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MONTON.

Aug. 31.—The leading event of last week was the formal opening of the Aberdeen high school building which took place on Saturday afternoon, and was an event long to be remembered. The building is a beautiful structure of red brick, and said to be the handsomest school building in the Maritime Provinces. The opening ceremonies were very impressive. His Honor Lieut. Governor McClellan Dr. Allison, president of Mount Allison university, Sackville, Prof. Harrison chancellor of the University of New Brunswick Dr. Inch chief superintendent of education for New Brunswick, Premier Emerson, Dr. Stockton, and other prominent men were present. The interior of the building was inspected by a number of people and frequent expressions of admiration were heard. Nearly all the rooms are furnished and were in readiness for the opening of the public schools on Monday.

Mr. David Grant chairman of the board of school trustees presided, and in addition to the speakers of the day the following ladies and gentlemen were seated on the platform Mrs. Harvey Atkinson, and Mrs. Nugent, members of board of school trustees. Messrs F. A. McCully secretary of schools, George Smith inspector of schools, Principal Oulton. H. L. Brittain, Mayor Cole, I. A. Powell M. P., A. E. Kilham, C. W. Robinson, Ald. Masters, James Flanagan, H. H. Ayer, F. W. Sumner, Dr. Purdy, and others.

The first speaker Governor McClellan who was introduced to the audience by Mr. Grant, who also read letters of regret at his inability to be present from Rev. Dr. Stewart and Prof. Paisley of Sackville, Hon. A. T. Dunn, of St. John, Dr. McClellan superintendent of education for Nova Scotia, Rev. Father L'Abbe Membrano, C. Hon. A. D. Richard, Dorchester, and Rev. H. A. Meahan of Moncton who was unable to attend through illness. Governor McClellan was warmly received and made a brief but happy speech congratulating the citizens of Moncton on their enterprise in erecting such a building and paying a high compliment to the educational institutions of our city, at the close of which he declared the Aberdeen high school building open for the use for which it was intended. Governor McClellan was followed by Hon. H. R. Emerson who was also well received and drew a comparison between the Moncton schools of thirty-five years ago and those of the present in the contrasted new school days with those of today and heartily congratulated the board of school trustees on the very fine building they had erected. Dr. Stockton followed and after congratulating the chairman of the board of school trustees on the size and beauty of the building, spoke especially of the importance of the primary department in all schools and also of the advantages of a university education. Dr. Inch remarked that the educational advancement of Moncton had kept pace with its industrial progress and the increase of its population and when its history came to be written the chapter on education would not be the least interesting one.

Dr. Harrison spoke somewhat in the same strain, saying that those who graduated from this school would carry through life that which would bring light to their homes wherever they might be. Man died but the institutions of man lived on, and the

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High school of Moncton seemed destined to baffle the tyranny of time. Dr. Allison of Sackville after congratulating the school board on the beauty and convenience of the building they had erected said a few words which appealed very forcibly to the younger members of the community. In referring to the question of truancy which had been mentioned by some of the speakers, he said the only wonder to him was that more children did not play truant, when he considered that the best hours of the day were the school hours; and he strongly advocated the making of our school buildings more attractive to children, as a remedy, giving the people of Moncton special commendation for the erection of so handsome and attractive a structure. The speech making was brought to a close by Mr. George J. Oulton who delivered a short but forcible address. The proceedings were enlivened throughout by an excellent programme of music, rendered by Prof. Wait's orchestra, and were brought to a close by the singing of God Save the Queen. Governor McClellan has offered a prize to be awarded yearly during his term of office to the pupil in Aberdeen school, making the highest aggregate in the entrance examinations.

Mrs. J. H. Wetmore and Miss Wetmore who have been spending the greater part of the summer visiting Mrs. Wetmore's parents in Fredericton returned home last week.

Miss Creighton of Richmond, N. S., is spending a few days in town the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Ross of Main street.

Mrs. F. S. Yerton of Truro, is visiting her friend Miss Josie Wallace of Cameron street.

Miss Florence Matheson, of Montreal is spending a few days in town the guest of Miss Maudie Brewster of Main street.

Mr. F. W. B. Moore of the Bank of Montreal at Amherst, spent Sunday in town the guest of Mr. and Mrs. T. V. Cooke of Steadman street.

