

THE PRINCE OF WALES COLLEGE.

The Prince of Wales College is the best college for your needs. On the other hand, if a boy wishes to take a course in civil engineering or medicine or law, for a reasonable fee he can secure the benefits of the \$5,000,000 invested at McGill University. If he wishes to take the advanced course in agriculture, he can come to Macdonald College, and get the benefit of \$1,500,000 invested in buildings, equipment, and farms, with some thirty of the best instructors we can employ. The girls can obtain equal advantages in the School of Household Science of Macdonald College. The only charge will be for room and board, which has been placed at \$3.25 per week, plus a small laboratory fee of \$5 for the whole year. It will be sensible and economical and wise, to devote Prince of Wales College to training teachers for your elementary schools, and imparting good secondary education to those who pass from school directly into other occupations on the Island.

The Prince of Wales College will serve you best by doing things you need to have done, that other people cannot do for you. Make this college the best place in Canada for training your leaders for rural and town schools, and giving others, who intend to take an advanced college course, such educational preparation as they need.

I have gone over the building to-day with Mr. Cundall, to whom Sir William and I are personally indebted for relieving us of much care and anxiety regarding the management of the business connected with the enlargement. Mr. Cundall is one of the most precise and capable business men in the country. We esteem him as a sterling man, sterling all the way through. I inspected the building, and you know it is the duty of the inspector to find fault where defects exist, and I found that the workmanship and materials were honest, substantial, apparently durable, and beautiful. When the work is finished you will have a college building which will be highly creditable to the Province.

I would ask you to uphold the hands of Principal Robertson and his enthusiastic, sympathetic, and capable staff. I hope the Prince of Wales College will continue to do work as good as any it has done. It has the reputation in Montreal of sending up to McGill some of the best qualified men. Because of the enlargements for the better equipment and training of teachers, there is no reason why the good work in mathematics and classics should cease, or why it should not continue to send to McGill men of brilliant attainments.