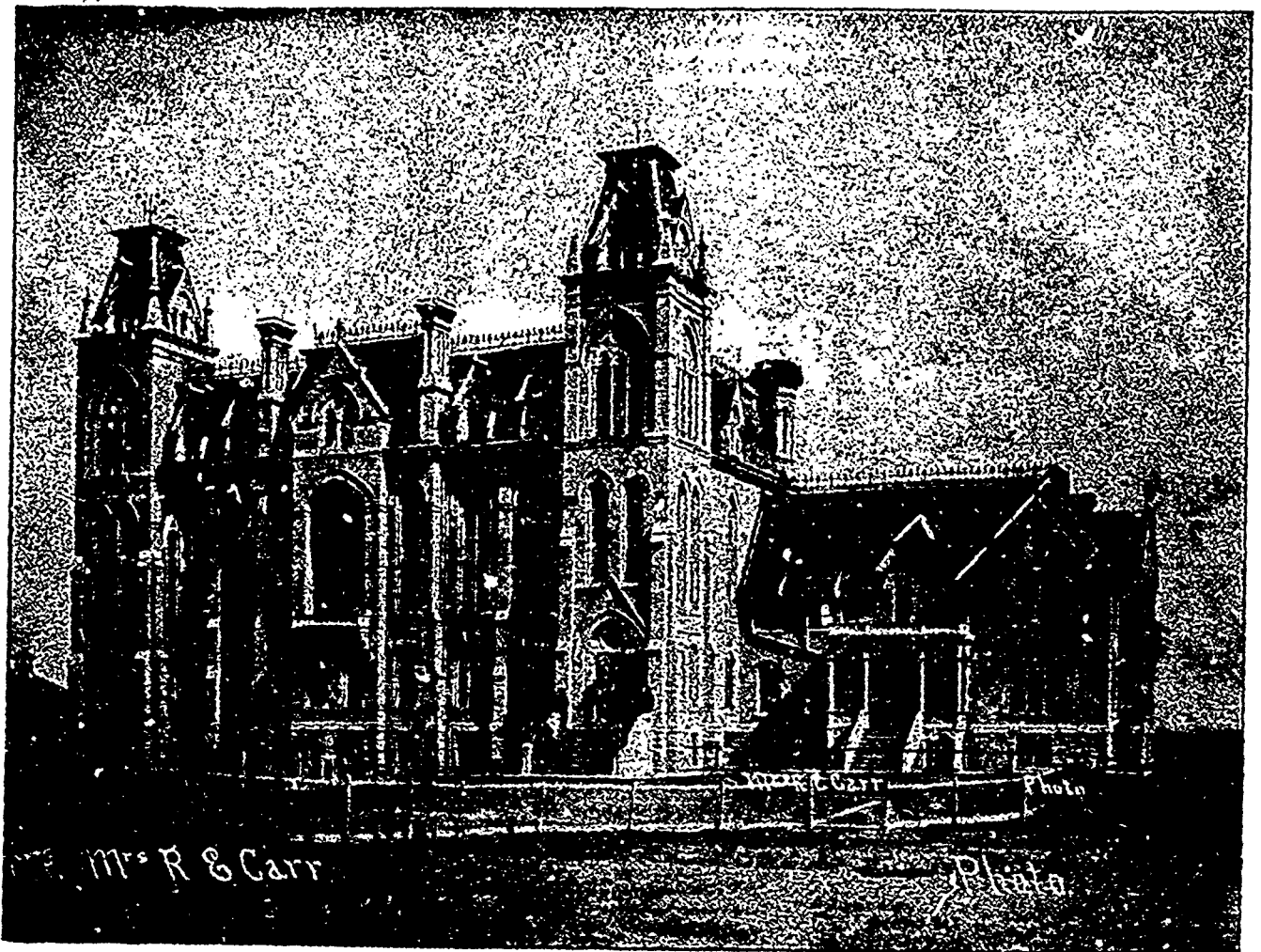


ceived from the Red River Academy. The late Inspecting Chief Factor William McMurray, the late Chief Factor William Hardisty, Chief Factor Peter Bell and the late Senator Hardisty were students of the Academy at the time, as were also the late Hector McKenzie and many others. These men have all occupied prominent positions in the country and they reflect credit upon an institution which in those early days of the country's history could have so fitted them for these positions. In 1819 Bishop Anderson arrived in the country. Two or three days before his arrival at Fort Garry, Mr. Macallum was called to his rest, and one of the Bishop's first duties was to perform the last rites at the funeral of the man who had done so much to

several distinguished alumni of the Institution. The Rev. Archdeacon Macdonald, D.D., whose name is so well and favorably known in connection with the Church of England Missions in the distant Diocese of McKenzie River, was at that time a scholar of the College. The late Hon. John Norquay, for so many years the honored Premier of his native Province; Colin McKenzie, formerly Superintendent of Education in British Columbia; Colonel Caldwell, of Cambridge, England; the late Ex-Mayor Logan, the late Dr. C. J. Bird, Speaker of the Legislative Assembly; the late James Ross, and many others received their education at St. John's College under Bishop Anderson. When the Bishop went to England in 1856 the College was closed and remained



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further the interests of higher education in this new land. The Bishop himself for a time assumed charge of the Academy, having under him an assistant, the Rev. Thomas Cochrane. The Bishop changed the name of the Academy into that which the institution has since borne, namely "St. John's College." It was apparently the Bishop's intention to make the College a place for the training of Catechists and Clergymen for work in the Mission field of the Church, and several young men who were admitted with that end in view, afterwards became ordained missionaries. In 1850 the Rev. George Pridham was appointed Principal of the College and occupied the position for four years. Under Bishop Anderson's regime the College flourished for seven years, and that period in its history can point to the names of

so for ten years. On November 1st, 1866, it was revived under the present head, the Archbishop of Rupert's Land. Dr. McLean, afterwards Bishop of Saskatchewan, was appointed Warden. The Rev. S. Pritchard, who himself had been conducting a private academy for some years previously, was now associated with the College as English master and brought with him his band of pupils. The Archbishop also regularly took classes in mathematics and theology. Since that time, various changes have taken place in the personnel of the teaching staff. When Dr. McLean was appointed to the Diocese of Saskatchewan, the Archbishop himself assumed the Wardenship, which he has retained ever since. The Archbishop has been all along the devoted friend and patron of the College, and