A VERY PLEASANT TIME - A GIFT TO AN OLD FRIEND.

The Way the Valedictories Were Received -The Principal Believes That the Hospital Will Improve-A Gift to Dr. Williamson-He Replies Very Fittingly Closed With the National Anthem.

"Speech day," at the university, was interesting. There was a large attendance of listeners and by their frequent applause they indicated their appreciation of what was said or done. The gallery was full of students and they were very demonstrative. They sang the old, old songs when they didn't guy the public. The platform was crowded with professors and graduates and benefactors of the college. Principal Grant occupied the chair. Opening exercises were conducted by Rev. M. McGillivray, Perth, Then the students lifted up their voices as Miss Ada A. Funnell, of Trenton, advanced and faced the audience, attired in black satin, and read her farewell address on behalf of the graduating class of the Women's medical college. The students declared that she was "a jolly good fellow" and frequently applauded her remarks. They were very mournful when she referred to the maidens who had to face the battle of life with no brave human arm to lean upon. "Old maids !" exclaimed one, unsympathetically. The students sighed again as she proceeded to gather up "the golden memories of the busy, though care-free college life gone, never to return." A reference to Dr. Anglin made the company laugh, and they laughed still more when some one suggested, "Oh, he's married." Her peroration was loudly cheered.

Mr. James, of Centreville, was vociferously received. He dropped his manuscript upon the reading desk, bowed in princely fashion, and in a sonorous voice read rapidly, his points being cheered or laughed at as they seemed to suggest. He was in perfect harmony with those in the gallery. He was called "Mickey" when he intimated that strong affections had been formed for Kingstonians and was advised 'not to break them." He read for twenty minutes and then quit amid the wildest demonstrations of his associates. Mr. James' vein of humor was very appreciable.

Mr. Stephen Childerhose, B.A., read with fine effect. His matter was good and full of sound sense. At times he rose to oratorical heights, which, however, were marred by the groans and sighs of the undergraduates.

Principal Grant briefly commented upon the various addresses. Miss Funnell's was well-balanced in every respect. He had every confidence in her future success. He was not so well pleased with Dr. James' denunciations of the hospital. He was sorry that so much was said without the responsible parties being present to hear him. Had they been on hand it might have been lucky for him that "no knife was in the institution. The principal expected good results from the appointment of Dr. Hooper to the hospital. When the right man was put in a place he had no fear of the results, and he surely felt that with Dr. Hooper in the hospital no future valedictorian would take up the wail that had been sounded that day. Mr. Childerhose's address showed that the man was behind it.

Presentation of a Picture.

Judge Macdonald, in the absence of the chairman of the trustee board, was now called upon to perform a pleasant duty. He advanced to Rev. Dr. Williamson, and, amid immense cheering and melody, escorted him to the south corner of the building, and then addressed him as follows: "The ex-students of Queen's university, who have in by gone years had the privilege of being members of your classes in the college, present the accompanying portrait of yourself as a slight token of their love and esteem, and earnestly trust that those who shall hereafter see it in its place, in the university convocation hall, may take thought of your life and work, and may therefore receive an inspiration for good. To give full expression to the kindly respectful sentiments entertained for you by the sous of Queen's, scattered at large upon this globe, would necessitate the use of language stronger than may well be used in such an address as this. Let it suffice to say that such expressions would not be the mere voice of the lips but would, indeed, be the honest outcome of the heart. That your useful and valiant life may, under the divine blessing, long be spared, and that all your days may be days of blessing and happiness, is the earnest prayer of those who now address you." The judge said these words were the honest expression from the hearts of his old graduates. Any failure on their part was not the fault of Dr. Williamson. The sentiment was greeted with great ap-

Dr. Williamson expressed his hearty thanks for the honor done him. He could not adequatery express his feelings. It was not usually thought pleasant to be hung in effigy, (laughter), but on this occasion he could not sufficiently thank his kind and generous friends for what they had done. He added that he never thought he was so good-looking, (cheers), and certainly henever had any merit such as that which his too partial friends appeared to consider he possessed. He had always endeavored to do his duty, along with his able and faithful colleagues, some of whom had gone, and some of whom were about him. The portraits, looking down upon them, many of whom they represented having gone to rest, reminded them of the watchful care they exercised in connection with the college. They had never despaired of success in the infancy and early struggles of the college, but they hardly anticipated that it would have advanced to its present position, thanks to the rare energy of the principal. (Cheers.) He was proud to have seen as much, and he trusted that long after he had gone prosperity would continue to smile upon the college as long as the enduring years shall last. (Cheers.) The portrait was then handed over by him to the college authorities. Principal Grant made a brief address, and the ceremonies concluded with the singing of "God Save the Queen."

plause.

