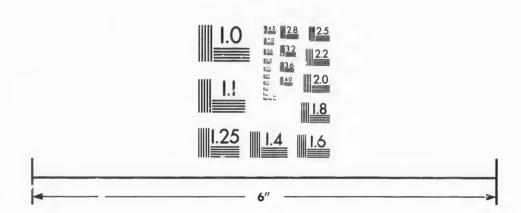


IMAGE EVALUATION TEST TARGET (MT-3)



Photographic Sciences Corporation

23 WEST MAIN STREET WEBSTER, N.Y. 14580 (716) 872-4503

OIM VIME GENERAL COLUMN

Ca

CIHM/ICMH Microfiche Series. CIHM/ICMH Collection de microfiches.



Canadian Institute for Historical Microreproductions / Institut canadien de microreproductions historiques



(C) 1987

Technical and Bibliographic Notes/Notes techniques et bibliographiques

The Institute has attempted to obtain the best original copy available for filming. Features of this copy which may be bibliographically unique, which may alter any of the images in the reproduction, or which may significantly change the usual method of filming, are checked below.				qu'il de c poin une mod	L'Institut a microfilmé le meilleur exemplaire qu'il lui a été possible de se procurer. Les détails de cet exemplaire qui sont peut-être uniques du point de vue bibliographique, qui peuvent modifier une image reproduite, ou qui peuvent exiger une modification dans la méthode normale de filmage sont indiqués ci-dessous.				
Z	Coloured covers/ Couverture de coule	ur			Coloured Pages de				
	Covers damaged/ Couverture endomn	nagée			Pages dan	_	es		
	Covers restored and Couverture restauré				Pages res				
	Cover title missing/ Le titre de couvertu				Pages déc				es
	Coloured maps/ Cartes géographique	es en couleur			Pages det Pages dét				
	Coloured ink (i.e. ot Encre de couleur (i.e.				Showthro Transpare	•			
	Coloured plates and Planches et/ou illus				Quality of Qualité in			ion	
	Bound with other m Relié avec d'autres				includes s Comprend				е
	Tight binding may of along interior margi Lare liure serrée per distorsion le long de	in/ ut causer de l'	ombre ou de		Only editi Seule édit	ion dispo	enible ertially ob		
	Blank leaves added appear within the to have been omitted if se peut que certa fors d'une restaurat mais, lorsque cela é pas été filmées.	ext. Whenever from filming/ ines pages bla ion apparaisso	r possible, the inches ajouté int dans le te:	es xte,	slips, tissuensure the Les pages obscurcies etc., ont é obtenir la	best po totale-ne par un t té filmée	ssible ima ent ou par feuillet d'es à nouve	age/ rtiellemer errata, un eau de fac	it e pelure,
	Additional commen Commentaires supp								
	s item is filmed at the								
102		G LEGA GE TEG	18X	22X		26X		30 X	
			1						
	12X	16X	20	X	24X		28X		32X

The co

Th impossib of the filming

Original beginn the lassion, of other of first passion, a or illustration.

The lasshall c

Maps, differe entirel beginn right a require metho The copy filmed here has been reproduced thanks to the generosity of:

The Nova Scotia Legislative Library

ifier

ge

lure.

The images appearing here are the best quality possible considering the condition and legibility of the original copy and in keeping with the filming contract specifications.

Original copies in printed paper covers are filmed beginning with the front cover and ending on the last page with a printed or illustrated impression, or the back cover when appropriate. All other original copies are filmed beginning on the first page with a printed or illustrated impression, and ending on the last page with a printed or illustrated impression.

The last recorded frame on each microfiche shall contain the symbol → (meaning "CONTINUED"), or the symbol ▼ (meaning "END"), whichever applies.

Maps, plates, charts, etc., may be filmed at different reduction ratios. Those too large to be entirely included in one exposure are filmed beginning in the upper left hand corner, left to right and top to bottom, as many frames as required. The following diagrams illustrate the method:

L'exemplaire filmé fut reproduit grâce à la générosité de:

The Nova Scotia Legislative Library

Les Images suivantes ont été reproduites avec le plus grand soin, compte tenu de la condition et de la netteté de l'exemplaire filmé, et en conformité avec les conditions du contrat de filmage.

Les exemplaires originaux dont la couverture en papier est imprimée sont filmés en commençant par le premier plat et en terminant soit par la dernière page qui comporte une empreinte d'impression ou d'illustration, solt par la second plat, selon le cas. Tous les autres exemplaires originaux sont filmés en commençant par la première page qui comporte une emprointe d'impression ou d'illustration et en terminant par la dernière page qui comporte une telle empreinte.

Un des symboles suivants apparaîtra sur la dernière image de chaque microfiche, selon le cas: le symbole → signifie "A SUIVRE", le symbole ▼ signifie "FIN".

Les cartes, planches, tableaux, etc., peuvent être filmés à des taux de réduction différents.

