

means of adding many a student to the rolls of the Medical Faculty.

Dr. M. Lavell was Professor of Obstetrics and Gynaecology for many years. All who had the privilege of listening to his lectures on these subjects will always have a kindly recollection of the lecturer and will always be willing to acknowledge their deep debt of gratitude to him. Dr. Lavell had the happy faculty of mingling with the dry facts of his subject much practical advice on the practice of the medical profession. A master of his subject, which he arranged in systematic order, he was a clear and lucid teacher, and his lectures were fixed upon the minds of his students by his earnest and impressive manner. No one who took Dr. Lavell's course could ever enter the medical profession without an appreciation of the sacredness of his calling and a profound sense of the heavy responsibilities he was assuming. The whole tendency of Dr. Lavell's teaching was to elevate the standard of the profession educationally and morally. The three requisites for the perfect physician were, according to him, "knowledge, clean hands and a pure heart."

With regard to Dr. T. R. Dupuis, the unanimous verdict of all who sat under him was that he was a born teacher and a surgeon by nature. His knowledge of his subject was extensive and minute, and his general information wide and varied. As a lecturer on anatomy he was a marvel. He had the rare gift of investing even the dry bones of his subject with a living interest. In his time there were no special lectures given on Applied Anatomy, and so while he described the various structures of the body he at the same time pointed out their uses, gave their landmarks, illustrated the action of the various muscles in fractures and dislocations, and demonstrated the methods of procedure in surgical operations. In his way his lectures had a wider scope than if he had been strictly confined to Descriptive Anatomy, and thus they were not only more interesting but much more practical. He always held the attention of his classes, and we can all look back to his lectures with pleasure and after being in practice for some years realize the benefit we derived from them.