Missionary Association.

The annual meeting of Queen's college home and foreign missionary association was held yesterday morning at the college. There was a large number of alumni and atudents present. The work of the meeting, as stated by Mr. A. Gandier, was to formal ly accept Mr. J. F. Smith as the association's foreign missionary, and to make such arrangements as were necessary for sending him properly equipped to the field. Addresses, expressing sympathy with the movement, and approval of Mr. Smith as the association's choice, were given by Revs. Prof. Ross, J. Gandier, M. McGillivray, Geo. McArthur, A. H. Scott, J. Hay, N. Campbell and A. McAuley. It was then decided that Mr. Smith be henceforth regarded as the foreign missionary of the association, that the society hold itself respousible for all expenses in connection with his preparation for the work, that Mr. Smith should spend a portion of the coming ummer at Bellevue hospital, New York,

that on his return he visit a number of his congregation of Ontario, placing the scheme before them, that he complete his medical course here next winter, and that with the consent of the board of foreign missions he be sent to China or Corea the following

The association then appointed the following executive committee: Revs. Dr. McTavish, A. H. Scott, J. Hay, G. McArthur, Prof. Ross, M. McGillivray, and Messrs. D. Munroe, D. D. McDonald, J. C. Connell, J. A. McDonald and T. G. Porter. The association was convinced, by the assurance of many of the ministers present, on their own behalf and on the behalf of their congregations, that the necessary funds would be forthcoming.

Endowment Association.

George Gillies, of Cananoque, presided at the annual meeting of Queen's university endowment association yesterday afternoon in the absence of Chancellor Fleming.

Mr. R. V. Rogers submitted the annual report, showing that \$1,415.72 had been contributed during the year, and that the work of the association had been of an excellent character. The treasurer, Mr. D. Fraser, reported that \$2,006.07 had been received from all sources during the year. The officers re-elected were as follows:

President—Sandford Fleming, C.M.G. Vice-Presidents — Dr. Grant, Ottawa; Rev. G. M. Milligan, Toronto; Rev. Jas. Barclay, Andrew Allen, Montreal; G. A. Kirkpatrick, John Carruthers, Kingston; John Bell, Q.C., Belleville ; James Maclean, Q.C., Torohto; H. S. Macdonald, Brock-

The same gentlemen who composed the general committee, were re-elected with the following additions: Ottawa, Rev. W. T. Herridge, J. Booth; Montreal, T. Burnett; Belleville, Judge Fralick; Carleton Place, D. Gillies; Port Hope, Rev. Mr. Cleland; Brockville, Dr. Moore; Dr. Horton; Perth, E. G. Mallock, Dr. Kellock, Dr. Munro, Rev. J. Ross; Lanark, Rev. J. G. Stuart; Guelph, Rev. J. C. umith.

Principal Grant said that the associations must co-operate in raising the needed \$250. 000, and Rev. Mr. Laidlaw and others suggested that the burden of special portions be assumed by the various branches.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

A Wedding To-night.

Two of the jubilee singers will be married to-night in the city hall at the close of the

Freckle Lotion.

Bell's lotion will remove tan, freckles, sunburn, pimples, blotches, etc. Twentyfive cents at Wade's drug store.

Do Not be Wedded to Old Ideas.

But buy one of our California hams or rolls of bacon at 10c lb.; fresh eggs, 12c; fine maple syrup and sugar in blocks. Jas. Crawford.

He Made a Purchase.

Mr. R. H. Toye, the confectioner, has purchased the house in which he lives, and the one adjoining occupied by Dr. Jackson -an evidence of his prosperity and perman ence as a citizen.

Wilson Barrett To-morrow.

