

4. At the last meeting of the Board, the possibility of holding a combined examination with the University of Toronto, was the subject of some conversation. I then informed the Board that I had secured the passing of a resolution by the Senate, asking its Committee on Examinations to report on the practicability and expediency of holding a combined examination with the R.C.D.S.

The Committee did not immediately report, and the time passed when it could have been carried out last year.

On looking into the matter, I found that the regulations of the College and the University respecting examinations were so nearly identical, that all that was necessary to secure a combined examination was to have a common Board of Examiners.

The President of the University being favorable, the attention of the Committee on Examinations was called to the request of the Senate, and a report was presented and adopted by the Senate approving the practicability and expediency of a combined examination.

As our examiners had been appointed for the purpose of trying the experiment, the Senate appointed the same parties as their Examiners except in the case of Practical Dentistry, our examiner appearing on the Announcement of Trinity University, as one of its Examiners in the Department of Dentistry. The Superintendent of our Infirmary was appointed University Examiner in Practical Dentistry.

Our examination has been held precisely as provided by by-law, and so far as I can learn has been quite satisfactory to the students.

The arrangement with the University was that each should pay its own Examiners, and that the other expenses should be equitably divided. They found the room and attendance, and we paid the stationery, printing, expressage and one-half the wages of the watchers. The financial saving to us is about \$35.

So far as I can learn, the examination has been quite satisfactory to the University, every member of this year's Final Class who is writing for D.D.S., having written for the Degree at Toronto University.

If the Board approves of the combined examination, as I sincerely hope it will, it will be necessary to appoint the examiners for next year in conference with the University Committee on Examinations.

5. Applications for examinations have been received from 40 freshmen, 22 juniors and 38 seniors, including five who failed last year, one who was starred at the supplemental examination in October, 1893, and one who claimed to be entitled to examination as being in practice when the Dental Act was passed, and whose application was accepted by the Executive Committee.

6. Of the members of the Senior Class, four were attending