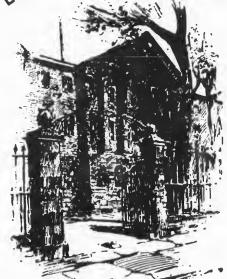
Lorsque le document est trop grand pour être reproduit en un seul cliché, il est filmé à partir de l'angle supérleur gauche, de gauche à droite, et de haut en bas, en prenant le nombre d'images nécessaire. Les diagrammes suivants illustrent la méthode.

1	2	3

1	
2	
3	

1	2	3		
4	5	6		

NOVA SCOTIA LEGISLATIVE LIBRAPL



PROVINCE HOUSE

SCHOLARSHIP, ETC.,

J. A. McLELLAN, M. A.,

(UNIVERSITY COLLEGE, TORONTO,)

Principal of the Parmouth Seminary.

YARMOUTH, N. S.: 1865.



TESTIMONIALS

of

SCHOLARSHIP, ETC.,

0F

J. A. M°LELLAN, M. A.,

(UNIVERSITY COLLEGE, TORONTO,)

Principal of the Yarmouth Seminary.

YARMOUTH, N. S.: 1865. N. 9-165

Cambridge Press.

DARIN AND METCALF.

2202

by the char self, thus no has a

W

Te attendand taughten

CERT

LETTERS AND CERTIFICATES

F.ROM

SCHOOL AUTHORITIES, ETC.

From the Board of Trustees, Oshawa Central School.
OSHAWA, 23d December, 1856.

We hereby certify that J. A. McLellan has been employed by vs as Principal of the Oshawa Central School, and has discharged the important duties of that position with credit to himself, and to our entire satisfaction. We have great pleasure in thus expressing our approbation of his services, and we have no hesitation in recommending him to Boards of Trustees as a teacher possessing both tact and ability.

WM. McGill, M. D.,
Edward Dunn, Secretary,
David Spaulding, Chairman,
John Briton,
Board School Trustees, Oshawa C. School, C. W.

Normal School Certificate.

NORMAL SCHOOL FOR UPPER CANADA.

This is to Certify, That James A. McLellan, having attended the Normal School during the eighteenth session, 1857, and having been carefully examined in the several branches taught therein, is hereby recommended to the Chief Superintendent of Education, as eligible to receive a First Class Certificate (A) of Qualification, as a Common School

Teacher in Upper Canada, according to the "Programme of the Examination and Classification of Common School Teachers," adopted by the Council of Public Instruction, on the third day of October, 1850.

Thos. J. Robertson, M. A., Head Master. W. Ormiston, M. A., Second Master.

car wh

into

his

1

her

us a ly t

reg

grea cou

whi

oug

vari

of t

of s

arsh

afte

Mai

be l

by a

In accordance with the foregoing recommendation, and under the authority vested in the Chief Superintendent of Education, by the 44th Section of the Upper Canada School Act of 1850 (13th and 14th Victoria, Chap. 48), I DO HEREBY GRANT to James Alexander McLellan, a First Class Certificate of Qualification (A), which certificate shall be valid in any part of Upper Canada, until revoked by this Department.

Dated at the Education Office, Toronto, this fifteenth day of October, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven.

J. GEORGE HODJINS, Deputy Supt. of Education for U. C.

Registered in Certificate Register (A) of the Department, Number 488.

THOMAS HODJINS, Registrar.

From the Rev. Wm. Caven, Supt. of St. Mary's Schools.

I have great pleasure in bearing testimony to the ability, zeal, fidelity, and success with which Mr. McLellan has taught the highest Department of the St. Mary's Central School (of which he was Principal), during the last eighteen months. His discharge of his special duties as Principal has not been less satisfactory. Mr. McLellan possesses in a high degree the power of rendering their studies interesting to his pupils, as has been evident not only at public examinations, but on occasion of the informal visits which I have paid the school from time to time. This is to be ascribed very much to the thoroughness with which the various branches have been taught,—their principles always being carefully explained,—and to the zeal and energy which have been so conspicuously manifested. Mr. McLellan, on leaving this place to prosecute his studies at Toronto University,

carries with him the good will and esteem of the community in which he has taught; and there are none capable of judging intelligently of the subject, who will refuse to say that the educational interests of this town have been greatly promoted by his labors in the Central School.

WM. CAVEN, Superintendent for St. Mary's.

St. Mary's, C. W., 24th September, 1860.

From the Board of Trustees, Town of St. Mary's, Canada West.

20th September, 1860.

We, the undersigned, Trustees of the St. Mary's Schools, hereby certify that J. A. McLellan has been employed by us as a Principal of the Central School during a period of nearly two years, and has now resigned his position much to the regret of the Trustees and community of St. Mary's. We have great pleasure in stating that Mr. McLellan has been all we could wish as a teacher. The Normal School system — of which Mr. McLellan is a faithful exponent - has been thoroughly carried out, and its efficiency satisfactorily tested, in the various departments of the Central School; and the proficiency of the pupils under his own supervision, in the higher subjects of study, bears ample testimony to Mr. McLellan's sound scholarship and excellency as a teacher. Should Mr McLellan, after completing his University course, wish to return to St. Mary's, we have no hesitation in saying that his return would be hailed with pleasure, not only by the Board of Trustees, but by a large majority of the inhabitants of St. Mary's.