One of the events of the week will be the performance of Wilson Barrett in the opera house to morrow (Thursday) evening. The number of seats reserved is indicative of a very large attendance.

Carried Stones in His Pocket.

Joseph Jamieson was arrested for drunkenness. He carried a brick in his hat and a stone in his pocket. The chief of police exhibited the stone, and Jamieson remarked : "Oh, somebody slipped that into my pocket." He got a month, with the promise of heavier punishment if he did not quit the

Another Work of Art.

Visitors at the college did not see the valuable pictures from Montreal, but they saw a crayon sketch on the blackboard representative of a student standing on his head, and kicking his heels in the air, and shouting, "Whew! I'm through." It was reported to be by "Michael Angelo and worth \$50,000."

Sent to the Reformatory.

Joseph Dinsmore and W. Keegan admitted that they robbed W. Pipe's factory of bottled liquors and \$4.50 in cash. The lads were turned over for the consideration of the magistrate. He sent them to the Penetanguishene reformatory for six months, and a further indefinite period not exceeding five years. If the lads behave themselves they can get off with shorter terms.

They Were Representative Judges.

Four judges took in the conversazione last evening-Macdonald, Brockville : Fralick, of Belleville; Price, of Kingston; and McGuire, of the supreme court, district of Saskatchewan, N.W.T. They were representative of four leading denominations, namely, in the order of the judges, Anglican, Presbyterian, Methodist and Roman Catho-

They Had Their First Outing. A newly married couple got upon the train at Morrisburg last night and came to Kingston. They amused the passengers greatly. They were evidentally on their first trip, for when Kingston was called out the lady was particularly excited. She rushed off before the train stopped, fell between the car and platform, and would have been injured or killed but for a Montreal gentleman.

Anybody Might be Mistaken. There was a rumor afloat at Queen's uni versity last night to the effect that Chancel lor Fleming, C.M.G., had dropped in to en joy the conversazione. Surprise was expressed, inasmuch as he was thought to be in England. The supposed chancellor was later on pointed out to a WHIG reporter. And who do you think he was? Dr. Clements! Well there is a similarity between them. People have remarked it before.

Quick Work on the Farm. Malcolm McDonald, of Wolfe Island, erected a large barn with twenty foot posts, for Nicholas Mosier, on the Front road here last week. One day was occupied in framing, one in raising, and one in fully completing the work. So that the whole job including enclosure of the entire building, sheeting and shingling, was done in shree days. Of course in raising and finishing he needed and received the efficient assistance of the front boys, who can always "get there" when that kind of work is going on.

He Beat-His Mother. Hiram Daly said he had been drunk and beaten his mother. A feeble old lady took the stand and said she had the life of a dog with her son. Recently he struck her in the face, knocked her down, then locked her up. "That's hard treatment for a mother to get," she said. "Yes it is," replied the magistrate, "and I send your son to gaol for two months. I wish I could make that term longer." The bully twisted up his face to cry, but the spectators laughed at him, and he went out begging Sergt. Nesbitt to get his sentence lightened

FUN, FROLIC, FASHION.

A BRILLIANT EVENT OCCURS AT QUEEN'S UNIVERSITY.

The Conversazione a Great Success - It Equals Anything of the Kind in the History of the College-Five Hundred of the Best Dressed Persons in the City on Hand-Rare Enjoyment.

The pink of fashion! That's about the way to put it. This commodity floated about Queen's university halls

last night and elicited a great deal of admiration. Under the soft gas light and brilliant decorations the maidens, in their pretty gowns,

made a captivating sight. About five hundred persons were present to take part in the conversazione under the auspices of the Alma Mater society. They began to sweep in about 8:30 o'clock, and for an hour there was a rustle of silks and a shaking out of flounces and furbelows until the bewilderment of beauty fairly encompassed the aristocratic youths in full dress

who were their hair a la pompadour. And the girls and the boys! Why there were troops of them, and they sky-larked about to their heart's content. The clinging to stalwart arms was so tenacious, and the soft looks were so entrancing, that we have no fear that Queen's will ever fail for lack of students. They have only to come here -and succumb. And didn't the dowagers and chaperones feel happy! Some of them, we surmise, were a little jealous. But they remembered that they were not as young as they used to be.

