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ANNIVERSARY EXERCISES AT ACADIA

Baccalaureate Sermon Will Be Preached by Prof. A. L. McCrimmon, ex-Chancellor of McMaster University.

The Anniversary exercises of Acadia University and affiliated institutions, which will be held the week beginning May 22, give promise of unusual interest.

The Baccalaureate Sermon will be preached on Sunday, May 25, by Professor A. L. McCrimmon, ex-Chancellor of McMaster University. Prof. McCrimmon is widely known as a thorough scholar, an able educator and a speaker of unusual force and brilliance.

Special interest will attach to the laying of the corner stone of the new building on Wednesday afternoon, May 22, at which President Cutten, of Colgate, will officiate. The programme for the week is as follows:

- Thursday, May 22
 - 8 p.m.—Concert by the Acadia Conservatory orchestra, assisted by Mr. W. A. Jones, tenor; Carl Farnsworth, conductor.
- Friday, May 23
 - 8 p.m.—Graduating recital in expression; Marie Sexton, reader, assisted by Minnie Poole, pianist.
- Saturday, May 24
 - 8.15 p.m.—College Play.
- Sunday, May 25
 - 11 a.m.—Baccalaureate Sermon, Prof. A. L. McCrimmon, M.A., LL.D.
 - 4.30 p.m.—Alumni Memorial Service.
 - 7 p.m.—Address before the Y.M.C.A. Rev. S. S. Poole, D.D.
- Monday, May 26
 - 2 p.m.—Acadia Seminary Class Day Exercises.
 - 3 p.m.—Inter-class track meet.
 - 4 p.m.—Acadia Seminary Art Exhibition, and Household Science Exhibition.
 - 7.00 p.m.—Academy Closing. Address, Rev. J. H. MacDonald, D.D.
- Tuesday, May 27
 - 10 a.m.—Graduating Class Exercises.
 - 3 p.m.—Seminary Alumnae meeting.
 - 3.30 p.m.—Ball game on the Campus.
 - 7.30 p.m.—Seminary graduating exercises.
- Wednesday, May 28
 - 10 a.m.—University Convocation.
 - 2.30 p.m.—Laying of Corner Stone.
 - 8 p.m.—Reception at President's Residence.

WORK PROGRESSING ON NEW ACADIA BUILDING

Much activity is being shown on College Hill these spring days, due to the work on the new building. Progress was made through the winter months with good results. The foundation is now completed; the steel for the superstructure is in position; all of the floors, with the exception of the gallery floor in the auditorium are laid; and the roof trusses are in place. It is hoped that the building will be completed by the beginning of the second semester in 1924-25.

The ample dimensions and good lines of the building are now plainly evident. The basement will be finished throughout, and will provide some of the best classrooms in the building. The auditorium on the west will seat two thousand; the main floor in the east end will be given over to the class room; the second floor, to the offices of administration; and the third floor (lighted from the roof) to the department of geology, with a museum, class laboratory, and class room.

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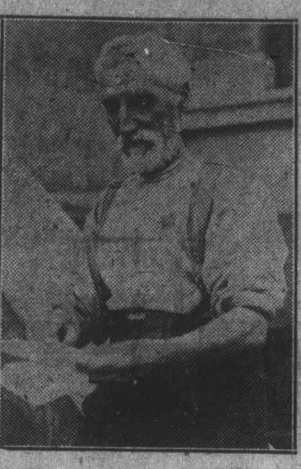
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CLAIMANT TO A \$4,000,000 CANADIAN ESTATE



Councillor Curtis of Bridlington, Yorkshire, England, who is pressing a claim for the estate of the late John Curtis, computed to be worth over one million pounds sterling. The property is said to be in Toronto, and the Province of Manitoba and to include silver mines.

ENJOYABLE GRADUATING RECITAL

The graduating recital of Aileen Collier Freeman, of Bridgetown, from the Department of Expression of the Acadia Seminary Conservatory of Music and Fine Arts, took place Monday evening in the Baptist church, in the presence of a large audience. Beautiful flowers, the gifts of admiring friends, adorned the platform. The youthful graduate wore a gown of black net with sequins.

GRAND PRE

Miss Doris Eaton, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. C. L. Grant, in New Glasgow, returned home on Saturday. Miss Laurie Barron is spending a few weeks in Berwick visiting friends.

DEATH OF FORMER EMPLOYEE OF THE ACADIAN

The death of James L. Peck, a well known and highly esteemed resident of Kentville, occurred suddenly on Thursday of last week. A few weeks ago, the deceased, who was 51 years of age, suffered two strokes of paralysis. He apparently recovered and was able to be around as usual when the end came with the third stroke.

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BOY SCOUT COUNCIL

Annual Meeting Elects Officers—Work Confronted With Serious Problem.

The annual meeting of the Boy Scouts Council, which was convened on Monday evening of last week and adjourned, resumed business on Tuesday evening at the Council Chamber with Prof. Sutherland in the chair. Owing to a misunderstanding as to the hour there were few present at the beginning of the meeting. The numbers soon increased, however, and the gathering was a fairly representative one.

The reports of the Scout Master and treasurer, which were presented at the preceding meeting, were reported upon by the auditor, Mr. R. Creighton, and adopted.