JOSHUA BRINK, Chairman, WALTER MITCHELL, Secretary, GEO. McIntyre, ROBERT FLAWS, DANIEL McDougall,

B. S. T., St. Mary's, C. W.

1*

mme of Teachon the

Master. r.

under ucation, f 1850

TE OF

day of

r U. C. 88. sistrar.

zeal, at the which dissatisower been the

ime.
hich
vays
nich
on

ity,

Grammar School Certificate.

(UPPER CANADA.)

COMMITTEE ROOM, Jan. 9, 1862.

We earlify that we have examined J. A. McLellan in the programme prescribed by the Council of Public Instruction, for candidate for Grammar School teacher, and we hereby license the said J. A. McLellan to teach in any Grammar School in Canada West.

Signed, on behalf of the Committee of Examiners,

T. J. Robertson, M. A.,

Chairman of Committee of Examiners of Candidates for Grammar School Certificates.

From the St. Mary's (C. W.) Argus, of Sept. 2?, 1864.

OUR SCHOOL PRINCIPAL. - We stated last week that we were likely to lose our excellent Union School principal. It will be seen, by the following resolution, that he has already tendered his resignation: Moved by T. B. Guest, Esq., seconded by Mr. McFadden, That Mr. McLellan's resignation be not accepted, but that his salary be at the rate of \$1000 per annum, and that \$50 be added to his salary for the present year. Carried unanimously

From the Rev. William Caren, now Professor of Exegetical Divinity in Knox's College, Toronto.

I have great pleasure in hearing most favorable testimony to the qualifications and success of J. A. McLellan as a teacher. He has taught in St. Mary's for several years: first as Principal of the Central School, and afterwards as Principal of the Union Central and Grammar School, and teacher of the Grammar School department. Regarding Mr. McLellan's competency, so far as scholarship is concerned, it is unnecessary for me to say anything; this is sufficiently attested by his high standing in the University of which he is a graduate. I may be permitted, however, to refer to the great energy which characterizes his teach-

ing fest alte nou his the able lan hig

> Ma met ver the awa

> > 1 ing was opii

> > Gra

S

wit ing lan, dur lish mai

whi

Lig

mei inst pep ing, to his tact, and to the interest which he has always manifested in the progress of his pupils. The success which has attended Mr. McLellan's labors in this place is very conspicuous, and, so far as I know, is acknowledged by all. Many of his scholars are now teaching around St. Mary's, and two of them in the St. Mary's Central School; and their very remarkable success is certainly not the least flattering of Mr. McLellan's testimonials. It should also be stated, that a taste for the higher branches of an English education, and especially for Mathematics and English, cording to the more thorough method in which it is now taught in our best schools, has been very much diffused among the young of this place by means of the enthusiasm in study which Mr. McLellan has succeeded in awakening in the St. Mary's Central School.

WM. CAVEN, Sup't. of Calvols.

St. Mary's, C. W., July 30th, 1863.

From the Argus, Sept. 29, 1864.

MEETING OF BOARD OF TRUSTEES. — A committee, consisting of Messrs. Robertson, McFadden, Barbour, and Whimster, was appointed to draw up a document expressive of the high opinion the Board entertains of Mr. McLellan's ability as a Grammar School teacher, and the regret they feel in parting with him; the same to be signed by the Chairman. The following is the document referred to, and which has been handed to us for publication: "This is to certify that James A. McLellan, Esq., M. A., has held the position of teacher in our Town during the greater part of the last six years; and since the establishment of our Grammar School, in 1861, he has been Grammar School Master, and Principal of our Union School, during which time he has given the utmost satisfaction. Although the high standing which our school has attained under his management, of itself speaks volumes as to his eminent ability as an instructor of youth, we would add that he is not only highly popular here, but throughout this section of Western Canada is

o 9, 1862.

In in the ction, for y liceuse School in

A., lidates for

It will endered ded by not ac-

Divinity

Car-

ony to acher. ncipal Union mmar cy, so o say n the how-

each-

held in high estimation by all those who watch with interest the educational advancement of this Province. We need hardly state that it is with the greatest reluctance we part with Mr. McLellan. He carries with him our highest esteem and sincere well-wishes. We hope he may long be spared in his sphere of usefulness, and that the eminent success which has hitherto characterized his labours may attend him in whatever situation it may please Divine Providence to place him.

D. A. Robertson, Chairman.

From the Yarmouth (N. S.) Herald, 22d July, 1865.

