



CORNER STONE OF GRANT CONVOCATION HALL WAS LAID

By Sir Sanford Fleming — Addresses by Hon. George W. Ross, and Rev. Prof. Ross, Montreal—Tablet Unveiled.

Two ceremonies that will long be remembered, took place on Thursday afternoon at Queen's. In presence of the university senate, trustees, council, students, visitors, city council and a large assembly of Kingston people, the chancellor, Sir Sandford Fleming, laid the corner stone of the Grant Convocation Hall. Following this, a service, in memory of the late principal, was held in old Convocation Hall, which could not nearly accommodate the large and representative crowd of all classes and creeds that eagerly sought admission.

At three o'clock the procession of university professors, trustees, and others, in academic costume, headed by the chancellor in his robes of office, moved from the senate chamber along the walk leading to the new arts' building. Arriving at the foundation of the tower in which the corner stone is to rest, the procession entered a rope enclosure, and halted around the spot at which the builders had been working. A disagreeable wind was blowing off the lake. Rev. Dr. Thompson, of Sarnia, offered prayer, and then Rev. James Wallace, M.A., president of the Alma Mater Society, presented a silver trowel to the chancellor, who proceeded to perform the corner stone ceremonial. Addressing the assembly, Sir Sandford said in part:

"As chancellor of the university, the has developed upon me to take a prominent part in laying the corner stone of a building to be erected in loving memory of our late principal. The building to be raised on the site upon which we now stand is to be used as a Convocation Hall and always to be associated with his name. Twenty-five years ago on the second of last month, the Rev. George Monro Grant was appointed principal of this university. On May 10th of the present year he passed to his reward. Between these dates he performed faithful services and endeared himself to everyone connected with Queen's. He gave unstintingly a quarter of a century of his best years. He labored with untiring activity and unceasing zeal to place on a broad and permanent foundation a great seat of learning in Eastern Ontario. He steadily aimed to complete the establishment of a university where the Canadian youth of this generation and of all coming generations would reap the advantages of higher education in its most perfect form. We see evidences of the success which has attended these efforts in the stately buildings erected around us, in the many eminent professors who have been gathered together from many sources of learning, and in the yearly increasing numbers of students who flock to this university."

"Queen's has indeed lost the boy who has guided her affairs so wisely and loved her so well, but his life work like all good work will long survive. True, his personality is sadly and greatly missed, but does not his spirit remain to shed an influence for good for many a day? While the death of Principal Grant is a private loss to individuals innumerable, it has been a national, as well as an individual loss. But should we mourn that our beloved friend has found rest from his labors and entered on his eternal jubilee? Should we not rather gratefully bear in mind that we have had the advantage of his presence among us for so long a period to help us on our way and enrich our nature? Should we not feel profoundly thankful that he was permitted for twenty-five years to serve the university as its guiding head? Should we not

congratulate ourselves that his noble spirit still remains to influence our lives and enlarge our hopes? If in his absence we find the university face to face with grave difficulties, let us recall his hopeful spirit and follow the example he always set us? Let us be patient and let our patience be combined with faith."

The chancellor then spoke of the close relationship which had existed for nearly forty years between himself and Dr. Grant, and concluded by declaring the stone to be well and truly laid.

The inscription upon the stone is in these simple words:—"This stone was laid by Sir Sandford Fleming, K.C.M.G., chancellor of Queen's University, Nov. 6th, 1902."

The Memorial Service.

At half-past two o'clock the memorial service began. Old convocation hall was draped in black, as was also the oil portrait of the late principal, on the wall behind the platform. The hall was crowded when the academic procession entered, and proceeded up the main aisle to the platform. The chancellor presided. Besides the senate and other university bodies, the following were chiefly noticed: Bishop Mills; Rev. Dr. Morgan, Toronto; Rev. Dr. Campbell, Montreal; Rev. Dr. Wardrobe, Guelph; Rev. Dr. McTavish, moderator of the Kingston Presbytery; Rev. Dr. Campbell, Renfrew; Rev. R. Laird, Brockville; Rev. W. W. Peck, Napanee; Dr. Douglas, New York; Dr. Moore, Brockville; Dr. Drummond, Toronto; Rev. Dr. McTavish, representing Knox College, Toronto; Rev. Prof. Welton, representing McMaster University, Toronto; Archdeacon Carey, representing Trinity University, Toronto; Prof. Herrington, representing McGill, Montreal; Hon. William Harty, M.P.; Edw. J. B. Pense, M.P.; Rev. G. L. Starr, Canon MacMoirie, Rev. E. Crumley, Mayor Shaw, and members of the city council.