The Scout movement, which has been attended with phenomenal success in Wolfville, is now faced by a problem which will require very wise deliberation. Mr. Brown, in his report, intimated that the undertaking has assumed such proportions as to require a change in methods in order to maintain its efficiency. For the past thirteen years the present Scout Master has devoted himself to the development of the young life of the community and has earned the gratitude and respect of young and old alike. He now recommends the formation of three troops, each with its own committee and Scout Master, and all directed by the Boy Scout Association. As commissioner Mr. Brown would continue to have the oversight of the work and at the same time would act as Scout Master for one of the three troops.

While not received wholly with favor by the officers and members of the Association, who naturally would prefer to see the work conducted on present lines, after considerable discussion a committee was appointed to take the whole matter into consideration and report at a subsequent meeting.

DECLARES THAT ADVERTISING IS LIFE BLOOD OF BUSINESS

MONTREAL, May 8.—That advertising is the life-blood of business and that to attempt to conduct any enterprise or sell any article to the public without carrying on a campaign of advertising was synonymous with trying to travel across the continent in a train to which no engine was attached, were the similes adopted by J. Allen Ross of Toronto to three hundred members of the confectionery, biscuit and chocolate industries of Canada, who met in their sixth annual convention here.

OPENING OF KEN-WO COUNTRY CLUB

The ladies of Ken-Wo Country Club held their annual meeting on Wednesday afternoon, May 7th, at the Club House.

LARGE DECREASE IN N. S. FISHERIES

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ELECTIONS IN B. C. JUNE 20

VICTORIA, B. C., May 11.—Friday, June 20, has been fixed by the Government as the date of the general Provincial elections. Nominations will be made May 30. Announcement of this date by Premier Oliver followed the formal dissolution of the Legislature by the Administrator Chief Justice Macdonald, just before noon.

LONDON MARKET FOR N.S. APPLES

Mr. Howard's Recommendation That More Fruit Be Put Up in Boxes Discussed in Assembly

The matter of how Nova Scotian fruit should be packed for the London market was discussed in the House of Assembly last week when estimates of the Agent General's Department were being discussed. Howard Corning, the Conservative member for Yarmouth read from the report of Mr. John Howard, the Agent for Nova Scotia in London, to the effect that apples put up in packages would be more saleable on the London market, and wanted to know if Mr. Howard had taken up the matter with the fruit growers by visiting the Valley during his recent visit to the province.

Hon. D. A. Cameron, the Provincial Secretary, replied that while Mr. Howard had not visited the Valley he had had a conference with a number of fruit growers while in Halifax and had taken the matter up with them. Hon. John A. MacDonald said that Mr. Elliott Smith and other experts in orcharding had discussed the same matter with the fruit growers in the Valley and also believed that the conference Mr. Howard had had with some of the men interested would do a great deal of good. There was a difference of opinion regarding the matter. All the fruit which is financially practical to pack in boxes, Mr. MacDonald thought, will be put on the English market in that manner, and had Mr. Howard visited the Valley at that time it would have done little good.

Mr. MacDonald took the occasion to pay tribute to the good work done by the Fruit Growers' Association. It has been a great educative force in the development of orcharding. Nova Scotia was today taking the leading place in Canadian apple production.

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MARE PRESENTATION TO DEPARTING PASTOR

Dr. and Mrs. A. N. Marshall are Honored by Congregation Before Leaving for Wolfville.



(From an Ottawa paper) The high esteem in which Dr. A. N. Marshall, pastor of the First Baptist church, Ottawa, is held in the pastorate he has occupied for the last seven years and the respect and sincere admiration accorded Mrs. Marshall was expressed last night at a largely attended reception in their honor, given previous to their departure for Wolfville, Nova Scotia.

During the years of their residence in Ottawa, Dr. and Mrs. Marshall have made many warm friends, many of them ministers and members of the other congregations. At the gathering of last night messages of felicitation and godspeed were voiced by Rev. A. N. Frith, Rev. C. G. Hepburn, Rev. Dr. W. T. G. Brown, Rev. Wesley Megaw, Rev. H. I. Horsey. As chairman Mr. R. A. Sproule told of the regret felt by the congregation at the loss of Dr. and Mrs. Marshall, who had endeared themselves in so many ways not only by the outstanding ability and fearless justice of the pastor but in the spirit of graciousness that had always been a part of Mrs. Marshall's charm, despite recurrent illness.

The appreciation of the congregation was expressed in tangible form by the presentation of a purse of gold to Dr. Marshall and a silver buffet set to his wife, the address being read by Dr. and Mrs. E. R. Cameron. In reply, Dr. Marshall told of the happy years spent in the First Baptist church and the ties of friendship that would always bind him to his old pastorate, Mrs. Marshall, who received the guests with her husband and Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Morrell, carried a beautiful arm bouquet of American Beauty roses, the gift of the young ladies of the congregation.

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Tobin Topics
Tid-bits on the Tip of Everybody's Tongue
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Stewart Troop
Of Moncton writes: "It may be gratifying for you to learn that nowhere throughout the whole of the United States were we able to obtain chocolates that we considered as good as yours".
The process of wrapping candy is an interesting one. Take the

old fashioned favorites, Molasses Kisses. Several automatic machines cut these to size, wrap and twist at both ends the paper, used to cover. Each of these machines works at the rate of 130 wrappings a minute.
It is estimated that a total of 13,600 cars, or 5,400,000 boxes, of lemons will be produced in California this year, a record crop.

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