When Kingston ladies get up and dust themselves they can create a furore, particularly among those who have the bills to meet. For days needlewomen were in lucrative employment, and the combinations of lace and lustrous goods were most unique.

Many were in gowns, students' gowns, and they had charge of the event. They were assiduous in their attentions and acted the men were handsomely arrayed, universally in black. The uniform of the soldier, however, relieved the sombre aspect somewhat. The men who stuffed their hands into white kids soon found relief from them on the first provocation.

P.W.O. Rifles poured forth its entrancing music. During the night they offered the following programme: "Within a Mile of Edinboro Town;" "Myrthen;" selection from Derfrieschutz; "Are You There, Moriarty ?;" "Chestnut Bell" valse ; "Tommy Atkins" polka; Delamatian march; and a selection from Martha. All were given in an excellent manner.

The programme was split into three parts, the idea being to let the company listen in sections and retire to the armoury for refreshments. The entertainment in Convocation hall was "pat." Miss Anna Howden sang frequently. Her previous excellent reputation was fully sustained. Her musical culture is very fine. Mr. J. M. Sherlock was in good voice, and won handfuls of applause. The quartettes were given by Messrs. Sherlock, Buchanan, Lavell and Cornett. The Telgmann family, in whole and in part, offered instrumental melody of a delightful character. Miss Jessie Meek, as rianist, was most effective, and Mr. H. L. Wilson, as musical conductor, filled the bill. An event of the evening was the appearance of the New Orleans jubilee singers, whose singing was decidedly charming. A male quartette sang a college glee in a manner that no college students can ever hope to imitate in their amateur efforts.

There were other features of an entertaining character. Prof. Marshall and Prof. Goodwin gave lecturettes, crowds visited the art rooms, and, along in the early morn ing, an athletic exhibition was to be given by Prof. Morgans and his class.

The armoury was handsomely fitted up, and refreshments served throughout the night. An ice or a cup of coffee satisfied the majority. McLaughlin, as caterer, had a rare display of viands. Several times there was a collision on the stairway when the advancing host from below encountered the retreating host from above. Then came the tug of war, and womanly sighs cleft the air

as the crowd surged on. It was early this morning when the company deserted the halls. They had thoroughly enjoyed themselves.

Oddfellows Entertaining Friends.

The sixty-eighth anniversary was celebrated appropriately and grandly, last evening, in the Kingston lodge rooms by the brethren of the city lodges and of the Rebecca. There was a large attendance. Mr. A. Mc-Allister occupied the chair, and reviewed the life of the order. The concert was started by Bro. Shedden, who sang excellently "John's Come Home To-day." Miss Florence Reid, a popular vocalist, sang a number of selections, all of which were favorably rendered. Bro. Moore, a stranger in the city, delighted everybody by his rendition of popular selections. His singing of "Jessie's Dream," and the "Tar's Farewell" was worthy of flattery. Prof. Keeley, as usual, pleased the listeners. His rendition of "Not Before Pa, Dear," was very funny, and caused considerable merriment. The chairman seemed to be especially pleased with it. The recitations by Master Perry and Miss Elliott took well. The latter showed her elocutionary powers to good advantage The Misses McMillan, singers who never fail to please those who hear them, sang a couple of selections in their usual good style. Mrs. Carnovsky, Miss Adams and Mr. A. Smith accompanied the singers on the piano. During the evening courteous waiters served sweet meats and fruits. The event came to a close at 10 o'clock. All who were present expressed themselves as exceedingly well pleased with the entertainment. It was a great success.

MARINE PARAGRAPHS.

Interesting Items Gathered Along the Harbour-Vessel Movements.

The steambarge Nile and tow are loading lumber for Oswego. The schr. Craftsman clears for Oswego in a few days to load coal for Port Arthur.

The steambarge Nile and barges Bedford and Isis have cleared for Cape Vincent with

The schr. Samana left yesterday for Oswego with 10,000 bushels of wheat from the prop. Myles.

The sloop Lorraine discharged 1,000 bushels of wheat and oats at Richardson & Son's wharf to-day. The grain was got at

The steamer Maud leaves the ferry wharf for Cape Vincent at 5 a.m.

Horsford's Acid Phosphate.

