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HIGH SCHOOL CONVOCATION AT NEW CARLISLE

BRILLIANT GATHERING AND IMPRESSIVE CEREMONY MARK MEMORABLE EVENT THERE

Dr. Parmelee Congratulated School and Staff On Their Marked Success In The Provincial Examinations—Hon. John Hall Kelly, Rev. deGrouchy P. Emile Cote and Others Spoke Encouragingly—A Lengthy List Of Prize Winners—Presentations To Principal Harold McQuat And Tribute Paid His Work On The Coast.

(Special To The Graphic)

The annual High School Convocation at New Carlisle, on the 21st inst., was especially brilliant this year because of two distinctions: This School is amongst the foremost in the Province in its examination record. Of twenty-five pupils presented, twenty-four passed. Relatively to the number of pupils presented it may be that this constitutes a record for 1925. Secondly many prominent men honored the Convocation with their presence and encouragement. There were upon the platform Dr. Parmelee, Deputy Minister of the Department of Public Instruction, The Hon. John Hall Kelly, M. L. A., Mr. Paul Emile Cote, M. P. P., the local clergy, Mr. J. S. Gordon, Manager of the Railway, Mr. J. R. Hughes, Manager of the Bank of Nova Scotia, Mr. J. B. S. Mitchell, Mr. G. P. LeGrand, Mr. E. W. Sheppard, County Sheriff, The Rev. L. J. King, Inspector of Schools, Members of School Board, Mr. J. Harold McQuat, Principal of the High School, and others.

happened the most inspirational hitherto held, was concluded, the Rev. Mr. McCurdy presented the following resolution, of appreciation which was seconded by Mr. B. W. Law Secretary of the School Board and carried unanimously.

The Resolution

That this meeting, representative of the school district and to some extent of the whole constituency which our High School and our School Residence seek to serve, would hereby express and accordingly does express its genuine appreciation of the services of Mr. McQuat to the cause of education upon this Coast during the term of his principalship of our High School.

Mr. McQuat is eminently a teacher, an organizer and a disciplinarian. He has brought our school to its present fine position. He has introduced and nurtured a school spirit, an esprit de corps that is most valuable. The results obtained in the Provincial Examinations are but one though a very splendid example of the services he has rendered.

Great Gathering.

The Parish Hall was filled to capacity, main floor and gallery. Mr. J. C. Gilker, Chairman of the School Board, presided.

Dr. Parmelee.

After the prizes had been awarded addresses were delivered, the chief speaker being Dr. Parmelee. The doctor told us of a meeting with the New Carlisle people held thirty-three years ago, when he, with the late Dr. Robins, conducted an Institute for a whole week. The doctor congratulated the school and the staff in that they had achieved such marked success in the recent Provincial Examinations, and encouraged us to go on, with the assurance that the Government is sympathetic, and that he is himself in full accord with all our aspirations.

Rev. Dean DeGrouchy.

The Rev. Rural Dean DeGrouchy praised the School Home for Girls which the Presbyterians have erected, and which they and the Anglicans are utilizing in common, and expressed the hope that ere long the Church of England may build a similar hostel for boys, in which case its privileges will be extended to Presbyterian boys as freely as the same are enjoyed by the Anglicans in the Girls Residence, but he also stated that the building of this hostel by the Anglican Church was contingent upon their being assured of the future success of the High School, financially and otherwise.

Hon. J. H. Kelly.

The Hon. John Hall Kelly argued that this School, of which we are so proud, must be maintained at the present standard in the interest of Protestant education upon the Gaspe Peninsula, and that to this end the Government must continue to grant substantial assistance. Mr. Kelly pled with Dr. Parmelee to exert his influence in this behalf. This the doctor, later in the evening, promised to do.

Mr. P. E. Cote

Mr. Paul Emile Cote M. P. P. followed Mr. Kelly in a speech no less sympathetic, promising his own assistance in every worthy effort the people may make to secure continued and enlarged government grants, in the hope that the whole coast may come to find adequate opportunity for the training of their boys and girls in pre-university study, so that it may be no longer necessary to send any away for instruction before the university grade.

The Principal.

At this point Dr. Parmelee in the name of the people presented Mr. McQuat, for three years principal of the school, with a fitted club bag; and Mr. Gordon in his own name presented him and also Mr. Sharpe who was affectively associated with him on the school staff with a purse of gold. Here the meeting, which was per-

haps the most inspirational hitherto held, was concluded, the Rev. Mr. McCurdy presented the following resolution, of appreciation which was seconded by Mr. B. W. Law Secretary of the School Board and carried unanimously.

