

ACADIA COLLEGE CONVOCATION

Large Crowd at the Exercises Yesterday — The Graduating Class — Bequest of \$180,000 Last Year.

Wolfville, May 27.—The crowds attending the closing exercises at Acadia University are enjoying glorious weather. Convocation Hall was crowded to the doors today. After the reading of the essays and addresses, the graduating class was capped.

The Prize Winners

The prize winners were as follows: Class 1915 fellowship—Ester J. Clark, Fredericton. Ralph M. Hunt oratorical prize—Walter S. Ryder, Moncton. Governor General's medal—Mat. B. MacKay, Jordan River. Wm. Manning prize—Chas. M. Haverstock, Wolfville, N. S. Class of 1907 essay prize—Mary K. Ingham, Wolfville, N. S. Class of 1908 prize—Alden B. Dawson, Nig. P. E. I. L. G. Spencer prize—Ralph S. Gregg, Mountain Dale, N. B. Rhodes Scholarship—Vera K. Mason, Falkland Ridge, N. S. Class of 1907 essay prize—Mary K. Ingham, Wolfville, N. S. Class of 1902 scholarship—Arthur W. Rogers, Amherst. A. L. Wood prize—Samuel K. Pascault, Falmouth. O. P. Goucher prize—Milton F. Gregg, Mountain Dale, N. B. Fred. Borden prize—Chas. A. Shove, New Ross. A. W. Wilson prize—Walter C. Smith, St. John. Honorary degrees were conferred as follows: D. C. L.—Walter W. Chipman, M. A. Montreal, son of W. H. Chipman, Wolfville, and a leading surgeon of Montreal; Ingraham Burpee Oakes, M. A. Wolfville, formerly principal of Acadia Collegiate School. D. D.—Rev. E. B. Wybber, M. A. Haverhill, Mass., formerly pastor of Wolfville Baptist church. Hon. H. B. Emmerson, St. John, one of the visitors at Wolfville. The graduates were as follows: L. S. Allen, Salem, N. S. C. L. Andrews, Middleton, N. S. F. W. Baginall, Hazel Grove, P. E. I. C. E. Bancroft, Pleasant Valley, N. S. A. C. Bruce, Shelbourne, N. S. C. D. Burditt, Middleton, N. S. B. A. Coes, St. John, N. B. C. H. Corkum, Robinson Corner, N. S. E. G. Dakin, Centerville, N. S. E. S. Dewolf, Wolfville, N. S. C. Easton, Brockton, Mass. E. B. Easton, Upper Canada, N. S. H. E. Eveleigh, Sussex, N. B. O. W. Graves, Bridgetown, N. S. Charles McD. Haverstock, Wolfville, N. S. Frank C. Higgins, Wolfville, N. S. A. Hovey, Ludlow, N. B. Ada Mildred Johnson, Wolfville, N. S. Walter C. Lawson, St. Stephen, N. B. G. A. Lent, Freeport, N. S. Vere K. Mason, Falconbridge, N. S. John G. MacKinnon, St. John, N. B. Max B. McKay, Jordan River, N. S. Margaret Palmer, Dorchester, N. B. Mary M. Raymond, Wolfville, N. S. Flora M. Reid, Oxford, N. S. George M. Salter, Bridgetown, N. S. Maude A. Stevens, Freeport, N. S. Eliza B. Thomas, Upper Canada, N. S. Ethel G. Wilmore, St. John, N. B. Bachelor of Science. Malcolm C. Foster, Trobrieks, N. S. George H. Lutz, Digby, N. S. S. K. Paynter, Falmouth, N. S. Roy C. Pinney, Spa Springs, N. S. Honor certificates. W. K. Mason, Latin, French history, mathematics. M. M. Raymond, mathematics. F. M. Reid, English. Four thousand dollars toward a new gymnasium has been received from the student body, the class of 1910 has pledged five hundred toward the collection of historical works on the Maritime Provinces to be deposited in Acadia's new library. Requests during the year, about one hundred and eighty thousand dollars.

YARMOUTH LADY TO JOIN GRENFELL MISSION

Miss Christina Fellows Sails from London to Teach Sub-Arctic Farming to the Fishermen.

