

PREMIER FOSTER TO ADDRESS THEM

Will Speak to Graduating
Class of U. of N. B. on
Thursday, May 18.

Fredricton, April 27.—(Special)—In accordance with the custom established several years ago, the graduating class of the University of New Brunswick will have a special address delivered to its members at the convocation on Thursday, May 18. Dr. C. C. Jones, chancellor, announced that Hon. Walter E. Foster, premier of New Brunswick, will deliver the address. Hon. Mr. Foster is the first provincial premier to deliver this address.

Y. M. C. I. CLASSES IN ANNUAL REVIEW

The Y. M. C. I. annual review and gymnastic demonstration of classes was staged last evening in St. Vincent's auditorium in Cliff street. The display was an unqualified success and the large audience showed its appreciation of the various items on the programme by spontaneous bursts of applause. The various classes and drills were under the able direction of W. E. Stirling, physical instructor of the Y. M. C. I., ably assisted by P. Pemberton, H. J. L. Nason and Miss N. Dunnachie, and the work of the members of the classes showed the results of their careful instructions.

The first item was a free hand drill under the direction of the physical instructor, who led a class of between fifty and sixty boys under twelve years of age through the exercises. The boys played a smoothness and rhythm that seldom seen in junior classes. The high school girls' class put on a gymnastic Highland fling which was a charming feature.

A tumbling troupe then occupied the stage and their stunts were snappy and clever and drew a great hand from the audience. The wand drill and dance by the school girls' class followed and the way the little girls went through the intricate figures of the drill was a revelation to the spectators. They also went through the step dance in an excellent manner.

The seniors then went in for pyramid forming on the parallel bars and other various stunts in which their team work showed up to advantage and the act passed off with quickness and dispatch.

The Irish jig was danced by members of the high school girls' class and it was thoroughly enjoyed by all present.

The school boys' dumb bell drill was a splendid example of training, as the large class followed the movements of the instructor with machine-like precision. Every member of the class moved in unison until it looked like a single action.

The high school girls gave a special club swinging exhibition with clubs attractively decorated with the colors of the Y. M. C. I., maroon and white. This exhibition was exceptionally well carried out and was heartily applauded.

Eight school girls followed, all dressed in Highland costume, and gave an interpretation of the Highland fling.

The sword dance was put on by eight members of the senior class, in which all the dancers showed great dexterity in carrying out the intricate motions of the famous dance. They were all dressed in Scottish cadet costumes.

A charming solo was sung by Miss Nettie Dunnachie and she was compelled to respond to an encore before the audience was satisfied.

One of the features of the evening was the work on the horizontal bars by members of the senior class. Pyramid forming and other daring stunts in mid-air showed one another in rapid succession and the audience was kept on the alert following the movements of the actors.

An amusing touch was added to the scene by the appearance of a clown, whose comic antics convulsed the spectators with laughter. He finally showed great cleverness himself on the bar and was in the midst of an exceptionally daring exhibition when the fastenings gave way, but the clown proved equal to the emergency and, jumping clear, he turned and caught the falling bar.

The school girls' class put on a Peggy O'Neil dance in which eight members appeared in charming green costumes and, led by Miss Margaret Flood, who also sang one verse of the popular song of the same name, went through the steps of the dance with a swing.

The closing item on the programme was a sailor's hornpipe, which was danced by fifteen girls from the high school class in white middie suits with sailor hats to match. Miss Mary Crozier sang "The Lads in Navy Blue" during the dance, which added still further to its attractiveness.

The stage managers last evening were T. L. Killen and T. K. Sweeney. Miss Vera Campbell acted as accompanist for the various drills and dances.

DO DE JANEIRO'S FOUNDERS.

One of the landmarks of Rio de Janeiro has been a hill about 800 feet high in the heart of the city, called the Morro do Castello. A chapel crowned the top, and there was the tomb of Estacio de Sa, with his brother, Salvador de Sa, shares the title of founder of the city. Salvador was drowned at sea, so Estacio could be entombed. Near the chapel on the hill was a stone meeting like a milestone, bearing the date 1567 and called the foundation stone.

