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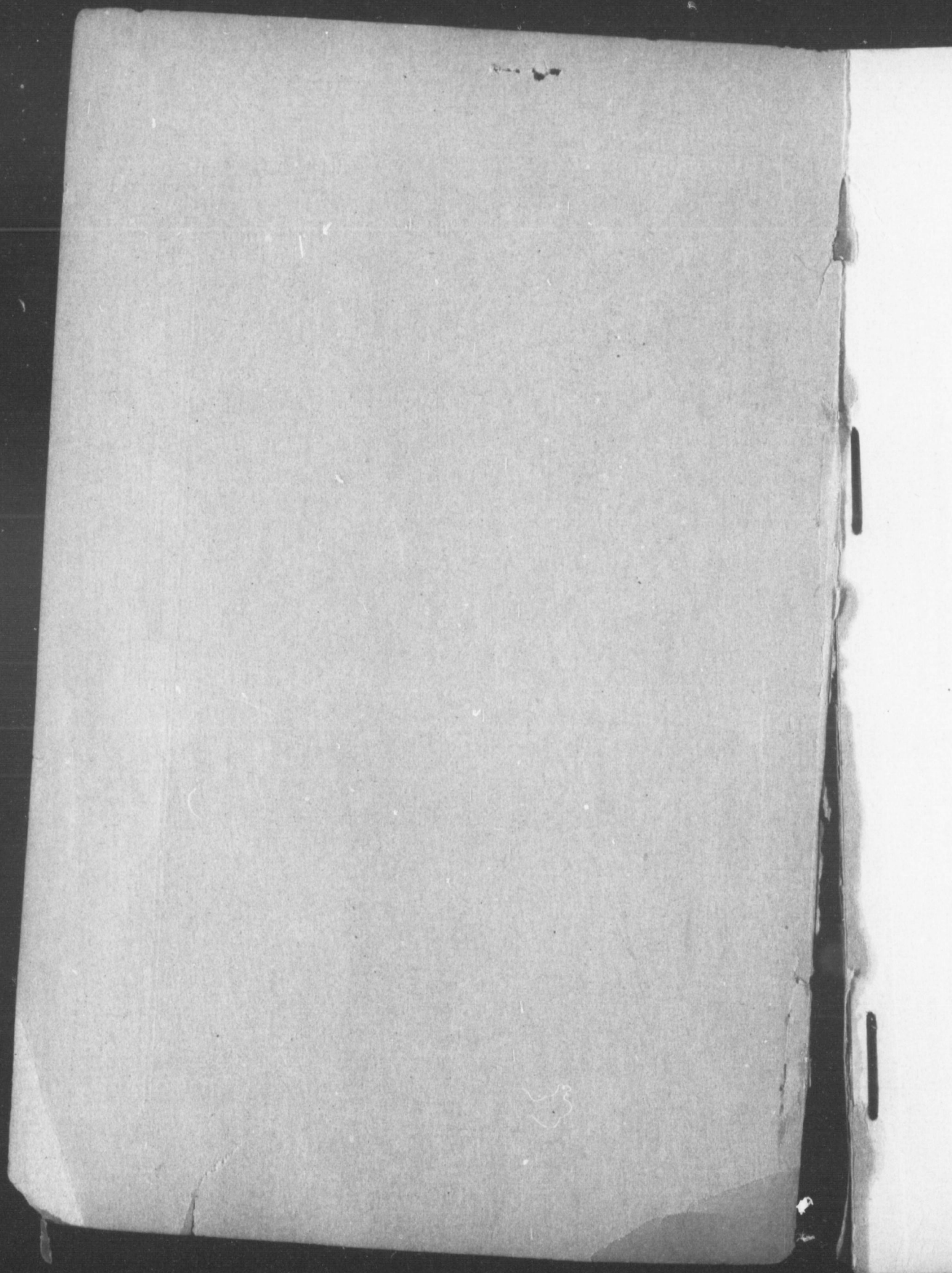
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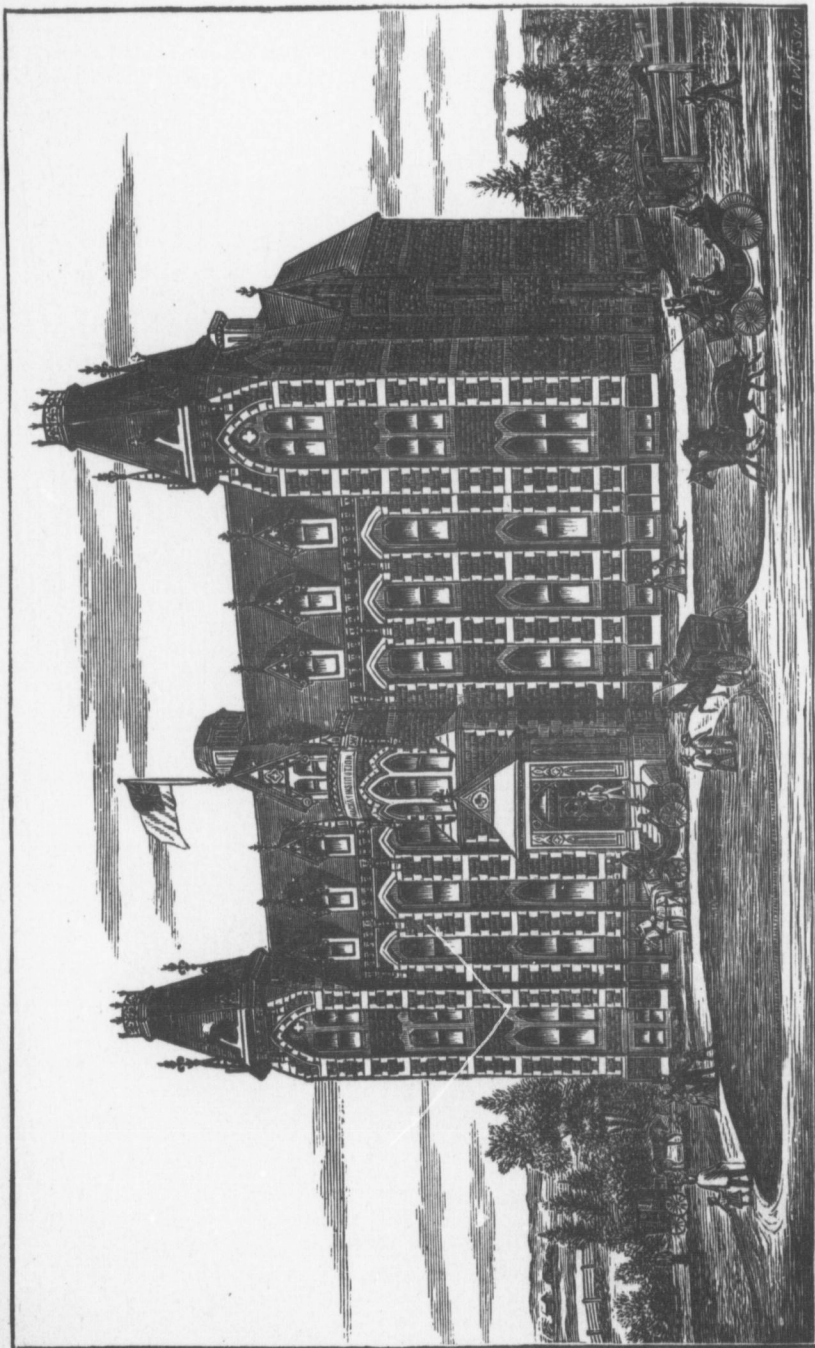


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THE THIRTEENTH ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING.

(*From the Montreal Gazette.*)

The Thirteenth Annual General Meeting of the Mackay Institution for Protestant Deaf-Mutes was held in the Synod Hall on Saturday afternoon, where there was a large attendance of the friends of the institution. The Rev. Dr. Stevenson occupied the chair, and among those present were the Right Reverend Bishop Bond, the Right Reverend Bishop Baldwin, Rev. Canon Norman, Rev. W. G. Barnes, Rev. J. Edgar Hill, Rev. James Fleck, Rev. J. Patterson, Rev. W. R. Cruikshank, Messrs. George Hague, Thomas White, M.P., F. Wolferstan Thomas, Thomas Cramp, Jonathan Hodgson, Charles Alexander and H. Shorey.

The proceedings were opened with prayer by the Rev. James Fleck.

The Chairman read letters from the Right Reverend Bishop Ussher, Rev. Dr. MacVicar, Rev. George H. Wells, Rev. James Barclay, and Rev. S. Belcher, expressing regret at their inability to be present, and then called upon the secretary-treasurer, Mr. P. S. Ross to read the Annual Report of the Board of Managers, together with his financial statement. The report stated that the institution was now on a sound financial basis. The liberal subscriptions of friends, added to the Government grant, and the fees received from pupils were adequate to carry out to the fullest extent the philanthropic ideas of the friends of the unfortunate beings for whom the institution was originated. They had during the past year to deplore the death of some warm friends, including that of Mr. Edward Mackay, who left them a legacy of \$8,000 ; Mr. D. J. Greenshields, who left a legacy of \$1,000 ; Mr. H. A. Nelson, and Dr. W. E. Scott. Upon the death of the late president, Mr. Edward Mackay, the managers nominated

Mr. Hugh Mackay for the office, which nomination being accepted by him was confirmed by his appointment as president. The managers were now determined to expand the benefits of the charity, and having plenty of accommodation have resolved to associate the care of the blind with that of the deaf-mutes. The peculiar object, however, of ministering to the wants and education of deaf-mutes would be kept steadily in view, and the other would occupy only a subordinate position, until such time as it would be seen how far the existing resources and conveniences could be expended on the auxiliary effort for the blind. The report then referred to the valuable services of the Principal, Mr. Widd, and the Lady Superintendent, Miss McGann. The Rev. Canon Norman also deserved especial thanks for his examination of the pupils; and with him also originated the test examination of a limited number of pupils of the Institute with a similar number of those of the Royal Arthur School, the result of which had been sufficiently encouraging to justify its repetition at a future time. Earnest thanks were also expressed to the collectors and to a wide-spread circle of friends for their liberal support.

FINANCES.

The following is the financial statement for the year ending 31st July, 1883 :—

RECEIPTS.

City Collections.....	\$ 3,010 00
Donations	272 45
Donation from City & District Saving's Bank	100 00
Pupils' Fees	2,014 75
Dividend Mechanics' Bank	404 31
Cote St Antoine property	1,255 20
Government grant	1,729 00
Interest	603 54
Special Collection to wipe out debt.	3,575 00
Country branch Collections	743 12
Proceeds of Sales, &c	46 75
Annual Subscriptions	107 00
Sundries	28 39
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	<u>\$13,889 51</u>

DISBURSEMENTS.

Salaries and Wages	\$ 2,387 46
School Requisites	90 51
Grocer	614 48
Baker	245 92
Milk	191 30
Butcher	645 06
Fuel and Light	727 79
Vegetables	129 29
Tools, Type, &c.	32 92
General Charges	296 10
Furniture	260 13
Stationery, Printing, Postage, &c	140 06
Travelling expenses	99 75
Rent of Principal's House	144 00
Building Improvements	401 91
Endowment Fund	1,048 67
Debt Account	5,263 81
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	\$ 12,768 76
Repaying advances from Molsons Bank and	
Secretary	332 05
Sundries	50 00
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Total	\$ 13,100 81
Cash in Bank	788 70
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The Secretary-Treasurer then read the report of the Principal, Mr. Thomas Widd. Before proceeding with the report, he read a letter from Mr. Widd to the Board of Managers, to the effect that the delicate state of his health rendered it necessary that he should pass the coming winter in a milder climate, and expressing the deep regret which he felt at being obliged to bring the matter before them, as the work of teaching deaf-mutes had been a life-work and the best years of his life had been spent in building up this institution, having been connected with the Board of Managers since 1869. The Board of Managers had accordingly granted Mr. Widd six months leave of absence.

The report stated that the past year had been one of steady progress in all the departments. The number of children admitted during the year had been 42—38 remaining to the close of the session, while four left or were removed from the city. The

pupils comprised 16 girls and 26 boys, of this number 27 paid fees, ranging \$30 to \$130 per annum, according to the circumstances of the parents, and 15 were free pupils. The income from pupils' fees was \$2,014.75 being an increase over any previous year. Ninety-one deaf-mutes have enjoyed the benefits of this institution since its establishment in 1870, and the total receipts from pupils fees since then was \$13,153 40. In the workshops the pupils have had regular training in carpentry, and in printing and type-setting. The printing office had turned out the annual report and done all the printing required for the institution

Miss McGann, the Lady Superintendent, through Mr. Ross, presented her report, which stated that during the past year several additions and improvements had been made, and it was a home thoroughly adapted to the purpose for which it was built, nothing having been left undone to secure the health and happiness of those entrusted to their care; only one death occurred amongst the pupils—that of a little boy six years of age who died of brain fever during the summer holidays. The progress of the articulation and lip-reading class had been highly satisfactory, the wonderful proficiency in lip-reading attained by Miss Jessie Macfarlane and Master F. Wiggett being worthy of special mention.

THE EXAMINATIONS.

The Rev. Canon Norman presented a report of a very satisfactory nature respecting the examination of the pupils in June last, which was published in *The Gazette* at the time. Canon Norman reiterated a wish, which he had previously expressed, that others might be associated with him in conducting these examinations.

ADOPTION OF THE REPORT.

The chairman, Rev. Dr. Stevenson then moved

"That the report just read be adopted, printed and circulated under the direction of the Secretary-Treasurer."