Mr. Walter Sumner of Truro, spent Sunday in town, the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. T. Sumner, of St. George street.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Irving Smith and family, who have been spending the past three weeks in Buctouche, returned home on Thursday.

Mrs. J. J. Wallace gave a most enjoyable afternoon at her home to a number of her lady friends yesterday afternoon at her handsome residence on Cameron street. The function was given in honor of Miss Wallace's guest, Mrs. Yerton of Truro, and as both Mrs. and Miss Wallace are admirable hostesses it is needless to say that the afternoon was most pleasantly spent.

Another very pleasant function in society circles took place at "Ravenswood" the residence of Mrs. Samuel McKean on Friday evening, when her youngest daughter, Miss Selma McKean entertained a number of her young friends. The guests numbered about forty, and enjoyed themselves as thoroughly as only healthy happy young folks can do.

The Misses Margaret and Bessie Holstead, who have been spending a few days with friends in St. John and Fredericton, returned home last Thursday.

Mrs. F. P. Reid and children who have been spending some weeks with relatives in Chatham returned home last week.

Mrs. Barnett and Mrs. Ballentine of Boston who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. James F. Sayre of Highfield street returned home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Plunkett took their departure on Saturday evening for their future home in Lindsay, Ont., Mr. Plunkett having been promoted to that branch of the Bank of Montreal, recently.

Mrs. Plunkett's sister Miss Annie Cook made one of the party, and will probably remain for some weeks. Both Mr. and Mrs. Plunkett are universal favorites in Moncton society and their departure is very generally regretted. Mr. Plunkett has been in Moncton for nearly seven years, and during that time has not only made hosts of friends in our city but also won the affection of our fairest maidens; and while regretting the fact that he is taking her away from us we wish them both every possible success and happiness in their new home. On the evening of their departure, Messrs. F. W. Sumner R. A. Borden Mayor Cole, J. H. Harris, F. P. Reid, and L. H. Higgins, called upon Mr. Plunkett, at his residence, and after some pleasant conversation Mr. Borden as spokesman for the party made known the object of their visit and after reading the following address, presented him with a very handsome token of their esteem.

MONTON, Aug. 26 1898.
To Mr. S. J. Plunkett, accountant Bank of Montreal, Moncton:

Dear Sir: We, the undersigned, a few of your friends in Moncton have learned that having received promotion in your bank, you are about leaving our city. During your residence in Moncton for the past six or more years, we have had the pleasure of meeting you almost daily in business society, and at the tea in many a well conducted game and while we are glad to congratulate you on your well-merited promotion, we beg to assure you that we most sincerely regret that your good fortune renders it necessary for you to leave us, and sever the ties of friendly intercourse which we had commenced to regard as almost permanent. We have much pleasure in assuring you that your courteous manner in the discharge of your duties in business, your gentleness and gentlemanly bearing in social intercourse and your kindness to all with whom you have come in contact, have secured you many friends in Moncton and we wish you to accept from us the accompanying present as a small token of our regard, which we trust in the years to come will serve to assist to keep your Moncton friends in mind.

Please accept for Mrs. Plunkett and yourself our best wishes for your continued success, prosperity and happiness in your new field of action, and permit us to express the hope that in the due course of promotion in your great institution you may some day return to Moncton to fill a more important position than the one you are now leaving.

Your Sincere Friends,
J. M. Knight, J. H. Harris, James G. Gray, F. P. Reid, F. W. Sumner, T. F. Curran, F. W. S. C. Pitts, E. C. Cole, J. H. Abbot, A. G. Bishop, D. Hogan, F. J. Sweeney, L. H. Higgins, A. E. Holstead, E. A. Harris, W. L. Cowling, W. F. Ferguson, P. Mcweeney, W. H. Faulkner, A. A. Barker, E. Y. Trites, Geo. Mcweeney, H. G. Marr, Geo. Maddison, J. S. Boyd, T. C. Toole, Wm. Wilson, Geo. Robertson, F. M. Tennant, J. D. Marks, R. A. Borden, H. H. Ayer, H. Hamilton, M. Lodge, C. McCully, Geo. L. Harris, E. Robertson, A. C. Chapman, C. P. Harris, F. W. Givan.