EDUCATIONAL. - Thursday and Friday of last week were occupied in an examination of the different Departments of the Yarmouth Seminary. The attendance of visitors during both days was such as to show that the community generally are becoming more and more interested in the cause of education. We are also happy to be able to say that the visitors were well pleased with the manner in which the pupils answered the questions proposed to them. The examination in all the Departments was of such a nature as to test the real attainments of the pupils. . . . Our time was devoted to the High School, and particularly to the room occupied by the classes under the immediate superintendence of the Principal, Mr. McLellan. And though we are aware that the exercises in the Primary and Grammar School Departments are more generally interesting than "Exponential Theorems and Logarithms," or the "Solution of Triangles," or "Latin Orations," or "Greek History," we felt it both a duty and a privilege to sit and listen to the examination of the students in these branches. Principal McLellan is evidenly at home in the branches of study just named. He is also an earnest and effective teacher. His aim is to teach his pupils to think, and at the same time so to direct their thoughts that all mental effort shall be expended to the best advantage. We do not intend to institute any comparison between the "High School" in Yarmouth, and the various collegiate

institu will sa cular' to be ing th attend far we ond te table Algeb as the dents tutions mendi manag in the wlth r the Se audien

in suc

are co

Mr. neere re of charmay

were f the both e betion. well quespartf the and nmeAnd and

Lelmed.
each
cheir
adveen
giate

sting Soory,"

institutions in other parts of the Province; but this much we will say, that having examined with considerable care the "Circular" issued six months ago, setting forth the course of study to be pursued, we were prepared to expect that students attending this Seminary would rank with those of the same "year" attending colleges in this Province or in other places: and so far we are not mistaken. The students have completed the second term of the "first year," and they have passed a very creditable examination in Latin, Greck, French, English, Euclid. Algebra, History, &c.; and with another term as well employed as the two last, they cannot fail to come out on a level with students (of one year's standing) attending other collegiate institutions. Judging from report, we also feel warranted in recommending the Female Department, which is under the immediate management of Miss Lanc, as one of the best Female Seminaries in the Province. The evening of the second day was taken up with music and recitations. On that occasion, the large hall of the Seminary was crowded to its utmost capacity by a delighted audience; and the students, male and female, acquitted themselves in such way as to reflect credit on the institution with which they are connected.

TESTIMONIALS

FROM

EMINENT SCHOLARS AND EDUCATORS.

From T. J. Robertson, M. A., Principal Upper Canada Normal School.

NORMAL SCHOOL, 11th January, 1858.

My Dear Sir,-I am in receipt of your letter of the 5th inst., stating your intention of applying for the office of Superintendent of Schools. On this subject I take the opportunity of stating that, in general, none but a skilful teacher can inspect a school effectively, because he ought to be prepared to examine every class according to some recognized system of teaching: he should also be capable of organizing a school, and of advising a teacher in difficulties, &c., &c. A merely well educated gentleman can rarely do this, any more than I can take charge of the School of Anatomy. Hence I have always been of opinion that the office of Superintendent should be the reward of superior teachers, and should be made worth their acceptance. I have every confidence in your being able to discharge the duties of that office, and have great pleasure in recommending you for it. I remain, my dear sir, yours very truly,

THOS. J. ROBERTSON, M. A.,

Principal Normal and Model Schools for Upper Canada.

Mr. J. A. McLellan.

Fro

N info tend of tl fore gain meta thes be r exar requ strei thon to th othe: der t of su my l

Fron

teacl

J. stand
I was

From Rev. James Beavan, D. D. (Oxon.) Professor of Metaphysics, Ethics, and Civil Polity, Univ. Coll., Toronto.

University College, 4th Aug. 1864.

My DEAR SIR, - It gives me great pleasure to state, for the information of any person whom it may concern, that you attended my lectures in ethics, metaphysics, &c., during the whole of the session 1861-2; and, that at your final examination before the University, besides the other honors you obtained, you gained first class honors, entitling you to a medal in logic, ethics, metaphysics, and civil polity. Any person acquainted with these subjects, and with the books required by the University to be read in order to obtain this medal, and with the nature of the examination itself, will be sensible that the study of the works required a previous preparation, which must have enlarged and strengthened the mind, besides an amount of application and thought in preparing for the examination itself, which will add to these effects, and which, especially, when united with the other subjects in which you obtained honors, would tend to render the person who has pursued this course of study a man of of superior information, and a highly qualified instructor. With my best wishes for your success in the arduous profession of teaching,

I remain, dear sir,

Yours faithfully,

JAMES BEAVAN, D. D.,

Professor of Metaphysics, Ethics, and Civ. Pol., Univ. Coll., Toronto.

From the Rev. Wm. Ormiston, D. D. Late Inspector of Grammar Schools for U. C.

HAMILTON, Jan. 23, 1864.

J. A. McLellan, M. A., Teacher, attained a very high standing as a student of the Provincial Normal School, of which I was at that time one of the masters, and he has since been one

RS.

School. , 1858.

he 5th Superrtunity inspect xamine ching:

lvising d genurge of pinion

supece. I

duties ou for

. Canada. of our most successful teachers. When last, as Inspector, I visited the St. Mary's Grammar School, in 1862, of which he was then head master, I was highly pleased with the order and activity everywhere manifested, and with the progress and proficiency of the scholars during the year.

