

ROTHESAY COLLEGE HAS HAD A VERY SUCCESSFUL YEAR

Large Crowd Attended the
Closing Exercises
Yesterday.

FIELD DAY EVENTS
PROVED INTERESTING

Lieut.-Gov. Wood and Bishop
Richardson Among Speak-
ers—Annual Report Tells of
Great Progress.

The year's term of the Rothsay Collegiate School was brought to a close yesterday afternoon when the closing exercises were held in the college sports were concluded and the class prizes were distributed. A large number of those interested in the work of the school were present at the closing exercises. The Lieut.-Gov. Wood and Bishop Richardson were present and delivered a brief address. Bishop Richardson also spoke briefly.

The following young men received their graduation diplomas from the school: A. D. Rankin, T. Oliver, J. D. Harrison, L. O. Oliver, P. S. Hunter, N. Connell, A. Coster, W. W. Turnbull, J. W. B. Starr and J. W. Lockhart.

The prizes for both sport and class work were presented from a raised platform on the school grounds upon which were seated Governor Wood, Bishop Richardson, Lieut.-Gov. Wood, Rev. W. R. Hubbard, head master, and members of the teaching staff.

Field Day Programme.

The field sports in connection with the closing exercises were held in the morning and concluded during the afternoon, resulting as follows:

Shot put, senior school—1st, Connell; 2nd, Coster; 3rd, Guy, distance 33 feet, 5 inches.

Shot put, middle school—1st, Arscott; 2nd, J. Starr; 3rd, Barker. Distance, 25 feet, 6 inches.

High jump, junior school—1st, H. Campbell; 2nd, P. Starr. Height, 4 feet, 2 inches.

Hammer throw, middle school—1st, Barker; 2nd, Alward; 3rd, J. Starr. Distance, 48 feet, 6 inches.

Running broad jump, middle school—1st, Whitely; 2nd, Palmer; 3rd, Vanbuskirk. Distance, 12 feet, 3.4 inches.

250 yards dash, senior school—1st, Guy; 2nd, P. Starr; 3rd, Gilbert.

Pole vault, middle school—1st, J. Starr; 2nd, Foster; 3rd, Diago. Height, 6 feet, 3 inches.

High jump, middle school—1st, Starr; 2nd, Foster; 3rd, Alward.

High jump, senior school—1st, P. Starr; 2nd, Connell; 3rd, Gilbert.

75 yards dash, junior school—1st, Richardson; 2nd, Smith; 3rd, Slipp.

Running broad jump, middle school—1st, Foster; 2nd, Alward; 3rd, Scott.

100 yards dash, senior school—1st, Coster; 2nd, Guy; 3rd, Gilbert.

220 yards dash, junior school—1st, Slipp; 2nd, Campbell; 3rd, Diago.

75 yards dash, middle school—1st, Palmer; 2nd, Whitely; 3rd, Vanbuskirk.

Running broad jump, senior school—1st, Guy; 2nd, P. Starr; 3rd, Gilbert.

100 yards dash, middle school—1st, Scott; 2nd, Scott; 3rd, Foster.

220 yards walking race, senior school—1st, Green; 2nd, Campbell; 3rd, Smith.

440 yards dash, senior school—1st, Coster; 2nd, Guy; 3rd, Gilbert.

220 yards dash, middle school—1st, Scott; 2nd, Scott; 3rd, Foster.

Old boys' race—Cudlip, cane.

Won Class Premiums.

The following were presented class prizes by the Lieutenant Governor:

Form 4—First prize, gold medal, S. Burchill; 2nd, E. S. Wright.

Form 3A—First prize, silver medal, B. Diago; 2nd, H. Barker.

Form 3B—1st, G. Burchill; 2nd, C. Alward and H. Slipp; 3rd, C. Prescott.

ports were presented by Mrs. Richardson:

Throwing cricket ball, S—A. Coster, 400 yards dash, S—Coster, cuff links.

Throwing cricket ball, J—P. Starr, knife.

Hurdle race, S—T. Payne, bill book.

Hurdle race, M—F. Foster, cuff links.

Running broad jump—R. Smith, scissors.

440 yards dash, M—R. Scott, scarf pin.

880 yards dash, S—A. Coster, scarf pin.