Mr. Plunkett was taken completely by surprise and greatly touched by so unexpected a token of good will and kindness on the part of his friends. He replied by thanking them warmly even more for their kind thought of him than for their handsome present, and expressed his sorrow at leaving Moncton, and its pleasant associations. He would ever remember the kindness of the people of Moncton and the present occasion would ever be one of the bright spots in his memory.

Lady Thompson and daughters, who have been spending a few days in town the guests of Mr. D. Pottinger and his mother, at their handsome home on Main street, left town last evening by the Maritime express for Montreal.

Mrs. F. J. White is spending a few days in Campbellton the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Benedict.

The many friends of Mr. Lester Byers, who has been so ill with typhoid fever for the past three weeks, were greatly shocked yesterday morning to hear of his death, which took place shortly after nine o'clock, at the residence of his mother on Church street. Mr. Byers' symptoms had been so favorable for the past day or two, that hopes for his recovery were entertained, but a sudden failure of the heart's action ended his young life with terrible suddenness. The deceased youth who was a general favorite was a few months short of twenty years old, and the only child of his widowed mother. Mrs. Byers has the heartfelt sympathy of the entire community in her terrible bereavement.

Another very sad death which took place on the same day, was that of Mr. Geo. F. Ryan, son of the late Hon. James Ryan who died at his residence in Cuvilliers, of pneumonia. Mr. Ryan had only been ill for a few days and was thirty seven years old.

Mr. and Mrs. David Watson, of Montreal, spent Sunday in town visiting friends. Mrs. Watson was Miss Mabel Norfolk of this city and is always sure of a warm welcome from her numerous Moncton friends.

Mrs. Reed of DeKalb, Ill., is spending a few days in town the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Keiser of St. George street.

Miss Laura Newman Moncton talented young pianist who has already won a foremost place amongst the musicians of this province, left town on Thursday for Germany, where she intends to prosecute her studies under the most distinguished European masters. Miss Newman will be remembered as graduating with high honors from Mount Allison Conservatory of music this year, and she intends studying with Professor Bartl L. Berlin, during the coming winter. Miss Newman's Moncton friends will wish her every success in her chosen profession. She was accompanied to New York by her mother, Mrs. R. L. Botsford.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Marr of Markham, Ont., who have been spending some weeks with friends in Moncton, returned home last week.

Miss Rippey is spending a few days at Idleyville Sheldiac Cape with her friend Mrs. E. W. Givens.

ST. STEPHEN AND CALAIS.

"BOULEVARD" is for sale in St. Stephen at the book stores of G. S. Wall & C. E. Atcheson and J. Vroom & Co. In Calais at O. F. Treat's.

Aug. 31.—Picnics and outings still keep up with vigor, everywhere there are dozens of outdoor parties and excursions. Today the young men of Christ church congregation with a large party of friends, have gone to Pembroke Maine in the steamer "Viking", they sail up the pretty Penobscot river to Bangor and also visit Lubec, to view the buildings of the late famous Electrolytic Marine Battery Co., and to sail back up the St. Croix by moonlight. This excursion is given annually and is always an ideal trip as the objective point is selected with great care.

Mr. and Mrs. John Prescott invited a party of friends to visit St. Andrews with them yesterday to meet Mrs. Belden of New Haven, Connecticut, for whose pleasure this outing was arranged.

Mrs. A. E. Neill gave a most pleasant tea one evening during the past week for the pleasure of her guest Miss Annie King and also for the entertainment of Miss Emma Sawyer and Miss Smith of Cambridge, Mass.

Mrs. Edwin B. Todd took a party of friends on a backboard ride to Denberville last Wednesday which was greatly enjoyed by all. But few of the party had ever visited that pretty, quiet town. Mrs. Henry Graham yesterday entertained Mrs. W. S. Fielding, Mrs. James G. Stevens' guest with a backboard ride and luncheon at DeMonts. There were several other guests and the ride was most enjoyable; the weather being perfect, the party congenial, together with the happy way both Mrs. Graham and her daughter Miss Alice Graham have of entertaining and making their guests at ease made the affair one of the most delightful of the many summer outings at DeMonts.