Mr. McLellan is, in my opinion, well qualified, by natural endowments, scholastic attainments, and personal experience, efficiently to conduct any grammar school in the Province; and his character, so far as known to me, is above reproach. I can most heartily commend him to any Board of Trustees who may require his services; and most heartily do I wish him success in the profession to which he has devoted himself, and for which he seems so admirably adapted.

WM. ORMISTON.

From Professor Robertson, Principal U. C. Normal School.

This is to certify, that J. A. McLellan, M. A., at present Principal of St. Mary's Union School, attended the Normal School for Upper Canada, and obtained the highest certificate the institution could award. During his attendance on lectures, Mr. McLellan exhibited great assiduity, zeal, and ability as a student, and in every respect merited my warmest approbation. Mr. McLellan has since been engaged, for several years past, in the profession of teaching, and has throughout been very successful, manifesting, invariably, earnest zeal, and great efficiency, and always obtaining the fullest confidence of his employers. Since leaving this institution, he has graduated in the University of Toronto, and taken his degree of Master of Arts; he has also obtained many honors and scholarships, in various branches, and completed his course with great credit to himself.

THOS. J. ROBERTSON, Principal of U. C. Normal School.

FEBRUARY 16, 1864.

 $F_{l'}$

Mo wh

uat maj

N

you tion men Witl lieve of ou self. versi every in dif amina one b physi a yea you t worth by the

receiv

in our

From Dan'l Wilson, LL. D. (of Univ. Coll., Toronto, C. W.) Author of "Pre-Historic Man," &c.

I have great pleasure in bearing testimony to Mr. J. A. McLellan's assiduity and zeal, as a student in my department, while attending the lectures of University College.

I feel assured, from what I saw of him during his undergraduate course, that he will prove an *efficient* teacher, wherever he may be appointed.

DAN. WILSON,
Professor of History and Eng. Lit.
UNIVERSITY COLLEGE, TORONTO, 13th Feb., 1864.

From Thomas Moss, Esq. M. A., Registrar of Toronto University.

My Dear Sir, -It has given me great pleasure to learn that you have been appointed Principal of so important an institution as the Yarmouth Seminary. I look upon your appointment as a compliment in some degree to the University itself. Without desiring to flatter you, however, I may say that I believe it would have been difficult to select from the whole body of our graduates one better qualified for the position than your-I have been glancing through the class-lists of the University with an eye to your performances; and I find, that, in every year of your undergraduate course, you took high honors in different subjects, especially mathematics. At the final examination for the degree of B. A., you obtained two medals, one being in mathematics, and the other in logic, ethics, metaphysics, and civil polity; and that, too, although you graduated in a year when the competition was exceedingly keen. When you took your M. A. Degree, your Thesis was adjudged worthy of a prize, — an honor made all the more distinguished by the fact that at that time only two other persons had ever received it since the establishment of the University. I find also, in our class-lists, evidences of your success as a teacher; for at

spector, I which he rder and cress and

natural perience, nee; and pach. I tees who him sucand for

MISTON.

hool.

Normal Principles of the lectures, lity as a robation. It is past, ery succefficient ployers. University he has ranches,

rson, al School. the last fiatriculation examination in arts, two candidates trained by you obtained first class honors in classics and mathematics respectively. I make no doubt that a similar, and, indeed, a more abundant, measure of success will attend your efforts in the more enlarged sphere to which you have been called in the sister province; and I assure you that it will always give me sincere pleasure to hear of your continued prosperity.

Yours truly,

THOMAS Moss, Registrar.

C

h

aı

U

in

ra tu

T

Me Ae

my

COL

Free

Me

sue

ver

pos

tact

an a

seeu

Mr. Can cien

J. A. McLellan, M. A., Yarmouth, N. S.

From Prof. Robertson, of the Normal School for Upper Canada.

NORMAL SCHOOL, 23d June, 1860.

My Dear Sir,— In reply to your letter, asking me to recommend you for a Superintendentship of Schools, I have great pleasure in stating that, both from my knowledge of you formerly while in training in the Normal School, and of your highly successful course since, both as a Teacher, and as a Student of Toronto University, in which you have frequently exhibited marked ability and superior information, by obtaining the highest honors, you are, in my opinion, one of the fittest persons that could possibly be selected for the situation of Superintendent of Schools; and I trust sincerely, for the sake of popular education in Canada, that you will obtain the appointment.

Believe me, yours very truly,

THOS. J. ROBERTSON, M. A.,

Head Master of Normal and Model Schools for U. C.

JAS. A. McLellan,

Principal Central School, St. Mary's.

From John McCaul, LL. D., T.C.D., President of University College, Toronto.

I hereby certify that J. A. MeLellan, M. A., was for some time a student of University College, whilst he was pro-

eeeding to the degree of Baehelor of Arts. During that time, he applied himself with remarkable diligence to all the prescribed subjects of study; and his proficiency in Mathematics and Metaphysics and Ethics was such, that he was placed, at the University examination for B. A., in the First Class of Honors, in each of those departments, whilst he was at the same time ranked in a similarly distinguished position in English Literature, History, Logic, and Civil Polity. His qualifications as a Teacher are very superior; for, in addition to his varied actinments, the extent and accuracy of which are attested by the high Academic distinctions which he obtained, he has great experience in instruction, and in the management of schools. From my knowledge of his character, I am persuaded that he will conscientiously discharge any duty which he may undertake.

