Knight, Mrs. W. Harty, Mrs. McNee, Mrs. Britton, Mrs. Dickson, Mrs. Trout, and Mrs. Gildersleeve.

At a subsequent meeting Sir Richard Cartwright was elected President and Mr. W. Harty, Vice President.

The next meeting will occur on the first Thursday in December, 1885.

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FOOTBALL.

THE Queen's—Toronto Football match is now an affair of the very dim past, all attention having been drawn from the match proper by the later action of the Central Association and the Toronto Club. Our readers are doubtless all familiar with the particulars of the match, so we will not trouble them with any further account of it. Suffice it to say that the students of Queen's have as yet found nothing to diminish their pride in their Association Football Club, and their confidence in its ability to defend the Championship Cup against all comers.

ALMA MATER SOCIETY.

THE adjourned annual business meeting of this society was held on the evening of Saturday, the 13th. Dr. Herald was, as usual, at his post. After some minor details had been attended to the retiring secretary, Mr. J. F. Carmichael, was called on to read his report. It contained several items of interest. Four entertainments of a musical and literary character had been given, but these for some reason had not received the encouragement from members of the society which the merits of the concerts as well as the praiseworthy efforts of the executive committee should have commanded. A company of Bell Ringers had been engaged by the society, but the venture was a lamentable failure. The number of members had been augmented by ninety-nine new names and on the whole fortune had looked with favour on the society during the past year. The treasurer, Mr. Ryan, also read his report, in which the financial affairs were dealt with fully. Mr. Farrell's motion to restrict the presidency of the Alma Mater to those only who had left the college walls was brought up and proved the signal for a lengthy discussion, which was finally ended by a vote adverse to the motion. Mr. Farrell's other motion to have the annual business meeting held a week later than heretofore would probably have met a better fate, but a motion was brought forward by Mr. Mowat for the postponement of these important matters which necessitated alterations in the constitution and was received with such favour that the former motion was laid on the shelf until next meeting in order to give the members time for deliberation. Dr. Herald in a few graceful words then introduced Mr. Mowat, his successor, who on taking his seat was greeted with great enthusiasm. It may safely be said that if the new president sticks as well to his post and performs as faithfully and as well the important duties pertaining to the office as his predecessor no one will ever find cause to regret having entrusted to him the guidance of the Alma Mater.

Mr. Mowat in a brief reply repeated his resolution to do what lay in his power to advance the interests of the society, and to put as much life as possible into the debates. A vote of thanks to the retiring president was carried with such intense enthusiasm that the Dr. should see that his untiring efforts have been thoroughly appreciated.

The meeting then adjourned to hear a lecture by Prof. Burr, on Phrenology, which was held in an adjoining class-room under the auspices of the Æsculapian Society