

HAVEN'T GOT CERTIFICATES BUT KNOW HOW TO TEACH

Success of Separate School Candidates in the University Exams.

Despite all arguments to the contrary, Brother Edward, principal of the De la Salle Institute, will never be convinced that the Christian Brothers are not qualified teachers, merely because they may not have conformed with the requirements of the Ontario education department. He grants that if certain certificates are demanded by the government, the future aspirations to the teaching profession should arm themselves with the prescribed qualifications, but would deem it an injustice to bar out those who have already proven themselves worthy, competent and efficient teachers.

The results attained by the above institute in the recent examinations are certainly a flattering tribute to the system of teaching employed by the four Christian Brothers in charge of that institution, and a most forcible point in favor of Brother Edward's argument. Out of nine scholars writing in the July departmental examinations, eight got thru. The ninth was only 14 years of age and promotion was hardly expected of him.

The commencement exercises of the institute were held yesterday, a bright variety program of music and picture plays, furnished entirely by the accomplished students of the institution, serving to render more enjoyable the ceremony of presenting the certificates and special awards, which were distributed as follows:

Gold medals—Christian doctrine (by Rev. M. D. Whelan), John Burns, commendable subjects (by Eugene O'Keefe), James Kenny, penmanship (by J. L. Woods), William Cannon, gymnasium (by W. E. Blake), Percy McAllister, medals for matriculation results, English (by Rev. Edward Kelly, Dixie), Austin (by Rev. Hugh Murray), Percy Small.

Results of matriculation (by J. L. Woods), to Arthur Ramepenger and Arthur Leonard; class prizes up to \$30 (by Francis O'Farrell, Goldfield, Neill, to Walter Staley, Y. Doye, Wilfrid Chase, John Neville, Joseph Doohey, Carroll March).

Institute diplomas—James J. Kennedy and Neil McGrath.

The results of the July departmental examinations are as follows: Junior teachers' Austin Dees; junior matriculation in arts, Arthur Leonard; matriculation for applied science and practical engineering, Thomas M. Boland; Arthur Ramepenger, partial junior matriculation, Wilfrid Chase, Gerald Connolly, James Doohey, Walter Morgan.

Rev. Hugh Canning presided in the absence of Vicar General McCann, and in his address alluded to the success of the commercial and matriculation work.

Those taking part in the program were: Edward McGrath, vocal; Victor Cossett and John Neville, vocal duet; Malcolm Moore and Wm. Kelly, piano duet; Wilfrid Chase, instrumental; W. Kelley and J. Neville, accompanists. Choral songs were also rendered by the French and German classes and the Choral Union.

Invited guests present were: Rev. Father J. J. Rohleder, M. D. Whelan, E. F. Murray, C. S. B., Kelly, H. Canning, W. McCann, Brothers, Otto Baldwin, Rev. L. Minahan, P. Coyle, R. Walsh, Wm. Ryan, E. McCabe, J. J. Settle, D. A. Carey, T. Callaghan, W. Donville, D. Miller, J. Neville, M. O'Neil, P. Flanagan, W. McAllister, M. J. O'Leary, J. W. Morgan.

Institute Workers' Conference. The department of agriculture has arranged a conference of farmers' institute lecturers, and officers, to be held at the Ontario Agricultural College from Nov. 20 to 23, inclusive.

Fine House Burned. Stratford, Oct. 26.—(Special.)—Fire totally destroyed the fine brick house of Daniel Herbert of Logan Township.

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WINS CASE AGAINST CROWN CABINET HAD FULL POWER

Independent Cordage Co. Can Claim Damage for Cancellation of Contract.