Mr. George Ryder took a party of children and ladies to Oak Haven in the steam launch Crack-a-Jack on Saturday, and all enjoyed luncheon and a jolly time at the picturesque spot until evening when they returned home.

Miss Mabel March gave a picnic at the Mansion House, Robbinston, in honor of Misses Lawyer and Smith of Cambridge Mass.

One of the most pleasant of many backboard rides given this summer was that of Mrs. George J. Clarke to Dr. Monts. The guests invited were Mrs. Fredie Toller, Mrs. W. H. Howland, Mrs. Frank Todd, Mrs. W. F. Todd, Mrs. M. S. Main, Mrs. C. W. Young, Mrs. C. H. Clark, Mrs. H. B. McAllister, Mrs. George Babbitt, Miss Stevens, Miss Alice Howland, Supper was served in the hotel tables were beautifully adorned with sweet peas, and the refreshments were of the daintiest kind. The party left there about three o'clock and did not return home until late in the evening.

The entertainment in the St. Croix Hall last evening by a number of young society people of Calais was a decided success and also most amusing and far ahead in merit of many of the professional troupes that have visited us of late. It opened with a short sketch on the play "Drifted Apart" in which Miss Ella Warren Harmon, and Mr. Verne Whitman, acquitted themselves well. Then followed the second act of the play, "Barbara", in which Miss May Jones, and Mr. James L. Thompson, Jr. shone—Miss Harmon and Mr. Ryan also took their parts well. The curtain then rose upon a grand Minstrel performance in which twenty young ladies and twenty young gentlemen took part. The singing was excellent and the costumes marvellous. There were several solos, the song "If that's the case I want to join the army," and also the duet "The Modern Century Girl," received great applause. "El Green's cake walk" in which Mrs. Saunders as Miss Amelia Starlight, and Mr. Ben Curran, as Jacob Astoribonit was splendidly done. The performance ended with a grand chorus, "Hot time in the old Town" and cake walk. Between the acts of the plays Mr. Allen Hayer of Boston gave in his mellow tenor voice several songs which were much pleasing to the audience. The whole entertainment was a credit and many favourable comments have been made.

Mrs. Ward of Skowhegan is the guests of her daughter Mrs. Frank T. Ross, at the Rough Riders in the thickest of the fight at Santiago, arrived home during the past week and is most cordially welcomed back by his friends. He returns looking rather thin and worn after the privations and fatigue he has suffered.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Brown, of Milltown have gone to Massachusetts to make their future home.

Miss Lila Williams of Denver, Colorado is the guest of Mrs. John B. Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Blair and Master Dugald Blair left today for Ottawa after an extended visit to Dr. and Mrs. Frank I. Blair.

Captain John D. Chipman accompanied his son Master Arthur Chipman today to Kingston Ontario, where Arthur will enter the military school in that city.

Mr. Will Algar leaves this week for a visit of ten days at Grand Manan.

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Miss Berna Main is making a brief visit in St. Andrews with her aunt Mrs. Fredie Andrews.

Mr. Harry C. Watkins who has been Mr. James L. Thompson's guest, has returned to his home in Oldtown, Maine.

Miss Jordan of Bangor is the guest of Mrs. C. E. Chapman at the St. Croix Exchange.

A delightful society event during the past week was the ball given by Mr. N. Marks Mills in the Grand Army Hall on Thursday of last week. It was given in honor of the visit of his friend Mr. Purdy of Amherst.

Mrs. James L. Thompson gave a very pleasant party on Friday evening at her pretty home on Germain street Calais, for the pleasure of her nieces Miss Bertie Cox who left today for her home in Cambridge Mass after a visit of a month.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Whitlock and their family who have been enjoying the sea air at DeMonts returned home yesterday.

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THINGS OF VALUE.

German teachers were once so poorly paid that they used to sing in front of houses in order to add to their income by odd pence.

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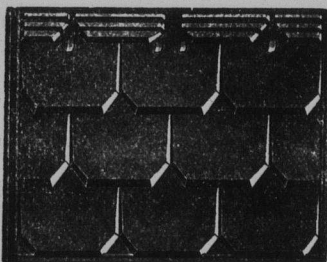
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