

has been appointed to Nanimo, Victoria, has not yet been organized.

Church School—For many years there has been no satisfactory high class school in the Province of B. C. Parents wishing to give their boys the best educational advantages have been compelled to send them a distance.

Many private ventures have been started and failed. Unhappily the public schools of the province are aggressively secular, and the tone of religious life in consequence is lamentably deficient.

Some three years since the Rev. C. E. Sharp, M. A., Cantab., rector of Esquimaux and naval chaplain, opened a grammar school in the cathedral precincts on strict church lines.

Shortly afterwards he leased a large house and grounds in Esquimaux district, one of the most interesting and beautiful spots in B. C. He has re-

ST. JOHN'S COLLEGE, WINNIPEG.

The thirtieth anniversary of Archbishop Machray's rule in St. John's College was fittingly celebrated on Monday, November 2nd. There was a service at the cathedral in the morning, at which Rev. W. A. Burman was the preacher, and in the evening a conversazione was held in the college. In spite of the inclement weather there was a large attendance at the evening entertainment, the halls, corridors and lecture-rooms of the pioneer educational institution, being so crowded that any addition to the number of those present would have made it uncomfortable for one to move about in every way the "conversazione" was a decided success. At 8.15, the hour at

was greeted with applause. The governor-general's medal presented to the pupil of the college school who showed the most advance in general proficiency was awarded to Travers Sweatman.

After the musical entertainment had been concluded the guests were treated to light refreshments in the dining hall, some of the young lady students presiding over the tables. At 10.30 cars were in attendance and conveyed the thoroughly satisfied guests to the city.

MOOSE JAW.

Sunday, November 1st was observed as a special festival and Thanksgiving for the bountiful harvest and crops in this district. There was a celebration of the Holy Communion at 8



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cently associated with him Mr. J. W. Laing, M. A., Christ church, Oxon formerly president of the Oxford university Athletic club, a gentleman well known in Victoria as chief of the Vancouver Island Exploration expedition. All who are interested in the future of the church in B. C. look for great things from this church school. We hope the stigma resting on the church here in providing no means for enabling lads with a vocation for the ministry to acquire the necessary training will now be removed. The bishop of Columbia, who takes great interest in the school, has provided a scholarship. May this be the nucleus of an institution that will do for the Pacific province what Lennoxville, Trinity and St. John's have done for the church in the East!

which the programme was announced to commence, every seat in the main lecture room was filled by the students and their friends. His Grace, the Archbishop occupied the chair. The following was the programme.

Part I.—Piano duet, Miss Elsie Macfarlane and Mr. Chambers; song, "For Old Brigade," Mr. Crick; song, "For All Eternity," Miss Barrett; song, the Distant Shore," Mr. Stanley Adams. Part II.—Song, "Man the Life Boat," Mr. Crick; song, "Good Bye, Sweet Day" Mr. Hamber; song, "Mother Bids Me Bind My Hair," Miss Barrett; song, "Song of the Pirate," Mr. Ryall.

During the intermission the prizes won during the last term were presented by the Archbishop. As each scholar came forward to receive the prize awarded by His Grace, he or she

o'clock. Mattins at 10.30, was followed by a second celebration of the Holy Eucharist, which was fully choral, the music being Woodward's service in "F" and included the "Benedictus" and "Agnus Dei." The Rev. Malcolm H. Winter, deacon, late of Estevan, preached an excellent sermon. In the afternoon the Vicar (Rev. Wm. Watson) held childrens' service which was well attended, and extremely interesting. Evensong at 7 o'clock was fully choral the special Psalm LXV was sung to "Battishill," Magnificat to "Crotch's Chant," and Nunc Dimittis (a) chant by Keeton. The Anthem 'O Lord how manifold are Thy Works,' was well rendered by the choir. The responses were sung to Tallis' Festival setting, and appropriate harvest hymns were chosen. The festival was