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We would not forget the great work of the staff, and mention particularly Mr. Sharpe who is with us to-day. We trust that these gentlemen may have great satisfaction in the work they have undertaken in Montreal for the coming school year. We recognize that we can splendidly exhibit our appreciation of the work accomplished in our High School by maintaining it, and to this we pledge and commit ourselves. Moved by Jas. F. McCurdy. Seconded by Mr. B. W. Law.

Mr. McCurdy thereupon conveyed this sentiment to Mr. McQuat and handed him a copy of the resolution. Mr. McQuat expressed his sincere thanks and declared that he would express his mind more fully in a letter later on. Thereafter with cheers and the National Anthem this really splendid meeting was concluded.

Prior to the evening meeting, under the direction of Mr. Sharpe, the pupils both boys and girls presented an athletic exhibition embracing calisthenics, pyramids, races and basket ball in the gymnasium.

The Prize list follows:

NEW CARLISLE HIGH SCHOOL PRIZE LIST

Grade I (Primer I)

1st. Gen. Prof.—Mildred Smith; presented by Mrs. G. P. LeGrand. 2nd. Gen. Prof.—Gwendda Brimble; presented by Mrs. G. P. LeGrand. 1st. Reading—Charlie Gordon; Gwendda Brimble; Mildred Smith, presented by Miss E. M. Hansen. 1st. Arithmetic—Eric Wilson, presented by Miss E. M. Hansen. 1st. Spelling—Gwendda Brimble, presented by Hon. J. H. Kelly. 1st. Writing—Mildred Smith, presented by Mr. E. A. Bouillon. 1st. Attendance—Susan Duguay, presented by School Commissioners.

Grade I (Primer II)

1st. Gen. Prof.—Gladys Law, presented by Mrs. J. S. Gordon. 2nd. Gen. Prof.—Billy Doherty, presented by Mrs. J. S. Gordon. 3rd. Gen. Prof.—Edith Coull, presented by Mrs. J. S. Gordon. 1st. Reading—Billy Doherty, presented by Mr. E. A. Bouillon. 1st. Spelling—Billy Doherty, presented by Miss E. M. Hansen. 1st. Arithmetic—Billy Doherty, presented by Miss E. M. Hansen. 1st. Writing—Gladys Law, presented by Hon. J. H. Kelly. 1st. Attendance—Jimnie Gilker, presented by School Commissioners.

Grade II

1st. Gen. Prof.—Wilma Robinson, presented by Mr. J. H. McQuat. 2nd. Gen. Prof.—Adrien Jacobson, presented by Mr. J. H. McQuat. 3rd. Gen. Prof.—Roda Day, presented by Mr. J. H. McQuat. 1st. Spelling—Willie Buttle, presented by Miss E. M. Hansen. 1st. Reading—Alberta Rousey, presented by Miss E. M. Hansen. 1st. Writing—Loretta Thorpson, presented by Mr. E. A. Bouillon.

1st. Arithmetic—Adrien Jacobson, presented by Hon. J. H. Kelly. 1st. Geography—Adrien Jacobson, presented by Miss R. E. Hamilton. 1st. Attendance—Collin Ross, presented by School Commissioners. (Special) Gen. Prof.—Dorothy Mitchell, presented by Miss R. E. Hamilton.

Grade III

1st. Gen. Prof.—Midian Main, presented by Mr. J. Nealar. 2nd. Gen. Prof.—Kathleen Robinson, presented by Mr. J. Nealar. 3rd. Gen. Prof.—Weston Day, presented by Mr. J. Nealar. 4th. Gen. Prof.—Opal Delaney, presented by Mr. J. Nealar. 1st. Scripture—Midian Main, presented by Mr. E. A. Bouillon. 1st. Reading—Midian Main, presented by Miss Mystic Kempfer. 1st. Writing—Gladys Ross, presented by Hon. J. H. Kelly. 1st. Spelling—Gladys Ross, presented by Miss R. E. Hamilton. 1st. Geography—Kathleen Robinson, presented by Miss R. E. Hamilton. 1st. Attendance—Kathleen Robinson, presented by School Commissioners.

Grade IV

1st. Gen. Prof.—Kenneth Hall, presented by Mr. J. H. McQuat. 2nd. Gen. Prof.—Russell Smith, presented by Mr. J. H. McQuat. 3rd. Gen. Prof.—Ronald Gilker, presented by Mr. J. H. McQuat. 1st. Reading—Ronald Gilker; Tilly Gilker, presented by Miss Mystic Kempfer. 1st. Spelling and Dict.—Christine Gordon, presented by Mr. E. A. Bouillon. 1st. Arithmetic—Kenneth Hall, presented by Hon. J. H. Kelly. 1st. Geography—Kenneth Hall, presented by Miss R. E. Hamilton. 1st. French—Kenneth Hall, presented by Miss Mystic Kempfer. 1st. Attendance—Wesley Flowers, presented by School Commissioners.

