

SCHOOL AND COLLEGE.

Dr. B. C. Crowell, Professor of Pathology and Bacteriology, University of the Philippines, has recently been appointed Director of the Graduate School of Tropical Medicine and Public Health of the University of the Philippines. He has also been elected President of the Philippine Islands Medical Association for the present year.

The St. Martins Superior School and the Fair View School, which have been closed on account of measles, have reopened. Messrs. Frank S. Kierstead and G. Wilfred Fletcher, their respective teachers, spent their holidays at their homes, Sussex and Upham, respectively.

The Hardwood Hill School, under the management of Miss Annie Parsons, is making good progress.

The teachers of Acadia St. School, and a few from Spring St. and the West Highlands were visitors in Sackville recently, where they all very much enjoyed seeing that great picture "The Birth of a Nation."

SCHOOL WORK.—The semi-annual examination of Cape Wolfe School was celebrated on the 26th of January. The affair being well attended by the parents and friends of the children who were delighted at the progress they had made. The teacher, Miss Mary E. McIntyre, was presented with a purse and an address congratulating her on her success. During the event a number of recitations and songs were delivered. The singing of the National Anthem brought the proceedings to a close.

IN SCHOOL CIRCLES.—Mr. Moise Gallant of Rustico, has now charge of the primary department of St. Chrysotom School, replacing Miss Marguerite Gallant of Mt. Carmel, who was compelled to resign owing to sickness. Mr. Gallant has always held the high reputation of being a very successful teacher and the rate payers of St. Chrysotom, while regretting their former teacher, have been very fortunate in securing the services of Mr. Gallant.

SCHOOL WORK.—The semi-annual examination of Mill Vale School took place on Thursday, January 25th, and was attended by a large number and friends of the pupils, several of whom assisted the teacher in the examination. A programme of recitations, choruses and dialogues followed, after which the teacher presented prizes to the children and treated all present to candy. After complimentary remarks by the ratepayers, on the manner in which the school was conducted the scholars presented their teacher with a very appropriate gift and the following address: Miss Agnes O'Connor — Dear Teacher — We, your pupils, cannot allow this evening to pass without expressing to you our good wishes and warm appreciation to you as our teacher. Just one half year has glided by since you came amongst us and you have by your excellent qualities endeared yourself to each and every one of us. As we look back over the past we have given you much trouble in our daily tasks, yet we have always found you cheerful, patient and ever ready to assist us and teach us day by day that which will attain to our welfare. Now dear teacher, we ask you to please accept this little gift, not for its value but as a token of respect and obedience from us to show we do not forget all you have done for us and assure you we shall all strive to do better in the future. The teacher though taken by surprise, expressed

her appreciation for the kindness shown her, the examination closed with the singing of the National Anthem.

PROVINCIAL APPOINTMENTS.—To be School Commissioners for the towns named respectively for the term ending the 1st day of February, A. D. 1920:

Amherst.—Francis E. Boudreau, M. D.

Oxford.—Walter H. Hewson.

Parrsboro.—Burpee L. Tucker.

Springhill.—Maurice R. Anderson.

KENSINGTON HIGH SCHOOL EXAMINATION.—The regular Christmas examination of Kensington High School, which was postponed on account of the illness of the principal, Miss Dora Squarebriggs, was held a short time ago in the C. M. B. A. Hall. It was an innovation in examinations of Kensington High School. On account of the large number of pupils, and the limited space in the class rooms of the school, it was suggested by the principal and her assistants, viz., Miss Hughes, Miss Graham and Miss Smith, that the examination be held in the C. M. B. A. Hall, which was almost filled by pupils and parents. The examination was conducted, according to program, and the toute ensemble of the whole affair reflected the skill and executive ability of the teaching staff of the school. The pupils marched to and from class recitals to piano music played by Miss Ella McMahon. The predominance of the military spirit was evidenced by flag drills and patriotic recitations. The pupils were examined by Mayor Jardine, James F. Proffitt, James Pendergast and James A. Ready, B. A. Trustees and parents expressed themselves well pleased with the recitals of the different classes and grades. Special mention was made of the discipline and general deportment. The management of the "Strand" Theatre merit the thanks of the school district for their donation of the use of the Hall for the event. The singing of "God Save the King" ended a pleasant afternoon for parents, pupils and teachers.

Mrs. Olive Allen of Bayswater, is now in charge of the school at Upper Cape, which opened on February 15th.

Many friends throughout Fredericton and Province will be pleased to learn that the McCauley School of Edmonton, Alberta, has not allowed the heroic death of Lieut. Locksley McKnight to pass unnoticed. Lieut. McKnight was a son of Mr. and Mrs. John McKnight of Fredericton, and enlisted at Edmonton and was killed in action in September, at the Battle of the Somme.

When addressing the gathering on the occasion of the unveiling the Hon. J. R. Boyle spoke of the large number of enlistments, which had taken place in the teaching profession throughout the Province, as great as in any walk of life, and said that the attitude of sacrifice and observance of duty taken by the teachers was symbolic of the teaching given in the schools.

Mr. Armand LeBlanc has been reappointed a School Commissioner for the town of Wedgeport for the term ending February 1st, 1920.

Winston-Salem, N. C.; high school girls mend their torn garments and darn their hose as a part of their sewing course.