He expressed the great pleasure he felt at being permitted to move the adoption of such satisfactory reports as had been presented. With reference to the remark of Canon Norman that others should be associated with him in the examinations, he

thought it was altogether unfair that a work of this kind involving a heavy strain of activity and responsibility should be thrown on the shoulders of one man, no matter how willing he might be to do the work ; and, in fact, he had often wondered where Canon Norman found time to do all the work which he did, and thought he must work during the whole 24 hours of the day to accomplish it. He (Dr. Stevenson) was glad to be present with them and to have had the high honor to be appointed chairman of the meeting. No other institution touched his heart so deeply, and in doing what we could to make up to them the deficiency of their birth, we were only carrying forward the great work in which the Master was engaged while on earth. He referred to the great loss which the institution had sustained in the death of Mr. Edward Mackay, and expressed his great gratification at seeing present not only our leading clergymen, but also our merchants, our professional men and our leading business men of every class. He spoke of the great privations which deaf-mutes had to endure and the means which had been invented under divine guidance by which the benefit of language might be given to them, and concluded by saying that the institution was worthy of their warmest sympathy and most liberal support.

The Right Reverend Bishop Baldwin, in seconding the motion, rejoiced at the reports which had just been read, as showing clearly that the noble and Christ-like institution was basking in the sunshine of God's blessing, and was growing in usefulness and material happiness, and as showing that He would never let institutions such as this be in want. When he was in the great metropolis of the world in 1878, he visited some of those noble institutions, which were supported absolutely by the voluntary contributions of a faithful people ; he was deeply impressed with the idea that when the Bank of England would be in need of money, institutions such as those would not be so. He referred to the helpless condition of the deaf-mute, and expressed his admiration for the letter of Principal Widd, that noble and self-sacrificing man, in which he (Mr. Widd) stated that the institution and its interests were so precious to him that he would rather that the Directors would consult the interests of the institution than his own private wishes upon the subject. Those friends who had labored so earnestly in the past, for the

welfare and advancement of the institution, were also deserving of all praise.

The motion was carried.

The Rev. J. Edgar Hill moved

"That the thanks of this meeting be, and they are hereby tendered to the governors, managers and other office-bearers of the Institution for the excellent manner in which they have discharged their duties during the past year, and that the following persons be the office-bearers for the ensuing year, viz. :—

"President—Mr. Hugh Mackay. Vice-presidents—Messrs. Thos. Cramp, F. Wolferstan Thomas and F. Mackenzie. Secretary-treasurer — Mr. Philip S. Ross. Directresses—Mrs. F. Wolferstan Thomas, Miss H. Gordon and Mrs. Major. Honorary physician.—W. A. Molson, M.D. Board of Governors—Life Governors, Mr. C. Alexander, Mr. A. Allan, Mr. A. Buntin, Mr. T. J. Claxton, Mr. T. Cramp, Mrs. T. Hart, Mr. D. L. Macdougall, Mrs. G. Mackenzie, Mr. Hugh McLennan, Mr. Peter Redpath, Mr. Gilbert Scott, Mr. Thomas Workman, Miss H. M. Gordon and Mr. Hugh Mackay. Governors *ex-officio* — Principal Dawson, Rev. W. Henderson, Rev. Dr. Douglass, Rev. Dr. MacVicar and Rev. Dr. Wilkes : Elective Governors—Mr. F. Wolferstan Thomas, Mrs. Claxton, Mr. F. Mackenzie, Mr. J. McLennan, Mr. W. Heneker, Mr. E. K. Greene, Mr. R. W. Sheppard, Rev. Canon Norman, Mrs. P. S. Stevenson, Mrs. Dr. Sutherland, Mr. G. M. Wood, Mr. J. Hickson, Mr. R. Benny, Mr. D. Morrice, Mrs. T. Cramp, Mrs. Holland, Mrs. J. McDougall, Mrs. J. Molson, Mrs. F. Wolferstan Thomas, Mrs. Dow, Mr. Jonathan Hodgson, Mr. A. F. Gault, Mrs. Major, Mrs. J. H. R. Molson, Mr. Alexander Murray, Miss Learmont, Miss Shepherd, Mrs. D. Scott, Mrs. Mackedie, Mrs. Elmenhorst and Dr. Molson."

He said that these admirable reports spoke volumes for the success of their efforts, and the large attendance of friends showed how deep was their interest in the Institution. The success of institutions such as this was a complete answer to the question, "Is Christianity a failure." When the blessed Master was on earth these poor unfortunates were supposed to be the victims of some divine chastisement brought upon them by their own folly or through the folly of others. "Did this man sin or his parents that he was born blind?" was a question that was often asked, but to-day we had come to see that these chastisements were in many cases designed to be wholesome lessons to us. In the old country the institutions for the blind had gone first, but here the order of things was reversed. He concluded by expressing the

great pleasure which he felt at being present, and said he was sure they were trying to do, in their own little way, all that was possible for the Institution, and would be rewarded in that last great day by having the Master say to them, "Inasmuch as ye did it unto one of the least of these, ye did it unto Me."

At this point the Chairman read the following address, composed by an old pupil of the institution :—

" Mr. Chairman, Ladies and Gentlemen :

" Nearly two and a half centuries have passed since King Charles I and his brilliant assembly appeared in Whitehall, London, to witness the wonder of his age,—the feat of John Wallis having instructed a deaf-mute! Since then time and human ingenuity have accomplished wonders in that branch of instruction.

" Behold we are here to-day, not to look upon one educated mute, but a score of them! Christian love and philanthropy have done their share to alleviate the condition of the afflicted—implanting knowledge and universal love in the obscure mind of the uneducated mute.

" On behalf of my brothers and sisters in affliction, and as one who received educational advantages at this institution, I sincerely thank all those who take a lively interest in our welfare and well-being. We cannot reward you with silver or gold, but we can do so by good conduct and an abundant flow of gratitude.

" We hope and pray that your kind words and deeds—your welcome presence here to-day—will ever stand a monument to your generosity and reflect credit on our favoured land and friends.

" CHARLES W. BUTT."

Mr. George Hague seconded the motion. He said that our very warmest thanks were due to the noble founders of this institution, which was in the highest degree worthy of our countenance and support. They had been shown that these deaf-mutes were by no means so destitute of mind and brain as might be generally supposed, and, as very often happened to those who were deprived of certain of their faculties, they had been particularly bright in other directions. He said that in caring for these deaf-mutes they were only following in Christ's footsteps, and he hoped they would endeavor to carry out the work in the future with even a greater measure of success than in the past,

The motion was carried.

The Rev. W. S. Barnes Moved

"That this meeting, in view of the just claims of this institution to a hearty support, commends it to the liberality of the Protestants of the Province of Quebec, and returns its hearty thanks to those who have so liberally remembered them in the past by bequests and legacies."

He said that a perusal of the last annual report assured him that the Institution had a warm place in the hearts of the people both of the City of Montreal and of the Province of Quebec. He did not think, however, that the favor was all on one side, but the obligation was mutual, as it was a great privilege given to the people of this city and province to assist in a work of this kind, and not only should the managers be thankful to the benefactors of the Institution, but the benefactors ought to be grateful to the managers for giving them an opportunity of doing good with their abundant means. He referred to a kinsman of his who was a deaf mute, and who was also a clergyman in the American Episcopal Church, and to the useful work which was doing among the deaf-mutes under his charge, and described the system of articulation—which had been so satisfactory that many of the deaf-mutes were no longer mute, but only deaf—as a wondrous triumph of science, and concluded by asking their earnest sympathy and support in this great work.

Mr. Thomas White, M.P., seconded the resolution. He said the Institution appealed to the Protestants of the Province of Quebec. It had always occurred to him that the Protestants of the Province of Quebec were situated in a peculiar position in relation to institutions of this kind. In every other province, and in Ontario especially, such institutions were the special charge of the Government, but here, owing to a difference in race and language and to our disagreements as to the methods of carrying on such work, they were left largely to the benevolence of the Protestant inhabitants, and these certainly had shown themselves always ready to accept that responsibility. They asked but one thing, and that was that the money which they contributed should be wisely expended. In the case of this Institution he might say that he had that day received from the department of Records a report of the Superintendent of Public Institutions in Ontario, and referring to the deaf-mute establishment at Belleville, he had been curious

enough to make a comparison as to the cost of its maintenance; deducting from it the cost of furniture, farm feed and fodder, repairs and alterations, &c., he found that the average cost per pupil was \$148.95, and making similar deductions from the expenses in connection with the Mackay Institute, the average cost per pupil was \$156.27, or less than \$8 more than in the Belleville institution. The latter had 303 pupils, and they would all admit that the cost per head of institutions of this kind was greatly reduced when the number attending was large. He believed such a comparison was eminently favorable to the Mackay Institute, and that the Protestants of the Province of Quebec might have every confidence that the contributions which they gave for the maintenance of this most worthy institution were wisely and economically expended.

The motion was carried unanimously.

A number of pupils were then brought on the platform and gave some interesting exhibitions of their acquirements, such as articulation, lip-reading, composition, addresses of welcome, sign recitations, &c., some of them being able to pronounce such difficult words as Kamschatka, cosmopolitan, enlightenment, &c., besides some Greek and Latin words, and names of individuals, the words being dictated to them on the blackboard, and their pronunciation was as perfect as those of many persons who have both the gift of hearing and speech. Two blind pupils who had been in the institution but a short time also gave an exhibition of their acquirements. Some specimens of drawing and printing, which were on view during the proceedings, also reflected the highest credit on the pupils.

The meeting was brought to a close by Bishop Baldwin pronouncing the benediction.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF MANAGERS.

In again meeting the friends of this Institution, the Managers have to report for the past year—1882-83—as follows, viz :—

That the Institution is now on a sound financial basis. The liberal subscriptions of friends added to the Government grant and the fees received from pupils, are adequate to carry out to the fullest extent the philanthropic ideas of the friends of the unfortunate beings for whom the Institution was originated.

This is no doubt a matter of great satisfaction to those who have striven so long and so persistently in this labour of love. It has hitherto been carried on under the great disadvantages of a large debt and heavy interest. These are happily now things of the past.

It would probably be invidious to mention names, but many Ladies and Gentlemen there are, who since the very inception of this enterprise have worked and are working for the best interests of Protestant Deaf Mutes, and who well deserve the thanks of our citizens. It seems, in view of the loss annually sustained in the death of friends, that it is but right to acknowledge the value of the services of any willing workers, whilst we still enjoy the comfort of their presence.

We have during the past year to deplore the death of some warm friends, among others, that of Mr. Edward Mackay, who at the death of his brother Joseph, was nominated President. He took a lively interest in the work and his remembrance of the Institution in his Will shews how heartily he appreciated its importance. He has left us a legacy of \$8,000.

Mr. H. A. Nelson has also gone to his rest, honoured by all who knew him. His loss is felt by the Managers.

Mr. D. J. Greenshields is another friend taken from us. He also left the Institution a legacy of \$1,000.

And we have also to mourn Dr. W. E. Scott the long and true friend of the pupils, whom he assiduously attended in his official capacity.

How much we, as well as the community generally, owe to these friends, we probably never shall fully appreciate.

Upon the death of Mr. Edward, the late President, the managers nominated Mr. Hugh Mackay for the office, which nomination being accepted by him was confirmed by his appointment as President.

The Managers are determined now to expand the benefits of the charity, and having plenty of accommodation have resolved to associate the care of the blind with that of the deaf-mutes. This they hope will meet the approval of their friends, and will be more or less carried out until it be ascertained whether a separate Institution for the blind is a necessity for the Province.

The peculiar object however of ministering to the wants and education of Deaf-Mutes will be kept steadily in view and the other will occupy only a subordinate position, until it be seen how far the existing resources and conveniences can be expended on the auxiliary effort for the blind.

The Managers feel and heartily acknowledge the great sympathy and liberal support which they receive from a wide spread circle of friendly hands and hearts, and while they thus express their own feelings, they do so also as representatives of the pupils whose silent tongues and deafened ears prevent them from personally giving utterance to their gratitude.

The Principal, Mr. Thos. Widd, and the Lady Superintendent, Miss McGann, have performed their duties in a satisfactory manner, and it is not too much to say that their ability and devotion are placing this Institution on a very high educational basis.

The Rev. Canon Norman deserves especial thanks for the annual examination of the pupils, whose report thereon will be submitted to you. With him also originated the test examination of a limited number of pupils of the Institute against a similar number of those of the Royal Arthur School. The result is sufficiently encouraging to justify its repetition at a future time. It has been the aim of the Managers and the wish of Canon

Norman to associate with himself one or two other gentlemen as examiners, but though arrangements to this end had been made, the gentlemen who were to act with Canon Norman were unavoidably prevented from attending.

To the various collectors, Mr. Widd, Mr. McClellan during vacation; Messrs. Heneker and Wiggett in the townships; Messrs. McNaughton and Rae in Quebec, and several others in other parts of the Province, the Managers convey the expression of their obligations and tender their thanks.

Various and extensive improvements have been carried out during the past year, such as fencing, the erection of a verandah and also of a windmill pump.

Some alteration may possibly be required in the system of heating during the ensuing year as this is considered to be somewhat defective at the present time.

The Secretary-Treasurer's financial statement will be laid before you.

The whole respectfully submitted on behalf of the Managers.

REPORT OF THE PRINCIPAL.

To the Board of Managers :

It gives me much pleasure to lay before the Board of Managers the Thirteenth Annual Report of the Scholastic year ending 30th June, 1883.

The year just closed has been one of steady progress in all the departments, and in the general prosperity of the Institution, while the labours of the officers and teachers have been carried on with the utmost harmony and good feeling.

The number of children admitted during the year has been 42, 38 remaining to the close of the session, while four left or were removed from the city. The pupils comprised sixteen girls and twenty-six boys. Of this number twenty seven paid fees, ranging from thirty to one hundred and thirty dollars per annum, according to the circumstances of the parents; and fifteen were free pupils.

THE EDUCATIONAL WORK.

Notwithstanding the length of time which has elapsed since the Institution was commenced, and the numerous published reports which have been issued, there are yet many people who fail to comprehend the objects for which the Mackay Institution was founded. Some believe it to be an asylum or permanent home for Deaf-Mutes of all ages, and others think it is an hospital for the cure of deafness. When the public are informed that the Institution is a Boarding School for the secular instruction and religious and moral training of deaf-mute children of good mental calibre, they will recognize the objects for which the school is maintained.