Throwing hammer, S—B. Guy, clothesbrush.

Putting shot, M—R. Scott, purse.

High jump, J—M. Campbell, purse.

Throwing hammer, M—A. Barker.

Running broad jump, M—Whitely, belt.

220 yards dash, S—Grey, card case.

Pole vault, S—J. Gilbert, stud sett.

Pole vault, M—J. Starr, fishing reel.

High jump, M—J. Starr, tie slip.

High jump, S—T. Payne, razor.

75 yards dash, J—Richardson, knife.

Running broad jump, M—Foster, belt.

220 yards dash, S—Grey, card case.

Pole vault, S—J. Gilbert, stud sett.

Pole vault, M—J. Starr, fishing reel.

High jump, M—J. Starr, tie slip.

High jump, S—T. Payne, razor.

75 yards dash, J—Richardson, knife.

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High jump, M—J. Starr, tie slip.

High jump, S—T. Payne, razor.

75 yards dash, J—Richardson, knife.

100 yards dash, S—A. Coster, razor strap.

220 yards dash, J—H. Slipp, purse.

75 yards dash, M—Palmer, knife.

Running broad jump, S—B. Grey, scarf pin.

100 yards dash, M—C. Secord, tie clip.

220 yards walking race, J—Green, collar support.

440 yards dash, S—Coster, cuff links.

220 yards dash, M—R. Scott, scarf pin.

Old boys' race—Cudlip, cane.

Bishop Richardson's Address.

Before the presentation of the prizes, Bishop Richardson addressed the gathering, and took an opportunity to congratulate the boys on their excellent work, and the teaching staff on the very efficient manner in which they had instructed the young men.

He expressed himself as most pleased with the fact that plans for enlarging the school had been adopted, and added that with the growth and development of the province the time was now ripe for expansion.

He congratulated the parents of the boys and those closely interested in the school on the good work that had been done by them and remarked that if there had been any prejudice against the school in former days it was now "dead, deeply buried and on the road to be forgotten."

Bishop Richardson made mention of the fact that plans had been made for the accommodation of forty per cent more boys; and urged upon those present the necessity of seeing that these rooms are occupied.

In conclusion he congratulated Rev. W. R. Hubbard on having so efficiently carried out his work during the five years he has held the position of head master of Rothsay College.

Lieutenant Governor Wood.

Governor Wood was then called upon for an address.

He thanked the head of the college for the invitation to be present at the closing exercises and remarked that it was the first time he had the pleasure of visiting the school. He expressed himself as deeply impressed with the general appearance of the grounds and buildings and said that he was very glad to hear of the prosperity that was reported by the head master. He pointed out to the boys the great opportunity they had for learning and contrasted with the present time schools the schools of forty years ago, which he himself attended. He impressed upon the boys the necessity of availing themselves of every opportunity offered them to acquire knowledge.

A Successful Year.

The report of Rev. Mr. Hubbard was then read, after which the prizes were presented. In his report the head master said in part:

"The general work of the school has been satisfactory."

"In athletics we had about an average year. We secured only second place in the interscholastic meet. This event was held for the second time in succession on our grounds, and though the events were not nearly so good as last year yet we had a very successful and pleasant meet."

"Our Cadet Corps was inspected on June 10 by Major Outbitt, who commended its work very highly and congratulated the officers on the efficiency displayed by the corps in marching and drill. Owing to unfavorable weather we were only able to send two shooting teams to practice on the St. John rifle ranges. We expect, nevertheless, to send a team to Sussex in August to compete for the cadet trophy."

Plans for Future.

"This year we are launching out again in the building line and by the opening of next term we expect to have completed new and greatly improved kitchen and office, together with considerable available space, as the new addition will be half a story higher than the old one, which it replaces; also early in January we expect to have finished a large extension replacing the old wing of the North House, giving us space for 22 more boys. The whole North House will be considerably remodelled and we shall have a much larger reading room and library, while the domestic arrangements will be brought thoroughly up-to-date. All this, with the painting of all the buildings, will cost in the neighborhood of \$15,000."

"It seems to me, therefore, that we have a goodly heritage, if we can only take full advantage of what nature has

endowed us with. Hence, we can make this school one of the largest and best in the whole Dominion."

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