A contract which is ratified by the legislature does not amount to a statute and the Lieutenant-governor and his executive council can, by order in council, make any changes in that contract, was the judgment of Chief Justice Meredith yesterday afternoon at the non-jury sittings in the action brought by the Independent Cordage Company against the Whitney government, in which they claimed \$13,000 in lieu of a full settlement of the contract given the company by the Ross government in 1899 for the manufacture of binder twine at the Central Prison, and which was ratified by the legislature. In 1897 another contract was made by the company, the manufacture of binder twine at the Central Prison, and which was ratified by the legislature. In 1897 another contract was made by the company, the manufacture of binder twine at the Central Prison, and which was ratified by the legislature.

The government maintained that the order-in-council was not operative, and instead of owing the company, the company was indebted to the present government for over \$50,000.

After the evidence of T. S. Hobbs, president of the company, and John Smith, expert machinist, regarding the installation of a new plant, there ensued an interesting argument between his lordship and Mr. Hodgins.

Mr. Hodgins argued that the basis of the government's case was on the second agreement and the order-in-council. He maintained that the contract was not sanctioned by the legislature, and therefore was inoperative.

The chief justice thought this was a poor argument in view of the fact that it was not necessary to have the sanction of the legislature except when it came to the voting of money.

Mr. Hodgins still submitted that where a contract was approved by the legislature it could not be altered by the government without the consent of the legislature.

Chief Justice then instanced his point by the way in which the government sold large areas of land.

"Assume, if you like," he said, "that the first contract made with this company by the legislature was the very best in the interests of the province and that the second was the very worst, the government still have the power to make the change, but they are of course responsible to the house and to the people for the province."

Mr. Hodgins quoted Tilley, Todd, Bournot and other parliamentary authorities to show that when a cabinet received instructions from the legislature there was no more power vested in them to reverse those instructions, nor to alter the contracts than with the contractors. If this was not so the legislature might consent to a policy, agree to the terms and yet, next day, the government might alter the contract in toto.

Next session the legislature might turn the government out," was the chief justice's comment on the argument.

Mr. Hobbs testified to having taken

over the Field Co's binder twine factory and installing about \$45,000 of new machinery, which was consequently added to. In 1902 there was not sufficient prison labor to get out more than four tons a day.

Mr. Hobbs declared he received no profit whatever for the purchase of the machinery outside of the 5 per cent. Of this he paid over \$1200. No business man would have undertaken it on a five per cent. basis.

John A. Smith, machinist at the Central Prison until 1901, considered the charges for repairs were very fair, even cheap.

BULLDOG KILLED COLLIE.

But Court Holds Evidently That There Was Contributory Negligence

The afternoon police court heard a tale of two dogs. One, a collie, was owned by J. W. Siddall, the architect, and the other, a bulldog, was the property of A. Bertram Holmes, 8 Southview, Rosedale. The dogs met, as dogs will. There was a mix-up, which resulted in the death of the collie.

Siddall summoned Holmes on the charge of keeping a vicious dog. The defendant, however, had a number of witnesses, who testified that the bulldog was the sweetest thing that ever lived, and the case was dismissed.

Last Sunday a German fellow amused himself by firing a revolver out of his bedroom window at 43 Niagara street. His gun cost him \$1 and costs.

William Cronin, on Sept. 13, shocked a number of passengers on a Yonge-street car. Thru the efforts of Crown Prosecutor Felix McKenna he was made to pay \$5 and costs into court.

Pedestrians on West Bloor-street have been much annoyed lately by young men who congregate at corners, block the sidewalks and in other ways make themselves a nuisance.

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DEBENTURES FOR BRIDGE AND A VOTE IN JANUARY

Controllers Decide to Take Some Definite Action in Regard to the Problem.

Another attempt is to be made to solve the Yonge-street bridge puzzle. Controller Jones moved at yesterday's meeting of the board of control that the city solicitor be instructed to prepare a bylaw to be submitted at the next meeting of the city council, providing that the city issue debentures for the cost of the bridge, and to cover the land damages as estimated by the city engineer and assessment commissioner, less \$100,000 to be contributed by the railways. The motion also asks that the bylaws be submitted to a vote of the ratepayers at the next municipal election.