The Blind of school age can now be admitted, inasmuch as a special provision for this object was made in the Act of Incorporation. There are, as far as can be ascertained, but very few blind children of Protestant parentage in the Province of Quebec. Numerous enquiries through the Press, and by letters and circu-

lars have only brought in the names of four or five blind children who are of school age. The same results attended the efforts of some gentlemen among the managers and others connected with the Protestant School Board a few years ago when they contemplated the establishment of a school for the blind in Montreal.

During the past year the Educational Staff has been strengthened by the addition of Miss Edith Terrill as an Assistant Teacher, and by the engagement of Mr. Stavely as a teacher in Carpenter Work.

The work in the school-room has been thoroughly and carefully done. New and advanced Text Books such as are used in the public schools, have been introduced into the highest class, and several of the senior pupils whose parents belong to the Episcopal Church were confirmed by Bishop Bond last May. They were well prepared for the ceremony by the Rev. Canon Norman and the Teachers. The competitive examination which took place in the Royal Arthur School between some of the senior pupils of the Institution and those of the above School is mentioned in the report of the Examiner of the classes. This kind of examination is a new departure with Deaf-Mute Institutions, and will no doubt have excellent results in stimulating the Deaf Mutes to greater exertion in their efforts to acquire an education. The report of the Annual Examination last June is appended, to which I would call the attention of the Board.

The following programme of studies has been carried out during the session.

FIRST---JUNIOR CLASS.

(Seven Pupils.)

Etta Wiggett.	Lavinia J. Gale.	Edward Harris.
Rush Aldrich.	Walter Astle.	Eva Jamieson.
Nettie Morrison		

(STANDING. 6 months to 2 years. Ages, 5 to 9 years.)

1. Nouns and Adjectives.
2. LANGUAGE. Latham's Language Lessons to page 39.
3. ARITHMETIC. Numbers to 100, and Simple addition.
4. WRITING. Lessons on the slate and copybooks.

Taught by James McClelland and Miss Terrill.

CLASS II.

(Ten Pupils.)

Esther Wilkey.
Thomas O'Brien.
Margaret Pringle.
Eugene C. Libbey.

Charles Hopkins.
Ida V. Burns.
Ellen Munro.

William Spiers.
James Goodfellow.
William Roman.

(STANDING. 1 to 4 years. Ages, 1 to 15 years.)

1. PENMANSHIP. Spencerian Common School System.
2. LANGUAGE. Latham's First Lessons to end, and writing from dictation.
3. BIBLE HISTORY. Hutton's Religious Primer. Questions and answers. Adam to Noah.
4. ARITHMETIC. Numbers to 1000. Simple Addition, Subtraction, Multiplication and Simple Division.

Taught by Mr. McClelland.

CLASS III. (First Division.)

(Ten Pupils.)

John McDonald.
James Walker.
Norman Wilson.

George Watt.
Daniel Jones.
John Brethour.

Harriet Reeves.
Annie Nichol.

Edith Stanley.
Albert Morrison.

(STANDING. From 3 to 5 years. Ages from 9 to 12 years.)

1. LANGUAGE. Latham's Primary Lessons to page 100. Writing sentences from dictation. Letter-writing and Journals.
2. BIBLE HISTORY. The Creation to Moses. Early life of Christ. Questions and answers. Hutton's Primer. The Lord's Prayer, and the Ten Commandments.
3. MORAL LESSONS to page 80.
4. ARITHMETIC. Numbers to 10,000. Simple Addition, Subtraction, Multiplication and Long Division. Dollars and Cents.
5. GEOGRAPHY. North America, the Provinces, Capitols, Chief Rivers and Towns of Canada and the United States.
6. PENMANSHIP. Spencerian Common School System and Journals.

Taught by Mr. Widd.

5. ARITHMETIC. Smith's and McMurphy's, Book-keeping, Business Questions. Simple and Compound Rules. Tables of money, weights and measures.
6. BIBLE HISTORY. McLear's Old and New Testament (commenced.) The Bible,—leading Characters and Events.
7. PENMANSHIP. Spencerian Business Series and Journals,
Taught by Mr. Widd.

GRAMMAR CLASS.

The pupils of the high class also form the Grammar Class, taught two afternoons each week by Miss McGann. Text book : —Lennie's English Grammar.

THE DRAWING CLASS.

(13 Pupils.)

The Class in drawing and water-color painting has been continued in charge of Mr. John Macnaughton, a graduate of the Institution, and holding a responsible position in Geo. Bishop & Co's establishment, as lithographic engraver and artist. Several of the pupils have had special lessons in water-color painting. The class continues to uphold the high standing it has always maintained and the work done by the pupils is a credit to themselves and their teacher.

THE SABBATH SCHOOL AND SERVICE.

The regular Sunday School and Service, consisting of lectures, reading and explaining of the Scriptures in the sign and finger language, have been continued. The Sunday Classes have been taught by Messrs. McClelland and John Macnaughton, two graduates of the Institution, and the Principal, who also conducts the Sabbath Service, at which deaf-mutes from the city frequently attend.

TABLE OF NUMBERS.

The following tables will give some idea of the progress of the school since it opened in 1870:—

Free and Paying Pupils, with Amount of Fees.

Year.	No. of Pupils.	Males.	Females.	Average Age.	Free.	Paying.	Total Fees.
							\$ c.
1870-1	16	14	2	15	7	9	535.00
1871-2	21	17	4	14	14	8	540.00
1872-3	22	20	2	15	15	6	442.80
1873-4	20	17	3	14	12	8	709.00
1874-5	27	21	6	13	15	10	790.00
1875-6	22	18	4	15	10	12	831.00
1876-7	22	17	5	13	12	10	792.00
1877-8	33	25	9	12	19	14	1,030.50
1878-9	32	23	9	11	15	17	1,250.50
1879-0	34	24	10	10	14	20	1,435.10
1880-1	33	20	13	11	11	22	926.50
1881-2	35	21	14	12	11	24	1,635.00
1882-3	42	26	16	10	15	27	2,235.00
							\$13,153.40

The pupils who have been benefited by the Institution since 1870, are represented by the following counties:—

County.	No. of Pupils.	County.	No. of Pupils.
Montcalm - - -	2	<i>Brought forward...51</i>	
Argenteuil - - -	5	Pontiac - - -	6
Brome - - -	4	Quebec - - -	5
Bagot - - -	1	Richmond - - -	5
Champlain - - -	1	Richelieu - - -	1
Chateauguay - - -	4	Sherbrooke - - -	4
Drummond - - -	1	Stanstead - - -	6
Hochelaga - - -	14	St. Johns - - -	4
Huntingdon - - -	6	Compton - - -	5
Megantic - - -	2	Beauharnois - - -	3
Missisquoi - - -	5	N. W. Territory - - -	1
Ottawa - - -	5		—
Carleton - - -	1		91
<i>Carried forward...51</i>			

THE CAUSES OF DEAFNESS.

Congenital	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	34
By disease from bathing at 8 years	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
By sunstroke in infancy	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
By "illness soon after birth"	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4
By spotted fever in infancy	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
By small-pox at 2 years of age	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
By scarlet fever	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17
By brain fever	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
By falling	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Born deaf and dumb, and blind at 11 years of age	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
By "sickness in infancy"	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5
By fever	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
"Uncertain"	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
By Cerebro-spinal meningitis	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9
By discharge from the ears	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
By whooping cough at 18 months	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
By cold and fever at 2 years	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1

THE INDUSTRIAL DEPARTMENT.

In the Workshops the pupils have had regular training in Carpentry, and in printing and type setting. Mr. Stavely in teaching the boys, has employed them in making various alterations and improvements about the premises which have long been urgently needed. The practical work thus afforded the boys will be of great use to them. The printing office has turned out the Annual Report and done all the printing required for the Institution. Some of the girls also have learned to set up type.

Several visits have been made to the McGill University Museum by the pupils and teachers, which greatly interested them; for this privilege they were indebted to Dr. Dawson.

The donations of Illustrated Publications which thoughtful friends send for the use of the pupils, have been very welcome and highly appreciated. A Library is needed for the Institution

for the use of both Teachers and scholars, and such books as are received, are carefully preserved for that purpose.

The prizes distributed this year were a special donation from "Friends."

It is hardly necessary for me to report the general and deep sorrow which we all felt at the loss sustained by the Institution in the deaths of Mr. Edward Mackay, the President; Dr. W. E. Scott, the Physician ; as well as other friends of the Institution. These will be referred to no doubt in the report of the Managers.

We have had a prosperous and progressive year, and have every reason to be devoutly thankful for the manifold blessings which have been so graciously showered on us in many ways. We can only pray and trust that the Institution may continue to be thus highly favored, and that the kindly feeling and co-operation on the part of the Managers and Teachers, in the good work may be continued in the future.

Respectfully submitted,

THOMAS WIDD,

Principal.

To the Board of Managers.

REV. CANON NORMAN'S REPORT.

I examined the pupils of the Mackay Institution for Deaf-mutes on the morning of Monday, June 18th. A large number of friends were present, and a good deal of interest was manifested. I had to conduct the examination mainly myself, in consequence of the absence of other examiners, but I was assisted by Mr. P. S. Ross, Mr. Widd and Miss Terrill.

The Junior Class are but beginners, and some have only recently come to the Institution. Etta Wiggett, one of four afflicted ones, shews considerable intelligence.

The 2nd Class are more numerous, and of course more advanced. The writing was very good in this class, and the arithmetic accurate.

The 3rd Class also deserve praise for their writing, and they answered well some simple questions in Scripture, Arithmetic and Geography. One of the children, Norman Wilson, was unable to write from an injury to his arm. Notwithstanding his natural nervousness, he acquitted himself very well by means of the one-handed alphabet. This class contains one boy of remarkable intelligence, named Albert Morrison.

The 4th Class is a very interesting one. It contains Frank Wiggett, the best articulator in the School, and who is generally bright and clever. The Bible answering and the writing in this class were decidedly good, and the Arithmetic very creditable.

The 5th is the highest class in the Institution, and did some very good work. They drew on the Black Board in my presence some accurate Maps of the Dominion of Canada, the one done by Meech being extremely neat. The same pupils are taught English Grammar by Miss McGann, and astonished me by the excellence of their replies. This instruction seems to me to supply a great want. The minds of these poor creatures are thus opened out, and they are taught to think and reason for themselves. This in my opinion was the most noticeable improve-

ment in the whole scheme of Education as carried on at the Institute. The Articulation Class under the skilful and patient superintendence of Miss McGann, is always a most interesting feature, and as usual delighted everybody. The pupils who are learning lip-reading and Bell's symbolical method, are making marked progress. The drawing, which is under Mr. McNaughton's direction, deserves great praise, and the writing exercises, some of which I have been inspecting at my leisure, are most commendable. I am glad to notice an increase of numbers, and that the general health of the inmates is good.

I hope frequently to carry on a friendly competition between some of the pupils of the Institute and some of the members of our city schools. It is very interesting in itself, and likely to benefit and stimulate the Deaf-Mutes.

The whole respectfully submitted.

R. W. NORMAN, D.C.L.,

Examiner.

LADY SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT.

To the Board of Managers of the Mackay Institute.

In presenting my Second Annual Report of the condition of the Administrative Department of this Institution, I am happy to certify to the completeness of its working, and to the well-being of its inmates.

During the year that is past, strenuous efforts have been put forth on the part of the Directors, to make the Mackay Institution a model one. Such necessary additions and improvements as were consistent with the limited funds at their disposal have been effected; and during the summer vacation, kalsomining, painting and repairing have been done. The construction of a windmill obviates the necessity of requiring the boys to pump for some hours each day; and the extension of hot and cold water pipes from the kitchen to the dining-room pantry, where supplementary items had to be added, offer increased facilities for the convenient performance of work in the culinary department. The verandah which has been erected on the south side of the building, proves a great attraction to the pupils, and I can conscientiously assert we now possess a home thoroughly adapted to the purpose for which it was built, the comforts of the pupils being such as to satisfy the most exacting parent. Indeed nothing has been left undone to secure the health and happiness of those entrusted to our care. The sexes are still kept strictly apart, except during recitation hours, at meal times, and on special occasions when a teacher is present. The two new trades, that of carpentry and dress-making, introduced at the beginning of last session, have been successfully pursued and will undoubtedly prove of great benefit in the future.

Our annual Picnic to St. Helen's Island last June, was a most enjoyable affair; and the presence of some of the Lady Managers gratified the children and helped in their entertainment.

Through the generosity of Mr. Sharpe of the City Express. and Captain Filgate of the Steamer "Filgate," very trifling expense was incurred.

As the health of the pupils is made of the first importance; and their surroundings calculated to induce good health, I have little sickness to report. Measles attacked several in March, and the first call paid by our late lamented physician, Dr. Scott, was his last, he being soon after laid on a sick bed, from which he never rose again. His benevolent labor amongst the deaf-mutes will not soon be forgotten. His place as Medical Attendant has been filled by Dr. Molson, whose prompt attention when necessary, is highly appreciated. We are also called upon to mourn the death of our late President, Mr. Edward Mackay. His cheering words and genial hearty manner, won a place in the hearts of all. Long will his friendly visits be missed, and gratefully will his memory be treasured by the recipients of his many kindnesses. But one death occurred amongst the pupils; that of a little boy aged six, who died of Brain Fever in the General Hospital during the summer holidays.

The progress of the Articulation and Lip Reading Classes has been highly gratifying, and fully realizes my expectations. In the future, I hope to have more time to devote to this most important branch of the education of the deaf-mutes. The wonderful proficiency in Lip-Reading attained by Miss Jessie Macfarlane and Master F. Wiggett is worthy of special mention.

My work this year has been considerably lightened by the appointment made by your Board of Miss Terrill of Belleville, Ont., as Assistant-Teacher. The Lady Managers have also rendered me valuable aid, and their kindness is an incentive to perform my duties to the best of my ability.

Respectfully submitted,

HARRIET E. MCGANN,

Lady Superintendent.

THE ANNUAL EXAMINATION.