JOHN McCAUL, President.

UNIVERSITY COLLEGE, Toronto, Jan. 23d, 1864.

From J. H. Sangster, M. A., M. D., Professor of Mathematics and Natural Sciences, in the Normal School for U. C.

I have been for several years past acquainted with J. A. McLellan, M. A., and have been led, from my knowledge of his success and ability as a teacher and disciplinarian, to form a very high estimate of him as an Instructor. He is, moreover, possessed of high scholastic attainments, and has the requisite tact and experience in the management of schools, together with an amount of energy and indomitable perseverance such as to secure the most perfect success. I can confidently recommend Mr. McLellan for the Mastership of any Grammar School in Canada. He has given evidence of his thoroughness and efficiency in St. Mary's and elsewhere.

JOHN H. SANGSTER, M. A., M. D., Prof. Math. and Nat. Sciences, Normal School, U. C.

s trained hematics indeed, a efforts in d in the give me

egistrar.

inada. ne, 1860.

e to reve great
formerr highly
udent of
xhibited
ne high-

sons that ndent of dueation

A., for U. C.

College,

was for vas proFrom T. J. Robertson, M. A., Head Muster Normal School for U. C. NORMAL SCHOOL, 28th Sept., 1860.

Mr. J. A. McLellan, late Head Master of the St. Mary's Central School, wishes to obtain the position of English Master of the Toronto Grammar School, during the time he remains in Toronto to complete his University course. I think you cannot, by any possibility, make a better selection, in every respect. I can say no more than this, which is the highest recommendation in my power to give. Yours, truly,

THOS. J. ROBERTSON, Head Master Normal and Model Schools for U. C. \mathbf{n}

r

m

ti

in

tlı

hi

Tc

fou

ada

of

ver

hig

Cou

cha

tain

the

Car

To M. C. Howe, LI. D.

From J. B. Cherriman, M. A., late Fellow of St. John's College, Cambridge, and Professor of Mathematics and Natural Philosophy in Toronto University.

University College, Toronto, 31st December, 1863.

J. A. McLellan, M. A., graduated in the University of Toronto in 1862, and in the examinations then held was placed in the first class of honor in the two departments of Mathematics and Metaphysics, and Ethics with Civil Polity, carrying off a medal in each ("as well as obtaining first class honors in English Literature, History, and Ethnology,"), a distinction which had been only twice before obtained since the establishment of the University; and the value of this distinction is, in my opinion, much enhanced by the fact that throughout his University course Mr. McLellan was almost constantly engaged in the laborious occupation of master of a Grammar School. I was an examiner at the University examinations at which Mr. McLellan presented himself, and in which he always gained his first class in Mathematics, on three occasions obtaining a University Scholarship. Mr. McLellan also attended my classes in University College during part of his course, so that I had ample opportunities of forming an opinion of his character and abilities, and I have pleasure in stating that this opinion is in the highest degree favorable.

for U. C.
ot., 1860.
Mary's
Master of
as in Toannot, by
I can
lation in

s for U.C.

ge, Camosophy in

r, 1863. ersity of s placed

Polity, rst class), a disince the

almost almost almost are of a yexamn which a three cLellan part of

ning an sure in vorable. I consider him to possess great Mathematical power, and to have cultivated it with very commendable industry and perseverance. I noted him also as being not only a successful student, but an original and independent thinker, with no small facility of expression. In other respects, his character commanded my admiration and esteem; for, in addition to his moral worth, he possesses that energy and authority which are essential to the formation of a first rate teacher; and I have had reason to know that his success as a teacher has justified my estimate, as one of his students took a first class in Mathematics as B. A., this year. I may further state, that, at the time it was in contemplation to appoint a Mathematical Tutor in University College, I had fixed on Mr. McLellan to occupy this position. I can with the greatest confidence recommend him for the mastership of any school he may desire to obtain.

J. B. CHERRIMAN, M. A., Late Fellow of St. John's College, Cambridge; Prof. of Nat. Phil. University College, Toronto.

From the Rev. E. Ryerson, D. D., LL. D., Chief Superintendent of Education for Upper Canada.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION FOR UPPER CAMADA, Education Office, Toronto, 14 Sept. 1864.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

J. A. McLellan, Esq., M. A., Toronto University, after being four years a teacher, entered the Normal School of Upper Canada seven years ago, and obtained a previncial certificate (A) of the First Class. He afterwards entered the Toronto University, where he obtained a scholarship, and graduated with high honors. He has since been Principal of one of the County Grammar Schools, the duties of which he has discharged with great faithfulness and ability. He has ever sustained a blameless character; and I regard him as one of the ablest and most meritorious instructors of youth in Upper Canada.

