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PUSH has been brought safely through its first two volumes and we have every reason to believe has succeeded in its principal object, viz: the union of all the grades in a common interest.

Most of the grades have understood the spirit of the paper and by selling it for us have given us valuable help. Grade II, Prince Street School and Willow Street School have been especially active in this direction, selling on an average, respectively thirty and twenty copies a week, for which we beg to extend them our hearty thanks.

This will be the last issue of Push, but after the summer's holidays it might be possible to make arrangements for the publication of a paper and the continuation of the work which Push has begun.

We extend our most hearty thanks to the subscribers and contributors to PUSH and to all who have aided us in our efforts to establish a school paper.

Among the contributors we especially wish to thank Mr. Little, Miss Barnes, Miss Archibald and Miss Upham for their interesting and instructive articles.—The Editors.

My thanks are also due to those teachers who have interested themselves in Push and either by gathering news or by arging their pupils to sell the paper, have helped us considerably These are Miss Hamilton, Miss McDonald and Mr. Porter.

THE EDITOR IN CHIEF.

The following children in Grade IV did not miss any days in May. Clarinda Currie, Eddie Leonard, Ethel Walsh, Gertrude Fielding, Jennie Christie and Louie Archibald.

The following Grade I pupils attended every day during May: Millie Roderiek, Stanley McCulla, Lillie Moran, Wallace Halliday, May Pearson, Chrissie Pearson, Robie Pearson, May McElhenny, Charlie Parris, Cassie Murray, George Shea, Mabel McKinnon, Norman McLennan, Lillie Wall. Blanch Withrow. Willard Walsh, Sedley Blair and Willie Jacobs, lost but one day each.

The following Grade II pupils lost no days during the month of May. Erle Wilson, Erle Hennessy, Eddie Moran, Fred Geddes, Fred Kennedy, Willie MacAulay, Charlie Maclennan, Sam Jackson, Norman Green, Enna Thomas, Daisy Hennessy, Mary Currie, Emma Jeffrys, Mabel Walsh, Emma Barnhill and Annie Linton.

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The pupils of Grade VIII who made 85 marks and over in subjects on which they were examined in May are Laura Creighton, Harry Murray, Cora Archibald, Nettie Archibald, Lyda Roop, Lena Chisholm.

Out of 950 words given for written spelling in Grade II since May 2, Cassie Avery and Bessie Blois made but one error each. Next in order come Fred Kennedy (five), Eva Vogal(eight), and Eddie Moran (nine),

The pupils of Grade III and IV Alice St. School who have not heen absent since the beginning of the school year, on August 28th are. Alice Archibald, Ernest Archibald, Frank Cooke and George MacKay.

In the recent monthly examination, those having the highest averages were Fred Archibald, Bella Moore, Hattie Nolan, Jas. Douglas, Florence Hanway, Maggie Christie, Lou Christie and Kate McPhee. Our classes are busily engaged in preparing for the terminal examination.

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#### LOCALS.

Gracie E. Bell, of Grade V is recovering from her recent illness.

Grade IV, Willow St. School, has two new pupils, Freddie Singer and Frank Pierce.

The pupils of Grade V who have made the highest averages this term are Josie Summerville, Tressie Barrow, Addie McElhinney, Pearle Fields, Pearle Pugsley.

Pupils of Grade VIII who have attended every day during the present quarter are Fred Baird, Minnie Creelman, Hattie Cummings, Eva Murray, Minnie Cook, Lizzie Pearson, Lena Chisholm, Willie Smith, Laura Creighton.

In Grades I and II Alice St. School, the following pupils have been present every day during the term, Ethel Bartlett, Minnie Bartlett and Bertie Cook; while Bertie Hanway and Aubrey McBurnie have been absent only two days. Tom Kaulback; Grade II had perfect lessons for two weeks.

The following pupils of Grade V made the average of 80 and upwards in the examination for May. Pearl Fields, Mattie Creelman, Josie Sommerville, Addie McElhinney, Sadie E. Crowell, Pearle G. Pugsley, Tressie Barrow, Cassie Morris, Sadie Keith, Mattie Keith, May McCully, Lettie Brown, Belle McGregor, Lottie McLean, Winnie Hall.

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The Grade VIII pupils who have made no failures this week are Miss Emma McCallum, Rowland Stewart, Rutherford Cumming and Kenneth McKenzie.

Within the last two months Grade II has lost three of its best pupils by removal from the town, viz: Aggie E. Hamilton, Pictou, Gracie Mac-Gregor, Stewiacke, and last week Bud Pearson with his parents removed to Halifax. A promising young boy, Fred Wolfe, entered the grade last Monday week.

In a spelling match in Grade IV on June 1st, the following children did not miss a word. Beatrice Wall, Bessie Geddes, Cassie Cruikshank, Tom Currie, Clara Cruikshank, Chas. McKenzie, Fred Tupper, Leonard Lane, David Youlds, Emma Price, Louie Archibald, Lucy Halliday, Harry McLean, Lizzie Lynds.

In May examinations, Willow St. School, those making the highest averages were as follows: Grade VI Misses Ray Smith, Maggie Reid, Lena McKenzie and Olin Hill. Grade V Misses Millie Williams, Bertha Holmes, Master Robert Roddick, Misses Edith Linton and Sadie McKenzie. Grade IV Misses Louise Beck, Sadie Logan, Laura Brine and Eddie Nicholson.

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