IN NERVOUS EXHAUSTION. Dr. George McKnight, Hannibal, N.Y., says : "I have used it in cases of nervous exhaustion, with quite satisfactory results."

The death at Richmond, Eastern Townships, of the mother of Rev. A. Paterson, (of Eganville) is announced. She was up in years, and for some time a sufferer. Friends in Kingston sympathise with Mr. Paterson in his bereavement.

BOOMING THE SCHEME.

The Meeting Held in Queen's To-day-The Endowment is a Success.

At a representative meeting, held in Convocation hall this forenoon, the scheme whereby to raise a quarter of a million for the endowment of Queen's university, was endorsed and \$10,000 added to the bulk sum wanted. Rev. Dr. Wardrope, of Guelph, occupied the chair and expressed amazement at the growth of the university since he had first attended it, then located in a clap-boarded house on Colborne street. He filled the chair in the absence of Hon. Mr. Morris, who was kept away by illness, but whose sympathies were with the university. Judge Macdonald read the report of the committee, appointed to revise the principal's circular. A number of changes were made, the chief one touching the objects for which the money was to be devoted thus: Endowment of the principalship, \$50,000; endowment of chairs of physics, minerology, chemistry and modern languages (\$33,000 each) \$100,000; new science hall \$10,000; assistant professorships in English, philosophy and biography, (\$13,000 each) \$40,000; tutorships in mathematics, French, German and chemistry, (\$2,500) each) \$10,000; endowment for the theological department \$50,000. Total \$260,000. Some slight changes were made as to the mode of perpetuating the names of the donors to the "jubilee fund."

The trustees, by resolution, heartily en dorsed the scheme and commended it to all those interested in the university. They were encouraged by the enthusiastic action taken by the citizens of Kingston to raise \$50,000 and the conduct of one citizen who had agreed to build a hall of science, urgently required, irrespective altogether of the school of applied science which, it is hoped, will be established and endowed by the government. The trustees were confident that the example so generously set by Kingston would ensure the raising of the full amount required.

Rev. J. Barclay, Montreal, vigorously endorsed the proposed scheme and moved a part of hosts in a gallant way. The gentle- resolution, that the general representative committee of the Queen's endowment association take immediate steps to accomplish the object aimed at. He strongly opposed centralization, and claimed that men in all professions and callings were better by not all having been branded with the same Up in the corridor the band of the 14th | stamp. Queen's was in its proper place, was doing an excellent work, was supported by able and loyal men, hence he had no fear of its suffering through lack of funds. Montreal would, he was sure, sustain the action it had taken.

Rev. D. J. Macdonnell, of Toronto, made a stirring address, promising that Queen's would find many friends in Toronto.

Rev. R. Campbell, Montreal; Dr. Preston, M.P.P., Newboro; Judge Fralick, Belleville; J. R. Lavell, Smith's Falls, in turn, promised that the cause of Queen's would be heartily supported; that every endeavour would be made to raise the need ed sum to permit Queen's to compete with any other institution in Canada.

Rev. R. J. Laidlaw, of Hamilton, moved, seconded by George Gillies, of Gananoque, that this conference records its thankful and hearty recognition of the generous resolves and energetic action of the citizens of Kingston, and earnestly hope that the good example thus set it will be followed with equal promptitude and generosity by all others interested in the maintenance of Queen's.

Rev. R. J. Laidlaw was flattering in his remarks touching the loyalty of the citizens of Kingston. Their actions on all occasions had given an impetus to any schemes to help the noble institution. He thought that in no better or more patriotic way could the jubilee of the queen be celebrated than by raising the requisite endowment. George Gillies, Rev. J. Cumberland, W.

Webster and Judge Macdonald endorsed the scheme, lauded the generosity of the citizens of Kingston, and declared that the time had come for the friends of the university to put their shoulders to the wheel and help the scheme along.

The speakers throughout the meeting were particularly euthusiastic over the way Principal Grant stood by Queen's and the feeling was that support should be given him in raising the necessary amount. He should be backed up in every possible way.

Before concluding Principal Grant read letters from Dr. Chamberlain, M.P.P., who said Kingston would get the school of science and all the money nocessary for the endowment of Queen's. Mr. E. W. Rathbun wanted a chat with Dr. Grant before he did anything handsome, and a widow offered her mite. She wanted a share which, if she could not pay at once, she would make provision for in her will. Chancellor Fleming cabled that he would earnestly promote the jubilee endowment.