Rev. Prof. Ross, Montreal.

After prayer and reading of the twenty-third psalm, by the chaplain, Rev. Prof. Jordan, and the singing of "Rock of Ages," Rev. Prof. Ross, of the Presbyterian College, Montreal, delivered the first of the memorial addresses. He said he believed it was one who sat under Principal Grant and as a member of the first class who graduated after his appointment as principal, that he had been asked to speak. The first flush of grief had passed, yet they remembered him with a vividness which was painful. It seemed strange to meet there without him. Yet he dared say it seemed to many present that his spirit still hovered around the scenes of his trials and his triumphs.

Taking up an analysis of the late principal's career, Dr. Ross said, perhaps the first thing that impressed a stranger about him was his consummate mastery of speech. He was an able and inspiring conversationalist, and it was an education to travel with him, to hear his keen characterization of men and measures, or to hear him discuss an original scheme with some specialist in politics, science or literature. As a preacher he was sought for far and near. His oratory was not of the rotund grandiloquent type, but of simple language, bearing a timely and original truth in a terse and emphatic way. It was however, as a debater, that the real force and originality of the speaker appeared. Principal Grant's originality was specially manifested in the class-room, where he lightened the tedious work of the work with apt illustrations and encouraged the students to break from the conventional replies to questions. He was a man of strong likes and dislikes, and it was not always easy to see upon what qualities his preferences were based. He was candid, and weakness, mannerisms, failures in duty, neglect of opportunities, were pressed home upon heart and conscience with great straightforwardness and honesty. His powers as an administrator were such that he might have won astonishing success in almost any department of mental activity; but his real greatness was shown in the position of principal of Queen's, where, with intensity of spirit and indomitable energy, he flung himself into the work and no doubt it was that intense activity which sapped the foundations of his vitality at a comparatively early age.

Of Dr. Grant as a patriot, Dr. Ross said: "He was the most distinctive Canadian whom many of us ever knew, the most characteristic embodiment of that new national spirit, that spirit of self-reliance and independence which has grown up in this land in the last few years. With the growth of this new nationalism he had not a little to do, because it was the reflection of his own spirituality. He loved this land not for what he or others could make out of it but for this, that it furnished a new arena for the development of individual character. He regarded it as the last clear field given by a benevolent Creator in which the children of man could have scope untrammeled by ancient institutions to work out the best ideas in the experience of the past. On the cultivated

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GOING EAST.
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No. 12, Local 7:13 P.M.

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No. 5, Mail 1:03 A.M.
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W. C. T. U. MEETS

REPORT OF TORONTO CONVENTION READ.

Mrs. Macallum's Summary Very Satisfactory—The Reports Submitted Were Interesting—The President's Remarks.

St. Lawrence and along the plains and mountain ranges of the west there was to rise out of the different nationalities, one homogeneous, powerful, intellectual people, a new race, a distinct type, which would retain the honor and traditions of Britain and yet make a new contribution, a most important contribution to the world's progress." (Loud applause).

Unveiling The Tablet.

Immediately following, Rev. Mr. Wallace, on behalf of the Alma Mater Society, unveiled the brass tablet erected under the oil portrait of the late principal. The tablet contains this inscription:

"In loving memory of George Munro Grant, D.D., LL.D., C.M.G. Born in Nova Scotia, Dec. 22nd, 1835. Principal of this university from Dec. 5th, 1877, till his death, May 10th, 1902. Author, teacher, speaker and administrator he was eminent alike in the educational world, in the church and in public affairs. His manly character, fearless love of truth and untiring service to Queen's University were a constant inspiration to its students. Under his wise guidance, the university prospered greatly, having grown from one single building to the present six forming the quadrangle, and having increased three-fold its teaching staff and six-fold the number of its students. Si monumentum requiri cunspice. Erected by the Alma Mater Society, Nov. 6th, 1902."