Grade V

1st. Gen. Prof.—Winnie Bryant, presented by Mr. and Mrs. Frank LeGresley. 2nd. Gen. Prof.—Grant Mitchell, presented by Mr. and Mrs. Frank LeGresley. 3rd. Gen. Prof.—Doris Beebe, presented by Mr. and Mrs. Frank LeGresley. 1st. Scripture—Grant Mitchell, presented by Mr. J. C. Gilker. 1st. English—Wilfred Caldwell, presented by Mr. D. J. Smollett. 1st. Arithmetic—John Main, presented by Mr. E. A. Bouillon. 1st. Geography—Grant Mitchell, presented by Hon. J. H. Kelly. 1st. French—Winnie Bryant, presented by Mr. Frank Sharpe. 1st. Attendance—Doris Beebe, presented by School Commissioners.

Grade VI

1st. Gen. Prof.—Walter Chappell, presented by Mr. G. M. Kempfer. 2nd. Gen. Prof.—Eugene Arnold, presented by Mr. G. M. Kempfer. 3rd. Gen. Prof.—Beryl Robinson, presented by Mr. G. M. Kempfer. 1st. English—Walter Chappell, presented by Hon. J. H. Kelly. 1st. Arithmetic—Eugene Arnold, presented by Mr. E. A. Bouillon. 1st. French—Eugene Arnold, presented by Mr. E. A. Bouillon. 1st. Agriculture—Walter Chappell, presented by Mr. F. Blois. (Special) English Composition—George Ross, presented by Mr. Frank Sharpe. 1st. Attendance—Walter Chappell, presented by School Commissioners. (Special) Gen. Prof.—Guy Ross, presented by Mr. Frank Sharpe.

Grade VII

1st. Gen. Prof.—Daisy Flowers, presented by Mr. J. B. S. Mitchell. 2nd. Gen. Prof.—Jack Brimble, presented by Mr. J. B. S. Mitchell. 3rd. Gen. Prof.—Freda Jacobson, presented by Mr. J. B. S. Mitchell. 1st. Arithmetic—Jack Brimble, presented by Miss M. E. Rodger. 1st. English—Freda Jacobson, presented by Mr. E. A. Bouillon. 1st. Geography—Lionel Doherty, presented by Hon. J. H. Kelly. 1st. Attendance—Daisy Flowers, presented by School Commissioners.

Grade VIII

1st. Gen. Prof.—Marion Staines, presented by Mr. G. P. LeGrand. 2nd. Gen. Prof.—Mabel Astles, presented by Mr. G. P. LeGrand. 3rd. Gen. Prof.—Lyll Rousey, presented by Mr. G. P. LeGrand. (Special) Gen. Prof.—Martha Doherty, presented by Miss M. E. Rodger. 1st. Latin—Marion Staines, presented by Hon. J. H. Kelly. 1st. History—Lyll Rousey, presented by Mr. G. P. LeGrand.

EXPECT NEW TREATY TO DEAL DEATH BLOW TO RUM RUNNING BETWEEN CANADA AND THE U. S.

ed by Miss A. V. C. Kerr. 1st. Geography—Marion Staines, presented by Mrs. G. P. LeGrand. 1st. English—Lyll Rousey, presented by Mr. E. A. Bouillon.

Grade IX.

(Silver Medal and \$5.00 in gold.) 1st. Gen. Prof.—Pansy Brimble, presented by Mr. J. S. Gordon. (Special) Gen. Prof.—Ethel Poley, presented by Mr. J. H. McQuat. (Special) Gen. Prof.—Stuart Ross, presented by Mr. E. A. Bouillon. (Bronze Medal and \$2.50 in gold.) 2nd. Gen. Prof.—Evelene Hall, presented by Mr. J. S. Gordon. (\$5.00 in gold.)

3rd. Gen. Prof.—Constance Oakley, presented by Mr. J. S. Gordon. 4th. Gen. Prof.—Florine Robinson, presented by Mr. J. H. McQuat. (\$5.00 in gold.) 1st. Arithmetic—Pansy Brimble, presented by Mr. J. R. Hughes. 1st. Grammar—Florine Robinson, presented by Hon. J. H. Kelly. 1st. History—Constance Oakley, presented by Miss A. V. C. Kerr. 1st. Latin—Evelene Hall, presented by Rev. W. deGruchy. 1st. Attendance—Lottie Huntington, presented by School Commissioners.