ANNUAL EXAMINATION—INTERESTING EXERCISES—ARTICULATION
BY MUTES.

(From the *Montreal Witness*, June 13th, 1883)

Yesterday the annual examination of the Mackay Institution for Protestant Deaf-Mutes took place. Nothing could be imagined at this season more delightful than the drive through the western suburbs which takes one to the Institution, situated in the midst of one of the brightest landscapes in Canada. It stands close by the Cote St. Luc road, a little west of Cote St. Antoine, commands a splendid view of the St. Lawrence, including the Nun's Island, Lachine Rapids and the Victoria Bridge, and affords on the westward and southward a most refreshing prospect of highly cultivated country stretching away to the horizon.

Arrived at the magnificent building, the pupils are found mustered in their places in the school room, awaiting the beginning of exercises. This is a lofty, finely finished apartment, the walls handsomely adorned with bannerets bearing mottoes, texts, etc., and conveniently furnished for its purpose. It is hard to imagine that all these children, with radiant and intelligent faces, are bereft of hearing and vocal speech, some from their birth, and are shut out from the inspiring realm of music, except in so far as Christian philanthropy has enabled them to make melody in their hearts.

The Rev. Canon NORMAN, in introducing the examination, regretted that none of a number of other clergymen who had been invited to take part were able to be present.

By way of opening exercises one of the advanced girl pupils gave the hymn, "Nearer my God to Thee," in the sign and finger languages, followed by the Lord's Prayer in like manner by

several pupils, the performance being exceedingly impressive. Assisted by Mr. P. S. Ross, the secretary-treasurer of the Institution, the Rev. Canon proceeded to inspect the school according to the following programme:—Junior Classes (seven pupils, standing six months to two years, ages five to nine years), in nouns and adjectives, language, arithmetic and writing, taught by James McClelland and Miss Terrill. Class II. (ten pupils, standing one to four years, ages seven to fifteen years), in penmanship, language, Bible history and arithmetic, taught by Mr. McClelland. Class III, first division (ten pupils, standing from three to five years, ages from nine to twelve years), in language, Bible history, moral lessons, arithmetic, geography and penmanship, taught by Mr. Widd. Class IV, (five pupils, standing three to five years, ages nine to fourteen years), in language, moral lessons, arithmetic, Bible history and geography, taught by Mr. Widd and Miss Terrill. High Class (six pupils, standing three to eight years, ages fourteen to seventeen years), in readers, history, language exercises, geography, arithmetic, Bible history and penmanship, taught by Mr. Widd. Grammar Class (same as high class), taught two afternoons each week by Miss McGann. The Drawing Class (thirteen pupils), in charge of Mr. John McNaughton, a graduate of the Institution, who holds a responsible position in Messrs. George Bishop & Co.'s engraving establishment. The Articulation Class, in which instruction is given twice daily, with special attention to lip-reading, by Miss McGann, lady superintendent, who was given charge of this department about two years ago, after very successful experience in Michigan. All present were evidently well satisfied with the results of the examination, the pupils upon the whole in their respective grades evincing much intelligence on their own part, and most painstaking, patient and thorough tuition. The Principal, Mr. Widd, and Mr. McClelland, assistant teacher and director of the printing department, are themselves deaf-mutes, and together with Miss McGann and Miss Terrill assisted so efficiently in the exercises as to make them no more tedious than an ordinary school examination. The main interest of the morning was centred in the exhibition of Miss McGann's class in articulation, the company being more than delighted with the results. Bell's system of visible speech is that adopted, and prompted by hieroglyphic

directions on the blackboard, the pupils enunciated short sentences and the most difficult proper names distinctly. They also repeated words formed almost mutely upon the teacher's lips, with a facility that was astonishing. One of them, a young girl, had only been under instruction a year, and her proficiency was strong evidence to the feasibility of initiating suitable subjects of these unfortunates into the use of their vocal organs. The Institution is to be congratulated in the possession of a preceptress of the attainments and skill of this lady. Original compositions and examinations in manuscript, including maps, were handed about to the audience, and some of them would not discredit scholars with all their faculties. In map-drawing, particularly, great excellence was shown in more than one case.

Among the visitors present besides the examiners were the Revs. E. Botterell and J. Patterson, Mrs. John McDougall, Mrs. Stevenson, Mrs. Mackedy, Mrs. Macfarlane, Mrs. Fay, of Boston, Mrs. Major, Mrs. F. Wolferstan Thomas, a number of relatives of pupils and others.

Prizes for good conduct and proficiency were distributed among all the pupils, some winning several.

In closing the proceedings, the Rev. Canon NORMAN said that although it was impossible to make a satisfactory examination in every respect in the short time allotted, he was sure all present had been delighted with the evidences of the Institution's efficiency. He would gladly make known the generous contributor of most of the prizes given, but his lips had been sealed by strict command of the donor. Referring to a competition that had taken place in a number of branches between twelve of the pupils and twelve from the Royal Arthur School in the city, he said that in some points those of the Institution excelled, although on the whole surpassed by their more privileged competitors. Yet, taken altogether, the competition resulted not very unequally, which spoke highly for the Institution, particularly as its pupils fell short in some cases through not understanding the questions. Miss McGann interpreting as rapidly as the words were spoken in his usual manner, Mr. Norman addressed some kind words and good advice to the pupils in connection with their departure

for the holidays. The Rev. Mr. Patterson also addressed the audience and pupils briefly, speaking in high terms of commendation of the Institution and its work.

Before dispersing, the visitors inspected many specimens of the drawing class, which were very creditable alike to teacher and taught, some exhibiting no ordinary talent.

Members of the press and others were shown through the building, and found everywhere all the conditions of health, comfort and enjoyable home life.

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CATALOGUE OF PUPILS FOR THE SESSION 1882-83.

NAMES.		POST-OFFICE.
<i>Boys.</i>		
Aldrick, Rush	Richby	
Astle, Walter	Metis.	
Brethour, John	Orms town.	
Charters, Arthur	Montreal.	
Goodfellow, James	Manitoba.	
Harris, Edward	Montreal.	
Hopkins, Charles	Cookshire.	
Jones, Daniel	Bedford.	
Libby, Eugene C.	Coaticook.	
Meech, Charles G.	Aylmer.	
Morrison, Albert	Barnston.	
McDonald, John	Stornoway.	
O'Brien, Thomas	Montreal.	
Fatterson, Wm.	Coaticook.	
Roman, Wm.	Montreal.	
Speers, Wm.	Quebec.	
Walker James	Ulverton	
Wilson, Norman	Vicar's.	
Watts, George	Valleyfield.	
Wickens, Charles	Montreal.	
Wiggett, Frank	Sherbrooke.	
Wiggett, Arthur	"	
Wiggett, Wm. J.	"	
<i>Girls.</i>		
Burns, Ida V.	Rawdon.	
Gale, Lavinia J.	Orms town.	
Jamieson, Eva	Ottawa.	
Jones, Nellie E.	Bedford.	
Kerr, Mary A.	Montreal.	
Munro, Ellen	Montebello.	
Morrison, Nettie	Barnston.	
McFarlane, Jessie	Montreal.	
Nichol, Annie.	"	
Pringle, Margaret	Herdsmen's Corner	
Reeves, Harriet	Grenville.	
Stanley, Edith	Longueuil.	
Wilkey, Esther	Windsor Mills	
Wiggett, Etta.	Sherbrooke.	
Van Vliet, Emma R.	Lacolle.	
Sutherland, Lizzie	Montreal.	

LIST OF PUPILS AND PRIZES, JUNE 1883.

(The Prizes in this list are a Special Donation from esteemed friends who wish their names to be known only to the recipients of the Gifts.)

NAMES.	NATURE OF PRIZE.	WHY AWARDED.
<i>Class I.—Highest.</i>		
Jessie McFarlane.	{ Church of England Service, (Bible and Prayer-book.... }	Gen'l Proficiency and Good Conduct.
Emma VanVleit..	Do.	" " " "
W. J. Wiggett...	Men of Note	" " " "
C. G. Meech.....	Church of England Service...	" " " "
Arthur Charters..	Do.	" " " "
Arthur Wiggett..	Do.	" " " "
Nellie Jones.....	Church of England Service....	" " " "
<i>Class II.</i>		
Charles Wickens.	Gutenberg the P-inter.	Good Conduct and General Proficiency.
Frank Wiggett...	Eastern Wonderland.....	" " " "
W. Patterson....	Glances of South America....	" " " "
M. A. Kerr	Picture Teaching	" " and Industry.
<i>Class III.</i>		
John McDonald.	Through Pictureland	Gen'l Proficiency and Good Conduct.
James Walker...	Natural History	Proficiency in Arithmetic.
Norman Wilson.	Picture Teaching.....	" "
Geo. Watt	Aesop's Fables.....	Good Conduct and "
Dan. Jones'	Wonderful Deeds.....	Proficiency in Arithmetic.
John Brethour ..	Picture Teaching.....	Industry and Good Conduct.
Albert Morrison..	Little Companions.....	Fine Writing.
Annie Nichol....	Little Folks Reader	Good Conduct and General Proficiency.
Harriet Reeves..	Rainbow Story-book	Composition.
Edith Stanley...	Childhood's Happy Hours....	" and Good Conduct.
<i>Class IV.</i>		
Esther Wilkey...	Picture Teaching.....	General Proficiency and Good Conduct.
Thos. O'Brien ...	Story Book	Language.
Maggie Pringle...	Happy Hours.....	Gen'l Proficiency and Good behaviour.
Eugene Libbey...	Wayside Story Book.....	" Good Conduct and Industry.
Chas. Hopkins ...	Little Gatherers.....	" and Good Conduct.
Ida Burns.....	Little Schoolmates.....	Good Conduct.
Ellen Munro....	Daisy's Favorite Book.....	" "
Jas. Goodfellow..	Picture Teaching	{ Good Conduct, Industry and General Proficiency.
W. Roman.....	Picture Book	" " and Composition.
<i>Class V.</i>		
Etta Wiggett ...	Picture Book.....	Good Conduct and General Proficiency.
Rush Aldrick....	Little Album.....	" " " "
Walter Astle....	My Pretty Book.....	" " " "
Lavinia J. Gale...	Stories for the Nursery.....	" " " "
Nettie Morrison ..	Mable's own Picture Book....	For doing her best.
Edward Harris...	Toy Book.....	For being a good boy.
Eva Jamieson...	Baby's Toy Book.....	For being a good girl.
<i>Articulation Class.</i>		
Jessie McFarlane.	1st Prize in.....	Lip Reading.
Frank Wiggett...	1st Prize in.....	Articulation and Voice Culture.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.

Mr. Edward Mackay, \$25.00 worth of clothing, a sheep and Christmas presents, etc., etc.

Miss H. M. G., 12 bound vols. "Good Words" "Sunday at Home" and other magazines, also 8 jars fruit.

Miss Macdonald, Christmas presents, books, etc.

Mr. Wolferstan Thomas, 2 toboggans.

Mr. R. W. Shepherd, 2 toboggans.

Mrs. Wolferstan Thomas, 2 books and a doll.

Mrs. P. S. Stevenson, 4 books.

Mrs. Major, lemons and tomatoes.

The Misses Learmont, 1 box oranges, dolls and 2 pairs snow-shoes.

Chas. Alexander, 8 lbs. candies and scripture cards.

Mrs. John McDougall, oranges, a ham and 2 turkeys.

Mrs. Chas. Phillips, oranges, canned fruit, almonds, raisins, crackers, cakes, pine-apples, lemons, etc.

Mrs. Hickson, 1 turkey and 1 goose.

Mrs. W. J. Buchanan, half a sheep.

Mrs. D. Morrice, 2 turkeys and underwear for girls.

Mrs. W. H. Dow, 2 turkeys, \$10.00, also \$18.00 worth of clothing.

Miss G. Phillips, 2 boxes toys, oranges, candy and Christmas cards.

Mrs. A. Howe, Christmas gifts, 2 bags potatoes and apples.

Mrs. Elmenhorst, oranges and hats.

Mr. R. Benny, carpenter's tools, (\$100.00).

Mrs. T. A. Williams, 20 lbs. mutton.

Mr. Kenneth Campbell, medicines.

Anderson Bros., 1 load of wood.

Mr. S. Comstock through Major Wiggett of Sherbrooke, 20 bags turnips.

- Mr. A. Paton, Sherbrooke, several yards of tweed.
Mr. A. L. Grindrod, Sherbrooke, tweed.
Messrs. Adam Lomas & Son, Sherbrooke, 39 yards Flannel.
Mr. Edward Major, 72 feet of wire cloth (\$8.40).
Mrs. R. Warmington, 2 jars black currants, parsnips and 6 cans tomatoes.
D. Morrice and Co., 2 pieces white cotton.
Capt. Filgate, season ticket on the steamer "Filgate."
Hall & Scott, sponge cakes, plum cakes and buns.
Mrs. Joyce, 2 large plum cakes, buns, etc.
Mr. Tester, 8 lbs. candies.
Mrs. Wickens, oranges.
Mrs. Roman, dolls and cakes.
Mr. Foley, a bag apples and 6 doz. oranges.
Mr. Peter Henrickson, Mount Royal Vale, 3 bags potatoes, 1 bag carrots, 1 box honey, 2 loads manure, and 1 bushel Apples.
Mr. John Macnaughton, fireworks and oranges.
Mrs. Montgomery, candies
Mrs. W. Stewart, (Howick), 1 bushel crabapples.
Mr. R. Warmington, Tinware.
Mr. Clogg, 1 crate peaches.
Mrs. and Miss Mullarky, plum cakes, lemons and iced cakes.
Mr. E. Graves, Plants.
Mr. Sharpe, rides for pupils.
Drs. Webster and Nichol, for gratuitous services in dentistry.
Mr. Walter Paul, raisins, currants, oranges and lemons, also kindness in sending out Express Parcels and all gifts left at his store.
Mr. H. Shorey, 2 suits Boys' Clothes.
Mr. R. W. Cowan, Boys' Hats.
Mrs. J. G. Terrill, Belleville, Ont., 2 Bibles in raised letters for the blind.
Mrs. Hungerford, Bedford, set of table mats.