E. RYERSON, Chief Superintendent of Education for Upper Canada. From the Rev. George Christie, Moderator of the Synod of the Presbyterian Church of the Lower Provinces.

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

I have had the pleasure of acquaintance with James A. McLellan, M. A., for nearly a year, and have found him to be a gentleman of high moral and religious character. He possesses a strong and well-cultivated mind, and is evidently an excellent scholar. Mr. McLellan is a graduate of Toronto University; and I find that he has carried off more than an ordinary share of the Honors, bestowed by his alma mater on her most distinguished sons. Metaphysics, Ethics, and Civil Polity, as well as Classics, Mathematics, &c., are the subjects specified in such testimonials. I have attended all the public examinations of the Seminary over which he presides, and I have invariably been delighted with the thoroughness and accuracy that mark his mode of instruction. The progress of the pupils under his immediate charge, will, I believe, bear very favorable comparison with that of students in any of the Colleges in this Province. I have also been present several times, when his classes were engaged in their ordinary studies, and receiving the benefit of his training in Classics, Mathematics, English History, the principles of English Grammar, &c.; and on these occasions also, I have had the most pleasing evidence that his own knowledge of the subjects under consideration was most thorough, while his mode of teaching was careful, and well suited to lead the students from first principles to the possession of a thorough knowledge of the branches of study in which they were engaged. No intermediate steps were passed over carelessly or without notice, and no first principles were so neglected as to leave the students ignorant of the process by which they were conducted to ultimate conclusions. As Principal of the Yarmouth Seminary, Mr. McLellan has charge of the general management of the whole institution, - containing nearly four hundred scholars, under ten different teachers. And in the arrangement and management of the whole, he has

the Pres-

James A. in to be He poslently an Toronto than an mater on nd Civil subjects ne public es, and I ind accus of the ear very the Colal times, lies, and ematics, &c.; and evidence tion was and well possesn which ed over were so cess by s Prinlarge of

itaining eachers. he has displayed rare administrative ability: all is regular and orderly, and as quict and decorous as it seems possible that a school so extensive could possibly be kept.

GEORGE CHRISTIE,
Pastor of the Presbyterian Church, Yarmouth.
YARMOUTH, N. S., July 31st, 1865.

CERTIFICATES

01

HONORS, SCHOLARSHIPS, AND DIPLOMAS

FROM THE

UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO AND UNIVERSITY COLLEGE.

NO. 1 .-- MATRICULATION.

UNIVERSITAS TORONTONENSIS

Novitiorum, Examinatione habita, A. D. MDCCCLVIII.

Testamur, Jacobum A. McLellan, nobis se egregie, commendavisse in Mathematicis, et pro meritis quintum fuisse inter eos, qui honores ordinis primi adepti sunt.

JOHANN LANGTON, Vice Cancell's. J. H. MORRIS, Regist's.

NO. 2.-FIRST YEAR.

UNIVERSITAS TORONTONENSIS.

Scholarium Anni Academici Junii, Examinatione habita, A. D. MDCCCLIX.

Testamur, J. A. McLellan, nobis se egregie commendavisse in Mathematicis, et pro meritis quartum fuisse inter eos, qui honores ordinis primi adepti sunt.

ROBERTUS E. BURNS, Cancell's. THOMAS MOSS, Regist's.

M D davi qui

> S MD

davi

qui

S tion T

davi qui l

NO. 3.- SECOND YEAR.

UNIVERSITAS TORONTONENSIS.

Scholarium Anni Academici, Examinatione Habita, A. D. MDCCCLX.

Testamur, Jacobum A. McLellan, nobis se egregie commendavisse in Arte Logicâ, et pro meritis secundum fuisse inter cos, qui honores ordinis primi adepti sunt.

ROBERTUS E. BURNS, Cancell's. 'THOWAS MOSS, Regist's.

NO. 4.-SECOND YEAR.

UNIVERSITAS TORONTONENSIS.

Scholarium Anni Academici 2di. Examinatione Habita, MDCCCLX:

Testamur, Jacobum A. McLelian, nobis se egregie commendavisse in Mathematicis, et pro meritis secundum fuisse inter eos, qui honores ordinis primi adepti sunt.

ROBERTUS E. BURNS, Cancell's. THOMAS MOSS, Regist's.

NO. 5.-THIRD YEAR.

UNIVERSITAS TORONTONENSIS.

Scholarium in Facultate Artium Anni Acad. 3i. Examinatione Habita, A. D. MDCCCLXI.

Testamur, Jacobum A. McLellan, nobis se egregie commendavisse in Mathematicis, et pro meritis secundum fuisse inter eos, qui honores primi adepti sunt.

ROBERTUS E. BURNS, Cancell's. THOMAS MOSS, Regist's.

OMAS

EGE.

III. mmene inter

ncell's.

habita,

lavisse os, qui

rcell's.

NO. 6.-THIRD YEAR.

UNIVERSITAS TORONTONENSIS.

