

TRANSLATION.

By the Author.

To the Graduating Class of Acadia College, June 1887, who have adopted as their motto, "Animo et Fide,"—"BY COURAGE AND FAITH." May grace and peace be multiplied; and "may grace, mercy and peace be unto you from God our Father, and our Lord Jesus Christ."

"Therefore, my beloved brethren, be ye steadfast, unmovable, always abounding in the work of the Lord; forasmuch as ye know that your labour is not in vain in the Lord."—1 Cor. 15, 58.

Now, brethren, trust in God,—He only can
Give strength and courage to poor feeble man.
He hears the truly humble when they plead
For faith and courage in the hour of need.

His ility! O rare and wondrous grace!
What goodness, wisdom, doth this word embrace.
Faith, power and courage, even highest bliss,
With glory everlasting—yea, all this.

Who truly loves Him, serves and honours God,
And God well pleased, his labours will applaud.
In all his works and ways, and everywhere,
In service sweet he'll *suffer, do and dare*.

Seek you this grace, this faith, this courage true,
Then in true greatness boldly *dare and do*.
Magnanimous he moves in god-like power,
The man thus panoplied—in darkest hour.

Thus prove your "motto," brethren in the Lord,
Thus show your *courage*, thus your *faith* record.
Stedfast, immovable in your call divine,
Then reap a large reward, and in full glory shine!

ANNIVERSARY EXERCISES.

ACCORDING to announcement, the Anniversary exercises of Acadia College and affiliated institutions took place the first and second days of June. The Senators, Governors and Alumni were early on the Hill in full force, and the general public attested their interest in these events by a large representation. On the Sunday preceding the anniversary, Dr. Sawyer preached the Baccalaureate sermon to a very large audience in the village chapel. His text was John, xviii., 37, and his subject, "Christ the king of Truth." It was a masterly effort, argumentative, didactic, and interesting, and was thoroughly appreciated by all—more especially with those who have conversed with the speaker on kindred subjects in the class-room. The people of the village courteously offered the graduating class the use of the front body pews at this exercise.

As early as Wednesday afternoon, College Hall was well filled, the occasion being the public Rhetorical exercises of

HORTON COLLEGIATE ACADEMY.

The matriculating class numbered forty-one, and of these ten were chosen to deliver orations. The following programme was carried out:—

- PRAYER,—S. T. Rand, D. D. Music,—Chorus.
1. Essay: "The Newspaper,"—J. E. Barsa, Wolfville.
2. Essay: The Golden Fleece,—W. B. Burnett, Sussex, N. B.
3. Essay: Beneath the Surface,—Edgar Chipman, Wolfville.
Music: Solo,—Ring, Blue Bells, Ring,—Miss Nelson.
4. Essay: Chinese Gordon,—H. P. Whidden, Antigonish.
5. Essay: The Nile,—J. E. Tiner, Musquash, N. B.
6. Essay: The Civilizing Effect of Commerce,—D. B. Hemmeon, Wolfville.
7. Essay: Rise of Patriotism in Modern Greece,—George E. Day, Yarmouth.
Music: Quartette,—Bitter Sweet. Misses Pride, Loader, Simms and Radderham.
8. Essay: Sir William Wallace,—L. H. Morse, Paradise.
9. Essay: The Jesuit Missionaries,—W. M. Smallman, O'Leary Road, P. E. I.
10. Essay: Look well to the Foundation,—Z. L. Fash, Bridgetown.
Music: Solo,— "Hunting four-leaved Clover." Miss Day.
Addresses. National Anthem.

The following are the gentlemen who have completed the Academic course of instruction:—

CLASS OF 1887.

I.—CLASSICAL COURSE.

- G. R. Baker Randolph, N. B.
J. E. Barsa Wolfville.
W. B. Burnett Sussex, N. B.
R. L. Cain Yarmouth.
J. P. Clark Nictaux.
I. Crombie Wilmot.
E. Chipman Wolfville.
B. Crosby Yarmouth.
Geo. E. Day Yarmouth.
Jos. A. Ellis Ohio.
H. G. Estabrooks .. Sackville, N. B.
Z. L. Fash Bridgetown.
C. H. Fielding Dartmouth.
E. E. Gates Truro.
Bertha Griffin Wolfville.
E. F. Hall Kingston.
D. B. Hemmeon Wolfville.
A. M. Hemmeon
F. R. Higgins
Geo. E. Higgins
H. B. Hogg Yarmouth.
J. A. LeGrandais .. Bay St. George, N. B.
N. A. McNeill Charlottetown.
C. E. Morse Nictaux.
L. H. Morse Paradise.
R. O. Morse Williamston.
J. A. Marple N. E. Margaree.
L. A. Norton Charlottetown, P. E. I.
A. Rowe Port Williams.
E. Rowe
J. H. Secord Fredericton Junction, N. B.
H. N. Shaw Boston, Mass., U. S.
I. Simpson Cavendish, P. E. I.
W. J. Spurr Aylesford.