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The *Goodson Gazette*, (Staunton, Va.)

The *Deaf-mute Companion*, (Fairbault, Minn.)

The *Ranger*, (Austin, Texas.)

The *Wisconsin Deaf-mute Times*.

The *Kansas Star*, (Olathe, Kansas.)

The *Leader*, (Brooklyn.)

The *Mirror*, (Flint, Michigan.)

The *Vis-a-vis*, (Columbus, Ohio.)

The *Optic*, Little Rock, Ark.

The *Free Press (Weekly)*, London, Ont,

The *Herald* " " "

The *New York Weekly Witness*.

The *West Va. Tablet*.

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The *Vennor's Almanac*.

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MACKAY INSTITUTE.

CASH STATEMENT for 13 months, ending 31st July, 1883.

Dr.

Cr.

RECEIPTS.		DISBURSEMENTS.	
City Collections	\$ 3,010 00	Salaries and Wages	\$ 2,387 46
Donations	272 45	School Requisites	90 51
Pupils Fees	100 00	Grocer	614 08
Dividend Mechanics Bank	2,014 75	Baker	245 92
Cote St. Antoine Property	494 31	Milk	191 30
Government Grant	1,255 20	Butcher	645 06
Interest	1,729 00	Fuel and Light	737 79
Special Collection to wipe out debt	603 54	Vegetables	129 20
Country and branch Collections	3,575 00	Tools, Tyne, &c.	32 92
Proceeds of Sales and Sundries	743 12	General Charges	296 10
Annual Subscription	75 14	Furniture	260 13
	107 00	Stationery, Printing, Postages, &c	140 06
		Travelling Expenses	99 75
		Rent of Principals House	144 00
		Building Improvements	401 91
		Endowment Fund	1,048 67
		Debt Account	5,263 81
		Sundries	50 00
			\$12,768 76
		Repaying advance by Molsons Bank and Secretary-Treasurer, previous year	332 05
	\$ 13,889 51	Total	\$13,100 81
		Cash in Bank	788 70

MONTREAL, 31st July, 1883.

Verified,

JOHN McDONALD,

Auditor.

MACKAY INSTITUTE.

Trial Balance.

31st July, 1883.

DR.		CR.	
Cash	\$788 70	Building Fund	\$12,035 59
Furniture Account	3,738 30	Legacies	46,000 00
Tools, Type and Implements	722 62		
Drainage	50 51		
Wells	287 00		
Improvement New Building	2,140 04		
" Grounds	360 00		
Molsons Bank (8,150)	741 50		
Endowment Fund	11,500 00		
H. E. McGann	6 53		
J. C. McLaren	50 00		
Land and Buildings	35,000 00		
Profit and Loss	2,650 39		
	<u>\$58,035 59</u>		<u>\$58,035 59</u>

Statement of Assets (no Liabilities) extracted from above.

Cash on Deposit in Molsons Bank	\$788 70	
" " " " Special	741 50	\$1,530 20
Endowment Fund as invested		11,500 00
Grounds and Buildings as donated		35,000 00
" " " Improvements viz. Drainage	50 51	
" Wells	287 00	
" Buildings	2,140 04	
Grounds	360 00	2,837 55
Furniture as per Inventory		3,738 30
Tools, Type and Implements (original cost)		722 62
Outstanding Accounts		50 53
Total Assets		<u>\$55,385 20</u>

REPRESENTED BY.

At credit of Building Fund	\$12,035 94
At credit of Legacies	46,000 00
Cr.	<u>\$58,035 59</u>
At Debit of Profit and Loss	2,650 39
	<u>\$55,385 20</u>

Verified,

JOHN McDONALD,

Auditor.

Profit and Loss Account.

Dr.		Cr.	
To balance per last Balance sheet.	\$2,166 45	By Miantenance Account.....	\$2,311 75
.. Temporary Furniture Account.	200 06	.. Mechanics Bank Dividend....	404 31
.. T. Widd, balance	4 89	.. Special Collection	3,575 00
.. Premium paid on Montreal		.. Interest	12 92
Loan and Mortgage Bonds..	48 67	.. Balance	\$2,650 39
.. Cote St. Antoine Property	4,870 86		
" " " Alter-			
ations and Repairs	931 71		
.. Furniture Account written off			
to agree with Inventory....	554 76		
.. General Charges and Salaries			
per matron	43 47		
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	\$8,820 27		
.. Interest on Montreal Loan &			
Mortgage Bonds	133 50		
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	\$8,954 37		

Verified,

JOHN McDONALD

Auditor.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

ANNUAL SUBSCRIPTIONS.

1882.			
J. Doutre	5.00	T. A. Dawes	10.00
J. Walker	5.00	Mrs. Holland	5.00
A. McK. Forbes	4.00	R. Mitchell	5.00
Mrs. Baldwin	5.00	A. Ramsay	5.00
		Miss Dawes	5.00
1883.		Mrs. Morton	5.00
J. Hutton	10.00	Mrs. Baldwin	5.00
Mrs. MacDougall	10.00	Mrs. G. W. Simpson	4.00
J. Doutre	10.00	A. McK. Forbes	4.00
Wm. Lunn	10.00		
			\$107.00

DONATIONS.

C. & D. Savings Bank	100.00	Mrs. Henry Mackay	5.00
Edward Mackay	100.00	"Friend"	5.00
John James Redpath	50.00	C. A. E.	5.00
Ladies of Bute House	26.45	Mrs. Lay's Seminary	5.00
Dr. Montizambert	20.00	Mrs. Tuggey	3.00
H. Sugden Evans	10.00	Rev. Mr. Fenwick	2.00
Mrs. Dow	10.00	Mrs. Keillie	1.00
J. B. R.	10.00	Mrs. Texott	1.00
Mrs. Langwell	10.00		
R. Campbell	10.00		
			\$372.46

SPECIAL APPEAL COLLECTION TO WIPE OUT DEBT.

Alexander Buntin	\$500.00	E. K. Greene	100.00
Andrew Allan	250.00	Mrs. F. Wolferstan Thomas	100.00
Fred. Mackenzie	250.00	R. B. Angus	100.00
C. J. Brydges	250.00	O. S. Wood	100.00
Mrs. John McDougall	100.00	H. Mackenzie	100.00
Mrs. Robert Moat	100.00	Donald A. Smith, Hon.	100.00
Joseph Hickson	100.00	Geo. Stephen	100.00
Mrs. J. H. R. Molson	100.00	Duncan McIntyre	100.00
Miss E. C. Orkney	100.00	Miss Agnes Learmont	50.00
Shaw Bros. & Cassils	100.00	Hon. A. Cross	50.00
Gault Bros. & Co	100.00	Miss Charlotte Hall	50.00
A. Keroack	100.00	Charles Alexander	50.00
David Morrice	100.00	J. R. Ward	50.00
D. J. Greenshields	100.00		
Mackay Bros	100.00		
Hugh McLennan	100.00		\$3,700.00
Jonathan Hodgson	100.00	Less uncollected at this date, 125.00	
Thomas Craig	100.00		\$3,575.00

COLLECTIONS.

By Thos. Widd during the Spring and Summer of 1882.

COWANSVILLE & SWEETSBURG.

Mrs. D. Mair	5.00
W. Stevenson	1.00
Job Taylor	1.00
John Massie, Jr.	1.00
J. Mackinnon	1.00
M. O. Hart	1.00
George B. Baker	1.00
E. Racicot	1.00
G. T. Batchelder	1.00
A. Oliver	1.00
Sums under one dollar	1.75
	—15.75

SUTTON.

G. C. Dyer	5.00
Elijah Kemp	2.00
F. A. Cutter, Jr.	1.00
G. S. Wood	1.00
Sums under one dollar	2.25
	—11.25

STANSTEAD.

Rev. J. T. Pitcher	1.00
C. S. Channell	1.00
C. A. Richardson	2.00
G. F. Terrill	1.00
S. W. Snow	1.00
T. W. Wyman	1.00
J. B. Daly	1.00
Rev. G. Thorneioe	2.00
A. L. Holmes	1.00
Mrs. Cobb	1.00
J. L. T.	1.00
Sums under one dollar	1.50
	—14.50

ST. JOHNS.

J. & H. Black	5.00
J. Coote	4.00
Chas. Aspin	2.00
Bissett & Donagh	2.00
J. Armstrong	2.00
Jno. A. Tees	1.00
P. McGinnis	1.00
R. C. Montgomerie	1.00
J. G. Macdonald	1.00
James Macdonald	1.00
W. L. Marler	1.00
R. Gould	1.00
A. J. Wright	1.00
W. Douglas	1.00
H. J. Stewart	1.00
Geo. H. Wilkinson	1.00
C. V. Pierce	1.00
Sums under one dollar	1.25
	—28.25

CHRISTIEVILLE.

Mrs. McGinnis	2.00
Miss Dunn	2.00
H. J. McGinnis	1.00
	—5.00

RICHMOND.

T. H. Foster	10.00
G. W. Foster	5.00
Miss Breadon	2.00
J. H. Smith	1.00
W. L. Ball	1.00
A. Stewart	1.00
J. Alexander	1.00
J. B. Lamb	1.00
J. W. Scott	1.00
Tom Hart	1.00
Cash	1.00
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Carried forward..... 25.00

Brought forward	25.00
Sums under one dollar	50
	—25.50

VALLEYFIELD.

John Crichton	5.00
D. Jordan	2.00
James Wattie	2.00
Loudon Bros	2.00
Alex. Barrie	1.00
Thos. Morris	1.00
A. J. Smith	1.00
O. Charles	1.00
Mrs. Carruthers	1.00
James Cobb	1.00
W. Bryden	1.00
Dr. W. Sutherland	1.00
G. H. Phillips	1.00
C. E. Wilson	1.00
Cash	1.00
J. F. N.	1.00
Dr. John Loy	1.00
Moise Plant	1.00
Rev. George Coull	1.00
John Crichton, Jr.	1.00
Sums under one dollar	10.75
	—37.74

ORMSTOWN.

Thos. Baird	10.00
R. W. Walsh	4.00
Lauchlin Cameron	1.00
H. Walsh	1.00
R. T. Walsh	1.00
A. McEachran	1.00
James N.	1.00
John Baird	1.00
Wm. McNaughton	1.00
D. Thomson	1.00
John Sadler	1.00
Rev. Father Demers	1.00
Sums under one dollar	3.55
	—27.55

HUNTINGDON.

Rev. J. Watson	2.00
Rev. J. B. Muir	1.00
A. Cameron	2.00
A. Somerville	2.00
Hunter Bros.	1.00
Angus Macnaughton	1.00
D. Shanks	1.00
R. Sellar	1.00
J. W. Saunders	1.00
J. Lanktree	1.00
Rev. J. Wilson	1.00
K. Freeman	1.00
P. C. Merr	1.00
Sums under one dollar	3.50
	—19.50

LACOLLE.

Mrs. S. R. VanVliet	5.00
J. P. Hodgson	5.00
D. Hodgson	5.00
Principal Masten (Coaticook)	5.00
J. Pearson	1.00
J. T. VanVliet	1.00
A. Force	1.00
Rev. R. Acton	1.00
W. Featherstone	1.00
T. Featherstone	1.00
Sums under one dollar	2.20
	—28.20

Total..... \$

SUBSCRIPTIONS

Collected by Mr. T. Widd during the Summer of
1883.

ORMSTOWN.

Thos. Baird.....	10.00
R. N. Walsh.....	5.00
John Baird.....	1.00
W. Macnaughton.....	1.00
Hugh Walsh.....	1.00
R. Cairns.....	1.00
John McGerrigle.....	1.00
R. A. McEachran.....	1.00
John Darby.....	1.00
Jas. McGerrigle.....	1.00
Rev. A. D. Lockhart.....	1.00
Rev. D. W. Morrison.....	1.00
J. Sadler.....	1.00
Dr. H. E. Poole.....	1.00
Wm. Gale.....	1.00
James Mills.....	1.00
Sums under one dollar.....	4.75
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	33.75

HUNTINGDON.

A. Cameron.....	5.00
And. Somerville.....	2.00
Mrs. J. Henderson.....	2.00
Rev. J. B. Muir.....	1.00
R. M. Campbell.....	2.50
Rev. Jas. Watson.....	2.00
R. Sellar.....	1.00
Mrs. A. Anderson.....	1.00
J. W. Saunders.....	1.00
K. Freeman.....	1.00
Rev. J. Wilson.....	1.00
Jas. Henry.....	1.00
A. Macnaughton.....	1.00
D. Shanks.....	1.00
A. H. Henderson.....	1.00
Mrs. S. MacLaren.....	1.00
Hunter Bros.....	1.00
Richard B. Pinhay.....	1.00
Sums under one dollar.....	4.55
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	30.55

COWANSVILLE.

Mrs. Mair.....	5.00
T. Belanger.....	1.00
A. Oliver.....	1.00
Rev. G. Willett.....	1.00
G. E. Jaques.....	1.00
J. Mackinnon.....	2.00
M. O. Hart, N.P.....	1.00
John Massie.....	1.00
Sums under one dollar.....	2.20
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	15.20

SUTTON.

Col Dyer.....	10.00
S. N. Boright.....	1.00
Rev. J. Smith.....	1.00
Leet E. Dyer.....	1.00
Dr. Cutter.....	1.00
Dr. Macdonald.....	1.00
Mrs. Shanks.....	1.00
Rev. G. G. Mansell.....	1.00
Sums under one dollar.....	4.75
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	21.75

WATERLOO.

Archdeacon Lindsay.....	2.00
Robinson & Son.....	2.00
Jno. P. Noyes.....	1.00
Sums under one dollar.....	4.60
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	9.60

GRANBY.