PERSONAL MENTION.

People Whose Movements, Sayings and Doings Attract Attention.

Miss Nellie Hanley left for Watertown, N.Y., yesterday afternoon. Crown Prince Frederick William is re-

covering rapidly at Ems. A. B. Lavers, cashier of the Ætna Life Insurance company, Montreal, is in the city

Dr. A. M. Rosebrugh, of Toronto, intends visiting Kingston some time during the month of June. Mr. Andrew Carnegie gave his bride a

house next to the Vanderbilts and settled on her an income of \$20,000 a year. W. McEwen left for Montreal yesterday.

Mrs. Bennett, of St. Joseph, Mo., and Miss Stoneman, of Cleveland, are guests of Mrs. T. Carnovsky, Williamsville. They will leave for their respective homes on Monday next.

Rev. J. Barclay, Rev. Dr. Campbell and A. T. Drummond, Montreal; Rev. D. J. Macdonnell, James McLennan, Q.C., Toronto ; Dr. Gibson, Belleville ; Rev. A. Mc-Gillivray, Williamstown; Rev. Dr. Ward rope, Guelph; J. R. Lavell, Smith's Falls, and H. Allan, Perth, are in the city attend ing Queen's university convocation.

Is Cholera Coming?

The possible advent of cholera on this side of the Atlantic makes it of the utmost importance that proper precaution shall be taken to meet a fee so uncompromising and powerful. The liver and its condition at once becomes a matter of serious consideration, for upon its normal action depends most largely that degree of health and vigor that can surely withstand the assaults of disease. No remedy can equal Hamilton's Pills of Mandrake and Butternut. They at once strike at the source fo disease, remove obstructions in the liver, give tone and digestive power to the stomach, reinvigorating the whole system. Sold by Polson & Co., and dealers everywhere.

A Good Send Off.

To day Mr. John Offord, the WHIG'S accountant, becomes a benedict, and he does so with the benedictions of his friends. Last evening he was made the recipient of handsome presents by the proprietor and entire staff of the WHIG. He begins wedded life promisingly.

Comfortable Prices-They Fit the Pocket. California hams, 10c; fresh eggs, 12c; roll bacon, 10c; sweet cider, 30c gallon. Jas. Crawford.

CONFERRING DEGREES.

HONORS DISTRIBUTED BY QUEENS ON WORTHY PERSONS.

The Vice-Frincipal Sketches the Records of Those Who are Singled Out for Distinction - Deserving of the Graceful Compliments of Dr. Williamson.

At convocation this afternoon Rev. Dr. Williamson, vice-principal, presented the names of the following persons for honorary degrees:

DEGREES OF DOCTOR OF LAWS.

"I have the honor to present to you Mr. John George Bourinot, as worthy to receive the degree of doctor of laws. Mr. Bourinot was born in Sydney, Cape Breton and forms one of that band of distinguished scholars and literary men that the province of Nova Scotia has given to the dominion. A distinguished student of Trinity college, he has won for himself a still more distinguished position in the world of letters. He is an ever welcome contributor to the great periodicals of the mother country, and has made Canada widely known through the pages of the Westminster Review, London Quarterly, Blackwood and the Scottish Reriews. His great work on 'The practice and Procedure of Parliament, with a view of the origin and growth of parliamentary institutions in Canada,' entitles him to the rank of the greatest living authority on the subject. Mr. Bourinot is a true Canadian, has faith in the future of Canada and labors unceasingly to elevate its name and fame."

"I present to you Mr. John Fraser, of Maitland, New South Wales, for the degree of L.L.D. Mr. Fraser is a native of Scotland and a graduate of Edinburgh university, where he was the first of his year in classics. He has had a noteworthy career as a teacher, a student, and a philanthropist. His work, 'An Etrusca Celtal' is a monument of his linguistic attainments and intellectual power. He has devoted much study to the ethnology of the aborigines of Australia, and has received the prize of the Royal society of New South Wales for the best essay on its native races. In according to Mr. Fraser the degree of doctor of laws the senate wishes to pay honor to a charac ter of singular modesty and worth as well as to high scholarship and literary rank." DEGREE OF DOCTOR OF DIVINITY.