Grade X

(Silver Medal and \$5.00 in gold.) 1st. Gen. Prof.—Sarah Weary, presented by Mr. J. S. Gordon. (Bronze Medal and \$5.00 in gold.) 2nd. Gen. Prof.—Ina Lawrence, presented by Mr. J. S. Gordon. 3rd. Gen. Prof.—Ray deGruchy, presented by Mr. J. H. McQuat. (\$5.00 in gold.) presented by Mr. E. W. Sheppard. 1st. Chemistry—Ina Lawrence, presented by Hon. J. H. Kelly. 1st. Mathematics—Sarah Weary, presented by Mr. E. A. Bouillon. 1st. History—Ina Lawrence, presented by Mr. E. A. Bouillon. 1st. English—Ina Lawrence, presented by Rev. J. F. McCurdy. (\$5.00 in gold.) 1st. French—Eileen Kempfer, presented by Mr. P. E. Cote. 1st. Attendance—Eileen Kempfer, presented by School Commissioners.

Grade XI

(Silver Medal and \$10. in gold.) 1st. Gen. Prof.—Mabel Chappell, presented by Mr. J. S. Gordon. (Bronze Medal and \$5.00 in gold.) 2nd. Gen. Prof.—Alma Mahan, presented by Mr. J. S. Gordon. 3rd. Gen. Prof.—Margaret Young, presented by Mr. J. H. McQuat. 4th. Gen. Prof.—Mary Smollett, presented by Mr. J. H. McQuat. (\$5.00 in gold.) 1st. Geometry—Mabel Chappell, presented by Mr. W. M. Sheppard. 1st. Sciences—Mabel Chappell, presented by Dr. H. Morell. 1st. English—Mabel Chappell, presented by Hon. J. H. Kelly. 1st. History—Mabel Chappell, presented by Mr. E. A. Bouillon. 1st. Attendance—Alice Ross, presented by School Commissioners.

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Unwanted Activity of Rum Runners Along Canadian Border at Present.

Toronto, Aug. 31.—Rum running from Canada to the United States may receive what will probably be its death blow when the new treaty between Canada and the United States comes into effect, which prohibits accounts for the unwanted activity of rum runners along the Canadian border at the present time, Wayne B. Wheeler, general counsel of the Anti-Saloon League of America, today said.

According to the provisions of the Canadian treaty, which is reciprocal, Mr. Wheeler said, officers of the United States and Canadian Governments shall, on request, furnish information to the other Government concerning clearances when the articles are subject to duty and also when there is ground to suspect that the owner or those in charge of the vessel intend to smuggle goods into the other country.

"Clearance papers will also be required when it is evident from the tonnage, size and so forth, that the vessel in question cannot carry the cargo to its destination. Customs and other authorities on request shall attend trials as witnesses and produce such records as may be required," Mr. Wheeler said.

"The regulations to put this treaty into effect are now pending and we are hopeful that they will help to eliminate the liquor traffic at the border," Mr. Wheeler added. Regarding conditions in the U. S., Mr. Wheeler was emphatic in the statement that prohibition sentiment is growing tremendously in the republic with the passing days, that the consumption of alcoholic liquors has been reduced to a mere drop in the bucket compared with the mighty ocean of liquor that used to flow annually in the old days and the people of the United States are healthier, wealthier, happier and better off every way without it. "The plain fact of the matter is that liquor today is difficult to get, dear to buy and dangerous to drink."

MILLINERY OPENING Mrs. Joe Guerin will hold her Millinery opening on Saturday Sep. 5th, showing all the season's latest creations in felt and velvet in the latest shades and styles.—Sept. 3-1pd

School Board. Grade VIII—Ella Briard. Won by: Grade VII—Philip Munro. Grade VI—Maxwell deGruchy. Grade V—Heidy LeGresley. Grade IV—Lois Briard, Marion Scott, Leighton Scott. Grade III—Percy LeGrand. Grade II—Willie Briard, Jean Michel.

Following are the members of the New Carlisle School Staff for 1924-25. Miss E. N. Hansen, Miss R. E. Hamilton, Miss M. C. H. Kempfer, Mr. Frank Sharpe, Miss M. E. Rodger, Miss A. V. C. Kerr, M. A., Mr. J. Harold McQuat, E. S. A. An increased attendance both at the High School and at the Girl's Residence is expected during the coming year.

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