Rev. W. B. Longhurst.....	1.00
Dr. Greene.....	1.00
James Irvine.....	1.00
R. W. Bradford.....	1.00
G. E. McIndoe.....	1.00
Rev. L. Normandeau.....	1.00
W. R. Horne.....	1.00
J. A. Tomkins.....	1.00
W. W. Robinson.....	1.00
A. C. Large.....	1.00
S. Butterworth.....	1.00
A. A. Graham.....	1.00
T. Watson.....	1.00
J. Bradford.....	1.00
W. W. O'Dwyer.....	1.00
Rev. J. E. Richardson.....	1.00
Wm. Nixon.....	1.00
Rev. W. English.....	1.00
James Kay.....	1.00
P. Jackson.....	1.00
Allan G. Ingalls.....	1.00
Mrs. W. Roberts.....	1.00
Thos. Kimbley.....	1.00
J. H. McKechnie.....	1.00
Wm. Miner.....	1.00
Sums under one dollar.....	3.50
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	28.50

Total 75.05

Supplementary Statement of Contributions.

The following Subscriptions were collected after the close of the Session and were not included in the Financial Statement of 1882-3.

Collected by Thomas Widd.

ABBOTSFORD.		Brought forward.....	
Rev. Canon Robinson.....	2.00	McMosine Bros.....	1.00
J. M. Fisk.....	1.00	Beattie & Alexander.....	1.00
Dr. Drake.....	1.00	Mrs. Dewey.....	1.00
N. C. Fisk.....	2.00	C. Gough.....	50
B. C. Bradford.....	1.00		33.50
Mrs. J. A. Whitney.....	1.00	ST. JOHNS.	
John Donahue.....	1.00	J. & H. Black.....	5.00
Wm. Marshall.....	1.00	Bissett & Donaghy.....	3.00
W. Craig.....	1.00	Geo. Wilkinson.....	1.00
Sums under one dollar.....	5.00	W. L. Marler.....	1.50
	16.00	W. Douglass.....	1.00
RICHMOND.		R. Gould.....	1.00
F. H. Foster.....	10.00	L. G. Macdonald.....	1.00
G. N. Foster.....	10.00	Sums under one dollar.....	1.00
A. J. Breadon.....	2.00		14.50
C. P. Cleveland.....	1.00	LACOLLE.	
A. Stewart.....	1.00	David Hodgson.....	10.00
J. M. Lamb.....	1.00	Mrs. W. H. Vanvliet.....	5.00
Rev. F. M. Dewey.....	1.00	A. Force.....	1.00
W. L. Ball.....	1.00	J. T. Vanvliet.....	1.00
Mrs. S. M. Gouin.....	1.00	W. Featherstone.....	1.00
H. P. Walls.....	1.00	T. Featherstone.....	1.00
J. C. Sutherland.....	1.00	T. S. Haynes.....	1.00
Carried forward.....		Sums under one dollar.....	2.00
			22.50

COLLECTIONS

By J. McClelland,—Summer 1883.

GRENVILLE.		LACHUTE.	
D. Reeves.....	5.00	Dr. Christie.....	1.00
A. Pridham.....	2.00	R. G. Meikle.....	1.00
Mrs. R. Wilson.....	1.00	Mrs. Wells.....	1.00
W. T. White.....	1.00	Geo. L. Meikle.....	1.00
D. McMillan.....	1.00	Thos. Jackson.....	1.00
Sums under one dollar.....	3.85	G. H. Christie.....	1.00
	13.85	Sums under one dollar.....	5.75
ST. ANDREWS.			11.75
Wm. B. Forbes, (Carillon)....	1.00	PAPINEAUVILLE.	
Hugh Walsh.....	1.00	C. Fraser Edwards.....	2.00
Chas. T. Wales.....	1.00	Jno. Tweedie, Jr.....	1.00
Mrs. E. Jones.....	1.00	Sums under one dollar.....	1.50
M. S. Lamb.....	1.00		4.50
Mrs. Robert Simpson.....	1.00		
Sums under one dollar.....	3.15		
	9.15		

MONTEBELLO.

W. Owens.....	2.00
Mrs. Papineau.....	2.00
Sums under one dollar.....	75

THURSO.

J. & G. Black.....	1.00
Geo. Edwards.....	1.00
J. A. Cameron.....	2.00
Rev. W. M. Walker.....	1.00
Rev. L. Blanchet.....	1.00
J. A. Cameron, Jr.....	1.00
Mrs. MacCaul.....	1.00
Sums under one dollar.....	3.75

BUCKINGHAM.

James MacLaren.....	10.00
E. S. Leatham.....	1.00
G. L. Parker.....	1.00
A. Wilson.....	1.00
Wm. Lough.....	1.00
A. D. Cameron.....	1.00
Sums under one dollar.....	3.50

OTTAWA.

Thos. McKay & Co.....	5.00
Perley & Pattee.....	5.00
James Gordon.....	5.00
Allan Gilmour, Jr.....	5.00
J. R. Booth.....	5.00
W. H. Baldwin & Co.....	2.00
Seybold & Gibson.....	2.00
H. V. Noel.....	2.00
MacLean, Rogers & Co.....	2.00
Geo. May.....	2.00
H. F. Bronson.....	2.00
E. H. Bronson.....	2.00
Alexander Workman.....	1.00
T. B. Hudson.....	1.00
Cash.....	1.00
E. Whyte.....	1.00
Dr. Grant.....	1.00
A. Bufton.....	1.00
Thos. Story.....	1.00
Bronsons & Weston.....	1.00
F. & J. Grant.....	1.00
J. Durie.....	1.00
Hugh Allan.....	1.00
Jas. W. Russell.....	1.00
Bryson, Graham & Co.....	1.00
J. M. Garland.....	1.00
G. Burn.....	1.00
A. Drummond.....	1.00
J. Hope.....	1.00
Elliott & Hamilton.....	1.00
John Henderson.....	1.00
George Story.....	1.00
T. J. Seaton.....	1.00
M. Freudenberg.....	1.00
W. E. Brown.....	1.00
A. Rosenthal.....	1.00
H. W. Wilson.....	1.00

Carried forward..... 64.00

Brought forward

J. P. Chilton.....	64.00
A. S. Woodburn.....	1.00
McI. Stewart.....	1.00
E. McGillivray.....	1.00
W. Abbott.....	1.00
R. Mason.....	1.00
Hubert Kerr.....	1.00
R. W. Martin.....	1.00
Thompson Bros.....	1.00
Friend.....	1.00
Hiram Robinson.....	1.00
Dr. Henderson.....	1.00
R. P. Young.....	1.00
L. J. Young.....	1.00
Geo. Hay.....	1.00
J. A. Gouin.....	1.00
Sums under one dollar.....	17.00

AYLMER.

E. A. Cole.....	5.00
R. & W. Conroy.....	5.00
David Moore, (Hull).....	5.00
William Allen.....	3.00
Mrs. R. H. Klock.....	2.00
Mrs. C. G. Meech.....	2.00
T. B. Prentiss.....	1.00
H. McDougall.....	1.00
W. M. Coutlee.....	1.00
Mark Haldane.....	1.00
R. H. Sayer.....	1.00
M. McLeod.....	1.00
D. E. Dewar.....	1.00
Sums under one dollar.....	6.25

BEDFORD.

E. W. Jones.....	2.00
E. W. Morgan.....	1.00
Sums under one dollar.....	3.00

STANBRIDGE EAST.

Sums under one dollar.....	4.25
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FRELIGHSBURG.

J. Landsberg.....	5.00
W. S. Hunter.....	2.50
H. Holden.....	2.00
Mrs. and Miss Chamberlin.....	1.00
W. A. Morrison.....	1.00
S. P. Hope.....	1.00
Sums under one dollar.....	3.75

HEMMINGFORD.

F. S. Propers.....	2.00
Rev. Henry Meyers.....	2.00
A. Friend.....	2.00
J. Scriver.....	3.00
G. P. Martin.....	1.00
Sums under one dollar.....	4.35

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CHELSEA.

H. B. Prentiss	1.00
C. A. Dewar	1.00
Geo. L. Chitty	1.00
D. Evans	1.00
W. P. Kirby	1.00
J. R. Hamilton	1.00
James Hall	1.00
Wm. G. Hall	1.00
G. Church	1.00
S. Church	1.00
Sums under one dollar	2.00
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 IRONSIDES.	
Alonzo Wright, M.P.	10.00
H. J. Cole	1.00
Rev. D. Findlay, (Cantley)	1.00
Sums under one dollar	1.00
	<hr/> 13.00
Total	\$324.30

By Wm. Ryder in St. Johns.

R. A. A. Jones.	\$10.00	C. M. Arnott.	5.00
In memory of Late R. Phelps.	10.00		<u>25.00</u>

Collected by Messrs. F. Wolferstan Thomas and
F. Mackenzie in the City of Montreal.

H. M. G.	\$50.00	W. R. Oswald.....	25.00
Robert Benny.....	50.00	McIntyre, French & Co.....	25.00
Robert Anderson.....	50.00	Dun, Wiman & Co.....	25.00
A. J. Brice	25.00	Samuel Bell.....	25.00
J. H. Warrington.....	25.00	G. B. Burland.....	25.00
F. Wolferstan Thomas	25.00	H. Shorey & Co.....	25.00
G. Hague.....	25.00	Charles Huston	25.00
Cash (J. M. Y.).....	25.00	Crathern & Caverhill.....	25.00
Alexander Buntin	25.00	Hon. D. A. Smith.....	25.00
W. Dow & Co.....	25.00	Alexander Murray.....	25.00
James Benny.....	25.00	Geo. A. Drummond.....	25.00
Cassils, Stimson & Co.....	25.00	Cochrane, Cassils & Co.....	25.00
Tees, Costigan & Wilson....	25.00	Thomas Leeming & Co.....	25.00
George Barry.....	25.00	A. G. McBean.....	25.00
Lord & Munn.....	25.00	James Shearer.....	25.00
Magor Bros & Co.....	25.00	J. G. Mackenzie & Co.....	25.00
D. J. Greenshields.....	25.00	Friend.....	20.00
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APPENDIX.

AN ACT TO INCORPORATE THE PROTESTANT INSTITUTION FOR DEAF-MUTES AND FOR THE BLIND.

32 Victoria, Cap. 89., (assented to 5th April, 1869).

Whereas the persons hereinafter named have, by petition, set forth that a Protestant Institution for the Maintenance, Education and Care of the Deaf and Dumb and the Blind is urgently needed, and have further represented that such an Institution would be greatly aided by an Act of Incorporation, and have prayed that they and their successors be incorporated under the provisions hereinafter mentioned; Therefore Her Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislature of Quebec, enacts as follows.—

1. William Molson, David Torrance, A. M. Foster, Peter Redpath, D. Lorn MacDougall, Thos. Workman, M.P., T. J. Claxton, Thos. Cramp, John Dougall, Andrew Allan, Charles Alexander, J. J. C. Abbott, Q.C., E. Carter, Q.C., F. Mackenzie, Ira Gould, H. McLennan, Alfred Brown, George Stephen, P. D. Browne, Alexander Buntin, John Torrance, Jr., and such other persons, donors, and subscribers, as may under the provisions of this Act become donors or subscribers to the said Institution, to the amounts hereinafter mentioned, shall be, and they are hereby erected into a Body Corporate and Politic by the name of "The Protestant Institution for Deaf-Mutes and the Blind," and shall by that name have perpetual succession and all the rights incident to corporations generally, and to the powers hereby granted, and shall, by the same name, from time to time, and at all times hereafter be able and capable to purchase, acquire, hold, possess, and enjoy, and to have, take, receive, and hold by purchase, or exchange, or by virtue of any Will, or Donation (subject to the carrying out in good faith of the special trusts or conditions, if any, established by any such Will, Grant, or Donation), any

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moveable or immoveable property and effects within this Province ; and the same to sell, alienate, and dispose of, and to acquire and purchase others in their stead for the same purpose and to acquire and erect suitable buildings for the purposes of this Act, and the same to maintain, alter, or renew, from time to time ; to provide and procure all materials for work, and the same or any articles or things made and constructed in the said Institution to sell and dispose of, and to expend the proceeds thereof for its support ; and to purchase, erect, or lease, and to maintain within the District of Montreal one or more Institutions for Deaf, Dumb and Blind persons, for any one or more classes of such persons, and to conduct and manage such Institutions in accordance with Rules, and Regulations to be made for that purpose, provided always that the annual value of the immoveable property shall not exceed ten thousand dollars.

2. It shall be the duties of the persons hereby incorporated, within one month from the passing of this Act, to open books of subscription in the City of Montreal, and in such other places as they may deem proper, and to obtain therein subscriptions of all persons desirous of aiding the objects of the corporation ; and all subscriptions obtained by any person whomsoever, previous to the passing of this Act, which were made with a view to the establishment of the Institution hereby authorized, and which shall not be withdrawn by the makers thereof, by writing, addressed to the said corporation, and personally delivered to some one of the corporators herein named, within the said period of one month, shall be held to be subscriptions made under this Act, and enforced in like manner to those obtained as herein provided.

3. For the supervision of the affairs of the said corporation, there shall be a Board of Governors, which shall be composed of not more than twenty-five Life-Governors, being those persons of either sex who shall have subscribed the sum of five hundred dollars or upwards to the Institution, and who shall not be in arrear on any call made on such subscription, and of a like number of Elective Governors of either sex, to be chosen and elected for one year only, from those who shall have subscribed in one sum, not less than one hundred dollars to the Institution, or who

shall subscribe a sum of not less than twenty-five dollars as an annual subscription for not less than five years ; provided always, that no person shall be a Governor who shall not be of the Protestant faith ; and that if there be more than twenty-five persons qualified to be Life-Governors of the corporation, the twenty-five persons who being otherwise qualified, have priority in the order of their subscription, shall be such Life-Governors.

4. The immediate management and conduct of the Institution shall be vested in a Board of Managers, of not less than twelve in number, who shall act for three years, one-third retiring annually, as may be fixed by By-Law ; and such Board shall cause minutes of their proceedings and Acts to be duly kept, and shall, from time to time, report the same to the Board of Governors, as may be provided by any by-law, rule, or regulation to that effect ; and the Board of Managers shall be elected at a meeting of the Board of Governors, and may be in whole or in part of either sex ; and the election of the first Board of Managers shall take place within thirty days from and after the time when Elective Governors shall have been chosen as hereinafter provided.