Rev. Alexander James Campbell was for several years the much esteemed minister of a large congregation at Melrose, Scotland and held a high place in the regard of the Free Church of Scotland, to which he belong ed, by reason of his natural talents, his varied culture, his earnestness, and his devotion to duty. His removal to Australia, in 1859, was expected to be, and has proved, a great gain to the Presbyterian church in that colony. Ever since his arrival in Vic toria he has been an indefatigable worker in his Master's service, as a pastor in Geelong. as a member of the church courts, and for upwards of seventeen years as interim professor of systematic theology Whatever he has undertaken he has executed with zeal and marked ability. As the brother-in-law of the late Prof. Esson, of Knox college, Toronto, the uncle of one of our own graduates, and a prominent minister in Scotland from 1843 to 1859, he is not unknown even in Canada. But it is in the land of his adoption that he is best known, and there he is thoroughly appreciated. The senate has received the assurance that the academic distinction, now conferred upon him by this university, will be especially gratifying to the ministers and members of the Presbyterian church in Victoria, where he has spent the last twenty-eight years of his active, honoured, and most useful life.

Rev. Robt. Campbell, M.A., pastor of St. Gabriel's Church, Montreal, was also honoured. The senate decided to confer this degree at the last moment, hence a sketch cannot now be given.

The names of these honourable gentlemen were ordered to be enrolled among the list of graduates.

INCIDENTS OF THE DAY.

Paragraphs of Interest as Picked Up by Our Busy Reporters on the Street. Great flocks of ducks are to be seen on the

Rideau river. Fine kid gloves at J. B. Page & Co's, leading hatters and furriers. W. Hatch, Napanee, has bought General Stanton, of Thorold. This horse is seven

There is a prospect of Rev. J. W. Forsythe, Pembroke, withdrawing his resigna-One of A. Caldwell & Co.'s men was

wears old.

drowned in the first drive of lumber on the Reserved seats for the reading contest in the City hall on May 6th, now on sale at

Henderson's. The pupils of the Portsmouth Sunday school will entertain the parents and friends at a concert to morrow evening.

Mr. Cousineau invites the ladies to call tomorrow and see his extra wide heavy coloured dress satins at 65c., worth \$1. The Manitoba exhibition car was visited

at Harrowsmith by 500 people and at Parham by 200 persons. The car left for Perth The jubilee sale of F. X. Cousineau & Co. is still going on, and will be continued dur-

ing the week. Great bargains may be expe cted. Have you heard the latest? Well, the lat est piece of really good news is that you can

buy roll bacon for 10c lb.; California hams, 10c ; fresh eggs, 12c doz ; at James Craw ford's. Between Saturday night and Monday

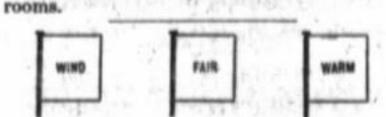
morning thieves broke open a tool chest on the steambarge Resolute, owned by Mr. Wright, and carried off \$15 worth of tools. Those who have experienced the benefits we offer rejoice in them because they buy

California hams at 10c per fb; roll bacon, 10c, and remember those meats are of the finest quality. Jas. Crawford. Arrangements have been made by which

Miss Annie Fralick will lend her assistance at the reading contest in the city hall. Her singing will no doubt be a marked feature of the entertainment, and will tend to vary the programme pleasantly.

We take the coin, the customers take the bargains, the bargains take the cake. That is the way we do business in California hams at 10c lb.; roll bacon, 10c lb.; two cans of salmon 25c. Jas. Crawford. ...

Remember the jubilee singers in the city hall to-night (Wednesday.) They sing plan tation melodies, camp and class meeting songs, songs from away down south, such as "Swanee River," "Kentucky River," "Massa's in de Cold, Cold Ground," and other popular southern songs. They also render classic music in a delightful manner. Hear them and satisfy yourselves. Tickets, 25c.; reserved seats, 10c extra. Plan at Y.M.C.A.



Weather Probabilities. Moderate winds, fair and a little warmer.

Shiloh's catarrh remedy-a positive cure or catarrh, diptheria, and canker mouth.