On January 20 Rio de Janeiro celebrated the 350th anniversary of its founding. As it had been decided to raise a hill and so make available valuable land, on that day the ashes of Estacio were taken from their long-time resting place and carried in an army wagon to the monastery of the Capuchins at the ginning of the ascent of the mountain. In another wagon was the foundation stone, followed by a long procession composed chiefly of Catholic religious bodies.

After the ground where the hill was is being prepared a monument to commemorate the founding of the city will be erected in the same place, and the ashes of the founder and the foundation stone will be put there.

"THE REAL ORATION OF THE EVENING"

Baltimore Newspaper's Comment on St. John Woman's Address — A Reporter Gives His Impressions.

The following extract from the report of the final formal session of Pan American conference of women in Baltimore is taken from the Baltimore Sun of April 24, and will be read with interest in New Brunswick:

"Tribute was paid to famous women of all the Americas last night at the final formal session of the Pan-American conference of women at the Hotel Belvedere, with Miss Helen M. Gardener, United States civil service commissioner, presiding, and the official delegates to the conference telling briefly of the famous women of their several countries. Informal sessions will continue through this week. Mrs. E. Atherton Smith, of Canada, delivered the real

oration of the evening in telling of her countrywomen."

In her address, Mrs. Smith spoke of the early pioneer women of Canada and the United Loyalist women. She referred to Jean Mance, founder of Hotel Dieu, Montreal; Madeline Vercheres and Lady LaTour, and closed with a fine tribute to the Canadian nurses who played a heroic part in the great war, and to Mrs. W. E. Sanford, president of the National Council of Women of Canada.

Another Tribute.

The following paragraph is taken from the Baltimore American of April 24: "Mrs. Atherton Smith, of Canada, would make an excellent reporter. Mrs. Smith went down in the elevator from the twelfth floor to the lobby of the Belvedere with a reporter who was endeavoring to secure a story from her. Whether she wanted to tell the story is not known, but before the lobby was reached, Mrs. Smith knew all about that reporter and could have written his obituary without the slightest difficulty."

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FAMILY OF FIVE IN WOODSTOCK JAIL

(Special to The Telegraph.)

Woodstock, April 27.—One member of the Treacartin family, who have been arrested charged with stealing, has kept out of the way since his father and three brothers were captured, but he fell into the officers' hands yesterday and has joined the rest of the family at the county jail today. This young man's name is Don, and it is alleged he has been named by the others as the chief culprit in the affair in which they have figured.

His arrest may have the effect of some new developments appearing. The defendants are charged with looting summer cottages, and Sheriff Foster found a horse-load of stolen goods at their home.

APPEALED AGAINST MILITIA TRANSFER

Lieut. Col. Alexander McMillan and Lieut. Col. W. H. Harrison returned yesterday, following a conference with the Minister of Militia at Ottawa, in which they urged the claims of this city to remain as headquarters for a special military command as at present. The local officers were supported in their stand by members of the commons and the senate, headed by Hon. A. R. Copp. The proposal to do away with M. D. No. 7 and to have military matters directed from Halifax was opposed on the ground that it would hinder efficiency, that recruiting would be hampered, that officers would lose direct touch with their men and that by cutting the service here as great a saving could be made as by transferring headquarters to Halifax. The minister said he recognized the force of some of the arguments and would consider the matter thoroughly.

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HALIFAX YOUNG GIRL IS MISSING

Orphan Disappears While on
Way to Attend St. Patrick's
School in That City.

Halifax, April 27.—Nellie Wonnell, aged twelve years, is missing from her home, 7 Falkland street. She left the house on Tuesday morning to go to St. Patrick's school, and since the members of her family have not seen her.

She is of fair complexion and wore a light coat and tam. Her mother is dead and her father is very anxious to learn of her whereabouts. Any information regarding her will be received by the detective department.

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