5. A meeting of the subscribers of the Institution shall be called by the persons hereby incorporated, or a majority of them, within two months after the passing of this Act by notice of not less than ten days, by advertisement to be inserted in at least two newspapers published in the City of Montreal, for the purpose of organizing the Corporation and ascertaining the number of persons entitled to be Life-Governors, and for the election of the Elective Governors : at which meeting (and at other similar meetings, unless otherwise provided by By-Law), the scale of voting shall be as follows : For annual subscribers of not less than Five Dollars, and all persons paying for the maintenance of education of any inmate of this Institution, one vote ; for contributors of larger sums, one vote in addition for each Five Dollars subscribed. But no subscriber or contributor shall have more than twenty votes ; and at such first meeting the election of Elective Governors shall be by ballot, and at any subsequent meeting the mode of election shall be as provided by the By-Laws.

6. The said Corporation acting by the Board of Governors herein mentioned for the time being, may make and establish all such By-laws, Rules, and Regulations, not being contrary to this

Act, nor to the laws of this Province, as shall be deemed necessary or useful for the management, regulation, and control of the said Institution, and of its agents and servants, and the management of its affairs generally, and also for the appointment and regulation of meetings of Governors, the mode and time of election of the Elective Governors herein mentioned; the appointment of the Board of Managers, the appointment and removal of its officers and servants, and their wages or allowances, and the mode of amending or repealing the said By-laws, Rules, and Regulations, or any of them; and it shall be the duty of the Board of Governors within six months from the election of the Elective Governors to make such By-laws, Rules, and Regulations as are authorized to be made under this Act. And from time to time thereafter, to alter and amend the same, and to make such further By-laws, Rules, and Regulations as thereafter may be found necessary.

7. The said corporation shall have full power to collect, and enforce by suit at law, or other legal process, the payment of all subscriptions or instalments on subscriptions.

8. The Board of Managers, by themselves, or by such person or persons as they shall appoint, may exercise over such Deaf, Dumb or Blind persons as shall be inmates of any one of the said asylums, such powers as may be necessary for the proper control and good government of the Institution.

9. All and every the funds and property of the corporation shall be appropriated and applied solely for the purposes of the corporation, and the payment of all such outlays and expenditure as may legitimately be incurred in connection therewith, and for carrying into effect the objects contemplated by this Act, subject, however, to the special provisions contained in this Act; Provided always, that any surplus amount shall be from time to time, invested in public securities, or on the security of mortgages within the City of Montreal, and no other; and the said corporation shall have power to mortgage its immoveable property, for any part of the purchase money thereof, or for the purpose only of obtaining funds for the erection and maintenance of the building or buildings necessary for the Institution.

10. No member of the Corporation shall be individually liable for any debt incurred by the said Corporation, for any of the purposes authorized by this Act.

11. The said Corporation shall be bound to make annual reports to both branches of the Legislature, containing a general statement of the affairs of the Corporation, which said reports shall be presented within the first twenty days of each session.

ASSEMBLY BILL No. 24.

AN ACT TO AMEND THE ACT 32 VICT., CAP 89, INTITULED : "AN
ACT TO INCORPORATE THE PROTESTANT INSTITUTION FOR
DEAF-MUTES AND FOR THE BLIND."

Whereas the Board of Governors of the Protestant Institution for Deaf-Mutes and for the Blind have, by their petition, set forth that Joseph Mackay, Esquire, has acquired certain real estate and erected suitable buildings thereon which he is now prepared to place at the disposal of the said Institution, by way of donation, to be used for the purposes for which the same was created, and that it has become advisable, in view of the said proposed donation, to change the name of the said Institution to "The Mackay Institution for Protestant Deaf-Mutes," and have prayed that the said act be amended as the same is hereafter amended; and whereas it is expedient to grant the prayer of their said petition; Therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislature of Quebec, enacts as follows:

1. The corporate name of the said Institution shall be changed from "The Protestant Institution for Deaf-Mutes and for the Blind," to that of "The Mackay Institution for Protestant Deaf-Mutes;" but the said Corporation shall not therefore be deemed a new Corporation and all real and moveable property, debts, rights, claims, privileges and powers, heretofore vested in or contracted by the said Protestant Institution for Deaf-Mutes and for

the Blind, are hereby transferred to "The Mackay Institution for Protestant Deaf-Mutes," which by its corporate name is hereby substituted, to all intents and purposes, for the said Protestant Institution for Deaf-Mutes and the Blind.

2. Section one of the said act is hereby amended, by adding thereto the words : "in addition to the value of the property occupied for the purposes of the said Institution."

3. From and after the passing of this act, the following persons shall be *ex-officio*, without money qualification and during their tenure of office in the undermentioned colleges respectively, Governors of the said Institution in addition to, and vested with the same powers, as those provided for by the said act, to wit : the Principal of the University of McGill College and his successors, Principals of the said College ; the Principal of the Church of England Theological College and his successors, Principals of the said College ; the Principal of the Presbyterian College of Montreal and his successors, Principals of the said College ; the Principal of the Wesleyan Theological College and his successors, Principals of the said College ; the Principal of the Congregational College of British North America and his successors, Principals of said College, the said Colleges being all situate in the City of Montreal ; provided that, in the event of the said Church of England Theological College being at any time hereafter discontinued or removed from the City of Montreal, the Lord Bishop of Montreal and his successors in office shall be *ex-officio*, during their tenure of office and without money qualification, Governors of said Institution, so long only as the said College shall not be re-established in the said City of Montreal ; and provided also that, in the event of a Baptist Theological College being hereafter established in, or removed to the City of Montreal, the Principal thereof and his successors, Principals of the said College, shall also be *ex-officio*, during their tenure of office and without money qualification, Governors of the said Institution.

4. The death of any of the officers mentioned in the third section of this act or of any of their successors, or the failure of appointment of a successor to or vacancy, from time to time, in any of the aforesaid offices of Principal or the discontinuance or extinction of any of the said Colleges, shall not dissolve or other-

wise impair or affect the said Corporation, which shall continue to subsist, to all intents and purposes whatsoever, as fully and effectually as if no such death, failure of appointment of a successor or successors or vacancy or the discontinuance or extinction of any of the said Colleges had occurred.

5. The deed of donation made before E. H. Stuart, Notary Public, at Montreal, on the nineteenth day of January, eighteen hundred and seventy-eight, from the said Joseph Mackay to the said Institution, whereof a copy is printed as a schedule to this act, is hereby confirmed, subject to the clauses and conditions therein expressed, but without prejudice to any vested rights.

6. This act shall come into force on the day of its sanction.

SCHEDULE A.

DEED OF DONATION

from

JOSEPH MACKAY, Esq.,

to

The Protestant Institution for Deaf-Mutes and for the Blind.

ON THIS nineteenth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight,

Before Ernest Henry Stuart, the undersigned Public Notary for the Province of Quebec, residing at the City of Montreal.

Personally came and appeared Joseph Mackay, of the said City of Montreal, Esquire, hereinafter styled the "donor."

And the Protestant Institution for Deaf-Mutes and for the Blind, a body politic and corporate, duly incorporated under the laws of this Province, and herein acting and represented by Charles Alexander, of the City of Montreal, Esquire, President of the said Institution, hereunto duly authorized by resolutions of the Board of Managers and Board of Governors of the said Institution, passed at meetings of said Boards held on the fifth of December last, a copy whereof is hereunto annexed, signed and

paragraphed *ne varietur* by the parties hereto and said notary, the said Institution being hereinafter styled the "donee."

Which said donor, for the consideration and upon the terms and conditions hereinafter expressed and set forth, hath given, granted and confirmed, and by these presents doth give, grant and confirm, by way of donation *inter vivos à titre de donation entre vifs pure, simple et irrévocable*, subject to the conditions hereinafter mentioned, and without any promise of warranty unto the said donee thereof, accepting for itself. That is to say:

Those certain twelve lots of land, forming part of that certain plot of ground situate and being at Coteau St. Pierre, in the municipality of the Parish of Montreal, said plot of ground forming part of lot number one hundred and eighty-one (No. 181), upon the official plan and in the book of reference of said Parish of Montreal, which lots of land now given are designated as lots numbers fifty-eight, fifty-nine, sixty, sixty-one, sixty-two, sixty-three, eighty three, eighty-four, eighty-five, eighty-six, eighty-seven and eighty-eight, on the sub-division plan and book of reference of the said lot number one hundred and eight-one, made, prepared and deposited in accordance with article 2175 of the Civil Code of Lower Canada (lot No. 181, subdivisions 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87 and 88, each of the said twelve subdivision lots containing fifty feet in front by one hundred and twenty feet six inches in depth, the whole English measure, with the buildings now erected on said lot by the said donor.

With the whole the said donee declares itself content and satisfied, having seen and viewed the same previous hereto.

The donor acquired the said property from Charles Gareau, by deed of sale executed before J. Loneragan, Notary, dated the thirteenth of October, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, and duly registered in the then registration division of Montreal, on the fourth of November of the same year, under number 95,094, and the said donor hereby undertakes to pay and discharge the balance of the purchase money remaining unpaid under the said deed, with the interest thereon till paid.

The donee to enter upon and take possession of the property forthwith.

The present donation is thus made for and in consideration of the sympathy and interest which the said donor feels, and desires by the said donation to testify, for the charitable and benevolent objects for which the said Institution has been founded, and is made subject to all and every the conditions, clauses and covenants hereinafter mentioned.

The said donation is made subject to the express condition that the said land, with all the buildings which are now or may hereafter be erected thereon, shall be for ever *insaisissables* and exempt from seizure or execution at the suit of any creditor or creditors of the said donee for any cause whatsoever, and shall be held by the said donee for the uses and purposes hereinafter mentioned without the power of hypothecating, selling, alienating or disposing of the same in any manner whatever, save and except as hereinafter provided.

The said donor further declares that he makes the present donation subject to the conditions following :

First.—The said land and building shall be held by the said donee for the exclusive and perpetual use of the Protestant Deaf-Mutes of the Province of Quebec.

Second.—The principals or heads for the time being and their successors in office in perpetuity of the undermentioned colleges in the City of Montreal namely, the University of McGill College, the Church of England Theological College, the Presbyterian College of Montreal, the Congregational College of British North America and the Wesleyan Theological College shall be *ex-officio*, without money qualification and during their tenure of office in said colleges respectively, Governors of the said Protestant Institution for Deaf-Mutes and for the Blind in addition to and vested with the same powers as the Governors provided for under the Act of Incorporation of said Institution. Provided that, in the event of the said Church of England Theological College being at any time hereafter discontinued or removed from the City of Montreal, the Lord Bishop of Montreal and his successors in office shall be *ex-officio*, during their tenure in office and without money qualification, Governors of said Institution so long only as the said college shall not be reestablished in the said city of

Montreal. Further in the event of a Baptist Theological College being hereafter established in or removed to the city of Montreal, the principal or head of the college and his successors in office in perpetuity shall also be ex-officio, during their tenure of office in said College and without money qualification, Governors of the said Institution.

Third.—The said Institution shall be conducted on a Protestant non-denominational basis, and all members of the Board of Governors and Board of Managers as well as the principal professors, teachers and matron of said Institution shall be Protestant.

Fourth.—A religious service or services for the benefit of the inmates of said Institution shall be conducted within the said building, regularly on each and every Sabbath-day, and the said Board of Managers shall invite in turn the acting ministers in the churches of Montreal belonging to the several denominations represented by the principals of the theological colleges above named, to conduct said services, including the acting minister of the Baptist denomination; and should the clergyman or minister invited, fail, from any unforeseen cause, to fill his appointment, it shall be the duty of the principal of the institution to conduct service for that day.

Fifth.—The said donee undertakes, without delay, to apply for such amendments to its charter or act of incorporation as may be necessary for the purpose of giving effect to the foregoing clauses and conditions.

Sixth.—In the event, at any future time, of the land and buildings aforesaid not being required for the purposes specified, or the conditions aforesaid not being carried out, the said land and buildings may be ordered to be sold by a vote of not less than two thirds of the entire number of Life Governors, *ex-officio* Governors and Elective Governors, and all persons subscribing to said institution who shall be qualified, under the provisions of the Act of Incorporation thereof, to be elected Governors, and the proceeds of the said sale shall be divided in equal proportions among the several denominations represented by the theological colleges above named, including the Baptist denomination; said money to be expended for foreign mission work of said

churches ; provided always that the meeting of the Governors for this purpose shall be called by circulars addressed to each Governor, and by public notice in the journals of the city, for two months previous to said meeting, said circulars and public notice to specify the object for which such meeting is called.

And for the registration of this deed the parties constituted the bearer of an authentic copy hereof their Attorney, to whom they give and grant all necessary authority.

Done and passed at the said City of Montreal, in the office of Ernest H. Stuart, the said Notary, under the number twelve thousand three hundred and eighty-five, and signed by the said parties hereto, and said subscribing Notary, after due reading hereof,

(Signed)

JOSEPH MACKAY,

CHARLES ALEXANDER,

President.

E. H. STUART, N. P.

A true copy of the original hereof remaining on record in my office.

E. H. STUART, N P.

BY-LAWS
OF THE
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DEAF-MUTES AND THE BLIND.

I. For the supervision of the affairs of the Corporation, there shall be a Board of Governors, which shall be composed of not more than twenty-five Life Governors, being those persons of either sex who shall have subscribed the sum of five hundred dollars or upwards to the Institution, and who shall not be in arrear on any call made on such subscription, and of the Governors *ex officio* as called for by the amendment to the charter consequent upon the donation of Joseph Mackay, Esq., and of a like number of Elective Governors of either sex, to be chosen and elected at the Annual General meeting of the Corporation, for one year only, from those who shall have subscribed in one sum, not less than one hundred dollars to the Institution, or who shall subscribe a sum of not less than twenty-five dollars as an annual subscription for not less than five years; provided always, that no person shall be a Governor who shall not be of the Protestant faith; and that if there be more than twenty-five persons qualified to be Life Governors of the Corporation, the twenty-five persons who being otherwise qualified have priority in the order of their subscription, shall be such Life-Governors.

