

## Report of Pupils' Standing.

Excellent, 10 ; Medium, 5 ;  
Good, 7 ; Poor, 3.

### Name or Person

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do citizens in the place. Mr. Willey is a machinist by trade. He has saved enough money out of his earnings to buy an orange grove of five acres in Florida whether they intend to retire after a few years. Mr. Willey and his wife were both educated in Halifax Nova Scotia, and have picked a master of the American system of signs which was very different from the English method in use at Halifax. Mr. Willey is proud of the fact that he has a grand uncle living in Chelsea, Mass., at the age of ninety-five years, with his mental machinery still in good running order. He hopes to congratulate his uncle on his one hundredth anniversary. Mrs. Thomson works in the watch factory. She was originally educated at Donaldson's Hospital in Edinburgh and was taught by the universal combination of speech, signs, and the double hand alphabet. George White from Canada uneducated but a first class carpenter. His sister, also uneducated died two or three years ago. Why are there so many uneducated Canadians in the States, when Canada has such good schools, especially the one at Belleville? Are they from Ontario? E.A.

## TORONTO TOPICS.

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**From our own Correspondent**  
It is reported that Miss L. Henry has gone to Winnipeg on a visit if not to stay altogether.

Mr. Clark Wilson has purchased a large  
house on Delaware Avenue for the  
sum of \$1,800. They will move into it  
in the course of a few days. We thank  
him for his energy and enterprise. It looks as if  
Delaware Avenue will become one of the  
finest streets in the city.

The deaf-mutes arranged for a picnic to the Humber on the 24th, but owing to the rain; it did not come off. In the evening, however, Mr and Mrs. Ruddell had a party and all the gay old and young fellows were there. It is needless to say an enjoyable time was spent. The success of the evening is largely due to Miss Mary Moore, who is becoming a general favorite with the deaf-mutes at large in the city.

It is estimated that there will be about thirty delegates from this city at the Convention. We would strongly urge all who can well afford it to go, and then will not regret it afterwards.

We have no doubt an inventive genius in our midst, in the person of W. Terrell. He has invented a door bell for deaf mutes. Though it may be called a bell it is in reality more of a hammer which is attached with a wire to the front door button, which when pressed the hammer gives a knock on the floor, where it is placed, and can easily be felt by almost any deaf-mute. Mr. Terrell is thinking about taking out a patent for it and we think when it is placed on the market it will have quite a large sale. We think Mr. T. should take a model of it to the Convention, to show as an example of his inventive ability.

We learn that the wife of our old friend J. H. Rhodan was very sick lately but think she has quite recovered again. It seems as if Johnnie has retired from the deaf-mute world. We fear he is engaged too much in domestic affairs such as rocking the cradle and administering physic, etc.

Mrs. Chan. Elliott has returned from her visit to London and Hamilton, much improved in health. While in the latter city he met quite a number of the matrons there and had a fine time generally.

Now that summer is here the busy parties of the winter will be a thing of the past. We presume that the young people will use their enormous energies

Mr. Arthur Brown, Peville, was in the city visiting his sister Mrs. H. Mason, last week.

Mrs. Boughton is going to spend a few weeks at her parental home this summer with her children. We presume Dr. V. will be going to back during her absence.

The New York Institution has a new gymnasium, and hereafter the pupils will receive regular drill in physical culture. The sum of \$1,500 has been expended in apparatus, and a qualified instructor appointed.

The Texas school is doing more this year in the way of oral work than ever before in its history. They will have each pupil educated by the method best adapted to the pupil's ability whether it be manual, oral, or both.