London, May 28.—Miss Christina Fellows, a Yarmouth lady, has sailed to Newfoundland as a volunteer helper at Dr. Grenfell's mission to teach the fishermen sub-arctic farming. The idea is to introduce the cultivation of cereals and garden produce in Labrador so as to combat the ill effects of a diet too much restricted to salt pork, fish and molasses. House wiring, Knox Electric Co., 36 Dock street, Main 873. His Job. "How does your husband spend his Saturdays?" "Cleaning the automobile, mostly." Loud. "Did you notice that awfully loud girl?" "What did she have on?" "Crash." His Way. Clarissa loved a wrestler. And thought she was in clover. But very soon the heartless wretch He went and threw her over.

GOVERNMENT MEETS HERE NEXT WEEK

Special to The Standard.

Fredericton, May 27.—Acting Premier Clarke, Hon. John Morrissey, and Hon. J. A. Murray returned tonight from a trip of inspection of alternative route for the St. John Valley Railway between Centreville and Andover. The other members of the government went on to their homes.

A decision as to the route to be accepted will not be announced until a meeting of the government to be held next week. This meeting was to have opened on Tuesday, but owing to Wednesday being the King's birthday and a holiday will not be held until Thursday and then at St. John as members of the government have to meet there as provincial hospital commission.

BELIEVE THEY HAVE FOUND WRECKAGE OF PROF. ANDRE'S BALLOON

Arctic Explorer Ascended from Dane's Island in 1897 and Not Heard from Since.

Stockholm, May 27.—What is believed to be the remains of the balloon in which Prof. Salomon A. Andre ascended from Dane's Island, near Spitzbergen, July 11, 1897, in an attempt to reach the North Pole, have been found in a forest in eastern Siberia, according to a telegram received at the Swedish foreign office today from Yakut.

A thorough investigation of the reported discovery has been ordered by the government.

The Arctic explorer was accompanied by two assistants, and after leaving Dane's Island, no report was ever received from the party.

CARSON EXPECTED IN BELFAST, SATURDAY

Unionists Confident General Election Will Intervene to Prevent Home Rule.

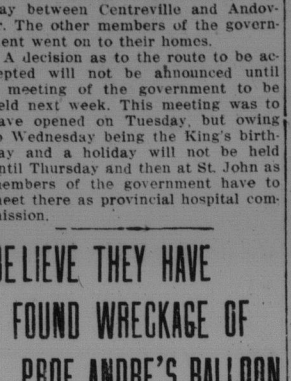
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The Dean of Belfast has caused a sensation by his utterance in the cathedral expressing the belief that the safe passage of the gun running boat Panny was accomplished in answer to Ulster's prayers.

Ulster is looking forward to the arrival of Sir Edward Carson on Saturday, when it is expected that he will address the volunteers. Mr. Redmond has gone to Kingston, to take a rest at his residence in the Wicklow mountains.

SCENE AND PRINCIPALS IN THE AEROPLANE-AUTOMOBILE RACE.

New Yorkers for the first time had a glimpse of "upside down in an aeroplane" when Lincoln Beachey uncovered the wonders of the air at the Brighton Beach race track. After looping the loop a number of times, doing the "death dive" and performing other such daring feats he raced for a mile once around the course against "Barney" Oldfield in his Fiat Cycloce. In this contest Beachey got away first and finished first, but Oldfield won in 53.5-54, because of the airman's advantage in start. The aviator flew scarcely more than sixty feet above the swift car, descended to the track in front of it and bore across the finish line ahead of it.



BARNEY OLDFIELD THE AEROPLANE AND AUTOMOBILE RACE BRIGHTON BEACH.

JUMP FROM TRAIN RUNNING AT RATE OF TWENTY MILES AN HOUR

Sydney, N. S., May 27.—Two girls Katie May Steel and Sadie Nicholson aged 8 and 9 years respectively, of Boscaldie Barrachois, jumped from the incoming express this evening near Barachois station about 12 miles from North Sydney and were badly injured.

The train was going at the rate of 20 miles an hour when the girls who saw themselves being carried past their destination decided to jump. They had got on at Boscaldie a few miles farther up the line and they were unaware of the fact that Barachois was only a flag station.

The conductor knew nothing of the matter till his attention was called to it. The train was stopped and the children picked up. Fortunately they had fallen on soft ground and their injuries, while painful, are not considered serious.

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