In the absence of Controller Shaw the motion was allowed to stand over until Tuesday. It appears likely that it will pass the board of control, since, besides the mayor, Controllers Ward and Hubbard, who are very weary of the protracted dickerings, are understood to be kindly disposed toward the new move. On the other hand, the mayor and Controller Shaw are hostile toward any arrangement which would let the railways off so lightly, so that a bare majority in the best result to be hoped for, while, should the motion reach the city council, it is a pretty fair conjecture that it will be turned down.

As Mr. Forman estimates that the land damages alone would amount to \$135,000, the railway's share of the expense would not even cover these, leaving it for the city to bear the entire cost of building the bridge.

An Ambulance Station. Dr. Sheard reported in favor of the city's building an ambulance station at a cost of \$3000, in connection with the new city morgue to be built on the north side of Lombard-street. He pointed out that there would be the advantage of having someone in constant attendance at the morgue, and that the city's expansion would soon make a day and night ambulance service necessary. The city architect and property commissioner will deal with the suggestion.

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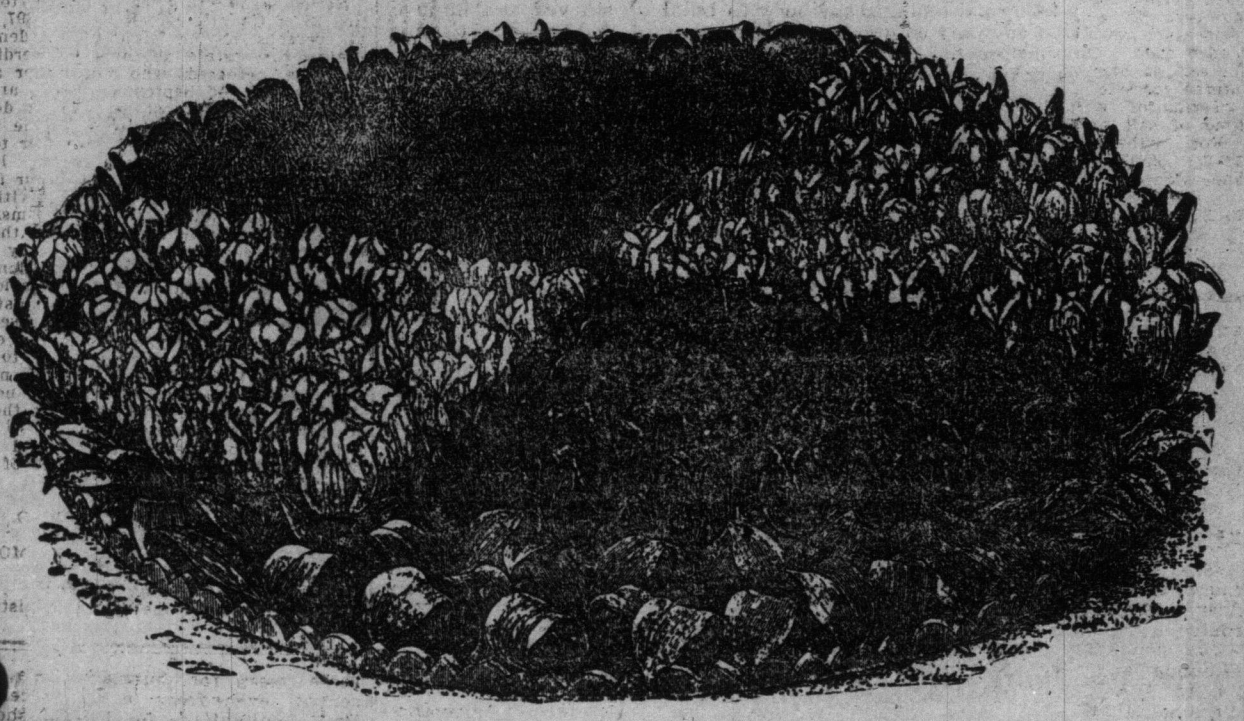
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