II. The immediate management and conduct of the Institution shall be vested in a Board of Managers, of not less than twelve in number, who shall act for three years, one third retiring annually, as fixed by By-Law No. 10, and such Board shall cause minutes of their proceedings and acts to be duly kept, and shall from time to time, report the same to the Board of Govern-

ors, as may be provided by any by-law, rule or regulation to that effect, and the Board of Managers may be in whole or in part of either sex, and shall be elected at a meeting of the Board of Governors to be held on the first Saturday of November of each year. The Board of Governors shall also then elect a President, three Vice-Presidents, three Lady Directresses, Secretary Treasurer and Physician, who shall be members of the Board of Managers and be elected annually.

III. The Annual General Meeting of the Corporation for the election of Governors and the transaction of business shall be held on the last Saturday in October of each year, at which meeting the scale of voting shall be as follows: For annual subscribers of not less than five dollars; and all persons paying for the maintenance or education of any inmate of any asylum, one vote; for contributors of larger sums, one vote in addition for each five dollars subscribed. But no subscriber or contributor shall have more than twenty votes.

IV. At all meetings of the Corporation, or the Board of Governors or Board of Managers, the voting shall be open unless a ballot is demanded by a subscriber then present.

V. The Board of Managers shall meet on the first Tuesday of each month, at which meetings as well as at those of the Board of Governors, three shall constitute a quorum. They shall have full control over the collection, investment and expenditure of all monies belonging to the Corporation, with the exception of the purchase, mortgage or sale of real estate, any of which will require the concurrence of a majority of the Board of Governors at a meeting called for the purpose, by written notice to its members, of the time, place and object of the meeting, a week before the date thereof.

It shall be the duty of the Board of Managers to audit, inspect and approve all accounts, and to order or refuse payment of the same; to engage and discharge all servants of the Corporation and to fix their wages. They shall have the general charge and care of the property of the Corporation, and they shall have power, and it shall be their duty to carry out and maintain those objects for which the Corporation has been established, and to

oversee and control—subject to the By-Laws—everything connected with the management thereof.

The Board of Managers shall submit to the Board of Governors at the annual meeting of the Corporation, a general report of their operations and a full statement of the accounts for the year ending the 30th June last past, and these accounts and statements shall be audited before each annual meeting by an accountant who shall be appointed for that purpose annually by the Board of Managers.

VI. All warrants for payment shall be signed by the President, or in his absence by the Vice-President, and by the Secretary-Treasurer.

VII. It shall be the duty of the Sec-Treasurer to keep regular minutes of the proceedings at all meetings of the Board of Managers as well as of the Sub-committees, and to lay the Minute Book containing the same before the Board of Governors at each of their meetings. He shall also give written notice to each member of the Board of Managers of all meetings. All accounts of expenditure shall pass through his hands, and shall be laid by him once a month before the Board of Managers for their examination and approval, preparatory to their being discharged; he shall also sign all warrants for the payment of such accounts, and he shall keep a correct account in the books of the Corporation of all receipts and expenditures and produce the bank-book of the Institution for the inspection of the Managers.

VIII. All and every the funds and property of the Corporation shall be appropriated and applied solely for the purposes of the Corporation, and the payment of all such outlays and expenditure as may legitimately be incurred in connection therewith, and for carrying into effect the objects contemplated by the Act of Incorporation, subject, however, to the special provisions contained in that Act; provided always that any surplus amount shall be from time to time invested in public securities, or in the security of mortgages within the city of Montreal, or in the bonds of public institutions or such other securities as a resolution of the Managers may direct and no other, and the said Corporation shall have power to mortgage on its immovable property, for any part of the

purchase money thereof, or for the purpose only of obtaining funds for the erection and maintenance of the building or buildings necessary for the Institution.

IX. The Board of managers shall at their monthly meeting appoint two members as a Visiting Committee, whose duty it shall be to visit the institution and supervise its management during the ensuing month.

X. The one-third of the managers who shall retire annually subject to re-election shall be the first names on the roll of the managers for the past year.

XI. Any vacancy caused by the death, resignation or permanent disability of any Elective Governor, shall be filled by the election, by the remaining Governors, of a duly qualified person to supply his place. Any vacancy* in the Board of Managers occurring by the death, resignation or permanent disability of any member thereof shall be filled by the election, by the Board of Managers, of a qualified member to supply such vacancy, and the term of office of such person so elected shall be the same as that of the person whom he replaced.

XII. Any of these By Laws may be altered, repealed or suspended by consent of two-thirds of the members present at the annual meeting, or at a meeting of the Board of Governors specially convened for that purpose, provided that such alteration, repeal or suspension shall have been specified in the notice summoning the meeting. A month's notice shall be given of such a meeting, and it *shall* be convened on the written request of ten subscribers.

TERMS OF ADMISSION.

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The Mackay Institution for Protestant Deaf-mutes is a **BOARDING SCHOOL** for the Education and moral and industrial training of Protestant Deaf-mutes. It is not an asylum.

I. Every child admitted shall be deaf and dumb ; shall not be deficient in intellect ; not subject to fits ; not labouring under any infectious disorder ; shall have been vaccinated, or have had the small-pox, and must be of good moral character.

Clause II. The fees to be charged to paying pupils will be learned on application to the Secretary. These fees are to be paid quarterly in advance. In poor, deserving, or special cases the managers on presentation of the facts may reduce their regular rates for tuition and board, and are prepared to receive destitute pupils free on a recommendation to that effect from reliable parties.

III. Pupils will be admitted into the Institution between the ages of seven (7) and fifteen (15) ; special cases being younger or older will be taken into consideration.

IV. The duties of the school will commence on the Second Wednesday in September annually.

V. The annual vacation will commence on the Third Wednesday in June, when all the pupils are expected to go home for the holidays.

VI. The pupils are not to go home at Christmas. All the comforts common at that festival season will be provided for the children at the Institution, and the duties of the school will be suspended only on Christmas day and New Year's day.

VII. The following questions must be answered and attested by the Minister of the Church to which the child or its parents belong and by a Medical Practitioner :—

1. What is the name of the child?
2. When and where was the child born?
3. What are the names and occupation of its parents?
4. Of what nationality are the latter?
5. State the full address of the child's parents and nearest Post-office.
6. Was the child born deaf? or at what age or by what disease did it become deaf?
7. Has the child ever been afflicted with fits, or any other nervous affection?
8. Has the child had the small-pox or been vaccinated?
9. Has it had the measles or scarlet fever?
10. Is the child generally healthy?
11. Can the child dress and wait on itself, and are its personal habits cleanly?
12. Does the child make intelligible signs and give proof of memory?
13. How many brothers and sisters are there in the family?
14. Are there any other members of the family deaf and dumb?
15. Were the parents of the child in any way related?
16. What are the parents able to pay for board and tuition?

CLOTHING OF PUPILS.

FOR A BOY.—Two dresses complete; four shirts; four handkerchiefs; four neckerchiefs; four pairs of knitted worsted stockings; two pairs of good boots or shoes; overshoes; two hats or caps; a warm overcoat; two pairs of woollen gloves; a pair of slippers; tooth-comb; comb and hair-brush in a bag and a tooth-brush.

One of the suits must be plain and strong for every-day wear, and the other should be of dark cloth.

FOR A GIRL.—Four shifts ; four pairs of stockings ; two flannel petticoats ; two dark skirts ; two pairs of stays ; two dark stuff frocks ; six pinafores or aprons ; four handkerchiefs ; a pair of slippers ; two pairs of boots or shoes ; overshoes ; a warm cloak or shawl ; two bonnets or hats ; two pairs of gloves ; tooth-comb ; comb and hair-brush in a bag and a tooth-brush.

It is expected that all children shall have their clothing of good quality and in good condition, and deficiencies shall be supplied every midsummer, and all the clothes shall be marked with the **FULL NAME** of the boy or girl.

FREE PUPILS.

All candidates for free admission must be the children of poor Protestant parents in the Province of Quebec, and their application shall be considered by the Board of Managers.

Children elected for free admission shall receive their board and education gratuitously—the only expense to the parents being that of clothing.

An engagement must be entered into by two responsible housekeepers to provide such children with proper clothing, and in case of sickness, death or any other cause which may be found to render children ineligible, to remove them from the Institution upon receiving due notice.

ADDRESS OF LETTERS.

All letters respecting the admission of pupils, etc., should be addressed to the Secretary, Philip S. Ross, 182 St. James street, Montreal, P. Q., or to Miss H. E. McGann, Lady Superintendent, P. O. Box No. 9, Cote St. Antoine, Montreal, P. Q.

Letters intended for this institution should always have the name "Mackay" on the address, in order to distinguish it from the two Roman Catholic schools for deaf-mutes in Montreal.

FORM OF A BEQUEST.

I give and bequeath to the "MACKAY INSTITUTION
FOR PROTESTANT DEAF-MUTES AND THE BLIND,"
Montreal, incorporated by the Legislature of the Province of
Quebec, in the year 1866, the sum of.
dollars.

(Signed.)

RULES AND REGULATIONS.

I.

The male and female pupils while in the Institution are to be kept separate, and to remain in their respective departments, meeting together only in the school-room for instruction and worship, and in the dining-room for meals, and then they are to be in charge of the Teachers and Lady Superintendent, or of such other persons as the Managers may approve.

II.

The girls, when out of school hours, to be in charge of the Lady Superintendent, Housekeeper or Assistant Teacher (if a female), and when out of doors to be in charge of some responsible person appointed by the Lady Superintendent. Non paying pupils to be made useful about the Institution out of school hours.

III.

The boys out of school hours, and in the workshops, to be in charge of the Principal or Supervisor.

IV.

The boys and girls under 12 years of age to retire at 7.30 p.m., punctually, and all the rest of the pupils at 9 p.m.

V.

The pupils are not to leave the institution without the permission of the Lady Superintendent, except on occasions when requested by the Principal.

VI.

None of the pupils are to leave or be kept from their regular studies without the permission of their teachers. Hours for study to be fixed by Managers and the pupils are to be present from 9 to 12 and 1.30 to 3 p.m.

VII.

No person not connected with the Institution is allowed to stay or take any meal or sleep in it without the special permission of the Lady Superintendent, but parents of pupils coming from a distance for their children, or to bring them to the Institution may be accommodated with meals or a night's lodgings, if the case requires it, and if permitted by the Lady Superintendent.

VIII,

Sunday School to be held in the morning, and service in the afternoon, at which deaf-mutes from the city may attend, but the non-pupils are not to be allowed to go through the building without the permission of the Lady Superintendent.

IX.

The Caretaker is to see that the lights are extinguished at 10 p.m., and the premises properly secured. He is also forbidden to keep more than 20 (twenty) gallons of coal oil in the building, and he must use the greatest care with the lamps. He is also to take entire charge of the furnaces, water tanks, and to see that they are kept well filled. The lighting of the range, removal of ashes, and the cleaning of the boys' water closets, are to be the Caretaker's duties. To see that two pails of water are to be kept standing in each bath-room for use in case of fire, with such others as are fixed from time to time.

X.

The children are not to have access to their bed-rooms from the morning until the time for retiring, unless with permission from the Lady Superintendent.

XI.

The children are to proceed to and from their meals in line.

XII.

At the end of each table, nominated by the Lady Superintendent, some one should be placed to superintend the pupils at their meals.

XIII.

The bed rooms of the girls are to be visited by the Lady Superintendent, and those of the boys by the Principal or Supervisor before 10 o'clock every night, to see that the lights are extinguished and all things in order.

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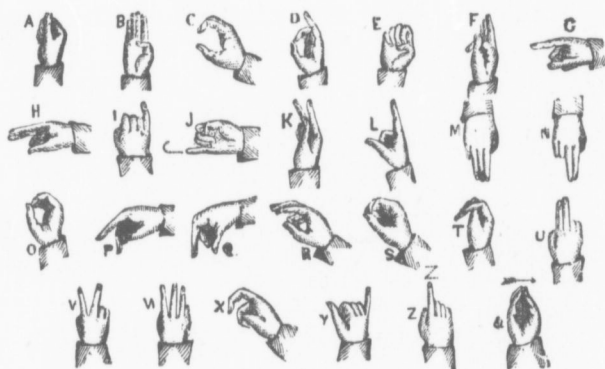
The pupils are not to go home at the Christmas holidays.

APPEAL FOR THE DEAF AND DUMB.

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(The following lines, pleading for means to give deaf-mutes an education, were penned by an old teacher of that class, who recently died in Australia.)

We plead for those who cannot tell,
Of pain or pleasure, joy or grief,
Whose pulse may throb, or heart may break,
But cannot ask relief.
Fit objects these for sympathy—
Who cannot speak to tell their woe,
And who, without "Especial care,"
But little good can know.
Within their silent homes, by them
No pleasant sounds were ever heard,
No sportive children's merry laugh,
No mother's soothing word.
They joy not in the song of birds,
The rippling stream, the stirring breeze,
Nature's sweet music hath
For them no power to please.
No Sabbath bells—no teacher's voice,
Or holy songs delight their ears,
No promises excite their hopes,
Nor warnings raise their fears.
And yet they are immortal souls,
Like us, created to endure,
When heaven and earth have pass'd away,
And time shall be no more—
Ah! who shall teach these helpless ones,
Of life and immortality,
Unfold before their wakening minds
Each glorious mystery.
Tell of His love who framed the world,
His love who freely died to save,
Tell of the endless blessedness
For them beyond the grave.
Thank God it can—is done;
And all are called to render aid,
In this good work so faithfully
Be every effort made.
Remember what the Saviour saith
Of every Christian Charity—
"Who giveth unto the least of these,
He giveth unto ME."



THE ONE HANDED ALPHABET.



THE TWO HANDED ALPHABET.