Scholarium in Facultate Artium Anni Acad. Tertii, Examinatione Habita, A. D. MDCCCLXI.

Testamur, Jacobum A. McLellan, nobis se egregie commendavisse in Ethicis, Metaphysicis, et Politeia, et pro meritis tertium fuisse inter eos, qui honores ordinis primi adepti sunt.

ROBERTUS E. BURNS, Cancell's. THOMAS Moss, Regist's.

ha

in or

hal

Hi

hal

Lit ord

NO. 7.—THIRD YEAR, UNIVERSITY COLLEGE.

UNIV. COLL. APUD. TORONTONENSIS.

Schol. in Mac. Art. Anni Tertii, Examinationibus Habitis, Terminis S. Mich. et Paschæ, A. D. MDCCCLXI.

Testamur, J. A. McLellan, nobis se egregie commendavisse in Mathematicis, et pro meritis secundum fuisse inter eos, qui honores ordinis primi adepti sunt.

Johannes McCaul, L.L.D., Præs. Joh. B. Cherriman, M. A., Prof.

NO. 8.-FOURTH YEAR.

UNIVERSITAS TORONTONENSIS.

Candidatorum in gradum Bac. in Artibus, Examinatione Habita, A. D. MDCCCLXII.

Testamur, J. A. McLellan, nobis se egregie commendavisse in Math. et Physicis, et pro meritis secundum fuisse inter eos, qui honores ordinis primi adepti sunt.

JAS. PATTON, LL.D., Vice Cancell's. Thos. Moss, M. A., Regist's.

NO. 9.-FOURTH YEAR.

UNIVERSITAS TORONTONENSIS.

Candidatorum in gradum Bac. in Artibus, Examinatione habita, A.D. MDCCCLXII.

Testamur, J. A. McLellan, nobis se egregie commendavisse in Politeia, et pro meritis quartum fuisse inter eos, qui honores ordinis primi adepti sunt.

JAS. PATTON, LL. D., Vice-Cancell's. THOMAS MOSS, M. A., Regist's.

NO. 10. - FOURTH YEAR.

UNIVERSITAS TORONTONENSIS.

Candidatorum in gradum Bac. in Artibus, Examinatione habita, A.D. MDCCCLXII.

Testamur, J. A. McLellan, nobis se egregie commendavisse in Historiâ, et pro meritis secundum fuisse inter cos, qui honores ordinis primi adepti sunt.

JAS. PATTON, LL. D., Vice-Cancell's. Thomas Moss, M. A., Regist's.

NO. 11.-FOURTH YEAR.

UNIVERSITAS TORONTONENSIS.

Candidatorum in gradum Baci in Artibus, Examinatione habita, A. D. MDCCCLXII.

Testamur, J. A. McLellan, nobis se egregie commendavisse in Litt. Anglicis, et pro meritis tertium fuisse inter eos, qui honores ordinis primi adepti sunt.

JAS. PATTON, LL. D., Vice-Cancell's. THOMAS MOSS, M. A., Regist's.

Exami-

commenritis terint.

ancell's.

Habitis,

lavisse os, qui

Præs.

tione

visse eos,

ell's.

NO. 12.—FOURTH YEAR. UNIVERSITAS TORONTONENSIS.

Canditatorum in gradum Bac. in Artibus, Examinatione habita, A. D. MDCCCLXII.

Testamur, J. A. McLellan, nobis se egregie commendavisse in Metaphysicis et Ethicis, et pro meritis tertium fuisse inter eos, qui honores ordinis primi adepti sunt.

JAS. PATTON, LL. D., Vice-Cancell's. THOMAS MOSS, M. A., Regist's.

NO. 13.-FOURTH YEAR.

DIPLOMA FOR DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF ARTS.

Testamur Senatum Universitatis Torontonensis.

Die sexto mensis, Junii, A. D. MDCCCLXII., admisse in gradum Baccalaurei in Artibus Jacobum A. McLellan, quum omnia, ad illum gradum pertinentia, quæ per Statuta requiruntur, præstitisset et complevisset; in quorum fidem, litteris hisce communi Universitatis sigillo munitis nomina nostra subscripsimus.

Jas. Patton, LL. D., Vice-Cancell's. Thos. Moss, M. A., Regist's, Ex. Æd. Acad.

Die 17mo Mensis, Oct. A. D. MDCCCLXII.

NO. 14.—FOURTH YEAR. DIPLOMA FOR DEGREE OF M. A.

Testamur Senatum Universitatis Torontonensis.

Dic quinto mensis Junii, A. D. MDCCCLXIII., admisse in gradum, Magistri in Artibus J. A. McLellan, quum omnia, ad illum gradum pertinentia, quæ per Statuta requiruntur, præstitisset et complevisset; in quorum fidem, litteris hisce communi Universitatis sigillo munitis nomina nostra subscripsimus.

Jos. C. Morrison, Cancell's.

Thos Moss, M. A., Regist's, Ex. Æd. Acad. Die 5° Mensis Junii, A. D. MDCCCLXIII.