John McIntyre, K.C., received the tablet on behalf of the board of trustees, the chairman, Hon. Justice MacLennan being unable to be present. Mr. McIntyre recalled the time when the late Principal Grant arrived in Ontario. It was on Nov. 30th, (St. Andrew's Day) 1877. He was escorted by the students to the residence of the late Prof. MacKerras, from whose steps he addressed a large crowd. The principal was installed on Dec. 5th, 1877, in the city hall. The following year, the speaker, as mayor of Kingston, acted as chairman of a meeting of citizens called to raise money for Queen's. He saw before him only two contending men who were also present at that meeting—Mr. Harty and Mr. Macdonell.

After the eloquent tribute of Hon. George W. Ross (reported in full on another page) the service was concluded with the benediction by Rev. Prof. Jordan.

A deep solemnity characterized the service at the beginning, but as the principal's strong characteristics and remarkable achievements were related, the students broke all restraint, and applauded frequently and enthusiastically.

QUEEN'S TRUSTEES.

Committee Appointed To Consider Principalship.

Queen's trustees held a special meeting on Thursday evening. This resolution was adopted: "That the board of trustees heartily congratulate the chancellor on the completion of the Pacific cable. With this they connect the expression of their thankfulness for the fact of his having been enabled in so many ways to render service to the country, and they hope that for years yet, Canada may enjoy the benefit of his valuable counsel and efficient aid."

Assistant professor Nicholson was made professor of philology and Sanscrit. Rev. Mr. Nicholson has been one of Queen's most efficient and faithful teachers for years, and well deserves the advancement.

Prof. Dupuis was appointed to act as vice-principal during the absence of Prof. Watson.

Rev. Dr. Thompson, Sarnia, was appointed to give a course of lectures to the theology students next January on homiletics.

Regarding the principalship, it was decided to appoint a committee to fully inquire into and consider this most important matter.—The committee consists of the chancellor, Justice MacLennan, Rev. Dr. Heridge, Rev. J. Mackay, and Dr. R. V. Rogers.

It is understood that a letter was received from Rev. Dr. Patterson, of Aberdeen, declining to allow his name to be submitted.

Received Cablegrams.

Sir Sandford Fleming, in the city, has received a message from Sir Joseph Ward, postmaster-general of New Zealand: "Glad to hear of Sir William Mulock's advocacy of state-owned telephone." The banner for the union, which had made the greatest progress, during the year, was awarded—6 Bruce county.

The crowning event of the convention was the reception of the world's president, Lady Henry Somerset, who arrived in Toronto on Thursday, October 30th. Her address Friday evening was grand. Her tribute to the late Miss Frances Willard was very touching.

Several committees were formed for distribution of literature during the coming month, after which the meeting closed.—COM.

What Scott's Emulsion Really Is.

The regular monthly meeting of the W.C.T.U. was held Thursday afternoon, about thirty members being present. Mrs. Macallum, president, occupied the chair. She took as the basis of a few remarks, Esther iv, 11-17, dwelling briefly on the noble stand taken by Queen Esther, she being willing to suffer death herself rather than have her people suffer at the hands of their enemies. Such a decision as hers is needed by all who hope to be victorious, when they know their cause to be a righteous one, and for the good of humanity. Mrs. Sparks and Mrs. King led in prayer.

It was decided that during November a prayer meeting be held every Thursday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock in the old collegiate building, where will be children's rally in the City hall Sunday afternoon at the close of the Sunday schools.

The educational half hour was taken up with reports of convention. Mrs. Macallum said that it was not an easy matter to condense the work of four busy days into a short half hour, but she did it very much to the satisfaction of all present. This convention has surpassed all others held in Ontario as regards the numbers in attendance and the interest manifested. There were nearly 300 delegates, and crowded meetings at most of the sessions.

The reports of departments were intensely interesting, and she could only touch on a few of the more important very briefly. After speaking of the invariable courtesy of all those connected with the press, with whom she had any intercourse, and thanking them for their kindness, she asked that the W.C.T.U. pray that wisdom be given them to fulfil the high mission which is theirs.

A conference was held on the cigar question, and it was decided that petitions be sent in during the next session of parliament, asking for increased legislation in this connection. The lumber camp work was