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WOODSTOCK, N. B., WEDNESDAY, JULY 23, 1913.

No. 8

Florenceville

The graduating exercises of the Florenceville Consolidated School were held in the Assembly Hall June 27, 1943. An excellent program. consisting of music and speeches, was arranged for by the Principal F. C. Squiers.

PROGRAM.

	CARLES CONTRACTOR CONTRACTOR				
	Chorus "Ring the Lily Bel	ls'			
	Prayer Rev. M. H. Manu	le			
10.00	Piano Duett "Witches Fligh				
	Misses Ruby Ross and Stella Hunter				
-	Address on Education Rev. M. Manuel.	н			
	Vocal Solo "Songs My Mother Un to Sing."	se			
	Mrs. R. Semple.	12			
•	Address Dr. D. W. Hamilt				
	Presentation of Prizes Rev. Mr. Turner				
	Chorus "A Wish for the Mountain	8.'			
	Address to Graduates Mr. F. Carvell M. P.	B			
	Vacal Solo "When the Heart Young."	i			
	Mrs. J. Johnson.				
	Valedictory Miss Villa B. Alwa	rd			
	Piano Duett Misses Ruby Ross Stella Hunter.	a'n			
-	Vocal Solo "Sing, Sing, Birds on Wing."	th			
>	Miss Hazel McCain.				
	Farewell Prin. F. C. Squie	ers			
	Class Song "Happy Days are G				
	ing."				
	"God Save the King."				
	Dr. D. W. Hamilton, one of 'Floren	ce			
	villes' sons' and who is now teaching	: 8			

Macdonald College, Quebec, in his address, made fitting reference to the late is a battle to fight but with the proper Mr. C. T. Hendry who for twenty one years taught the Florenceville School. It can be truthfully said that no teacher in life. You are spending your money ever did a greater work than Mr. Hen- and getting good returns for it and I dry. Kind acts stand out foremost, especially in the minds of children. To so. my mind there is no man, in the Village of Florenceville, who stands out more prominently in this respect than the Rev. Daniel Fiske. I have followed with interest the school at Florenceville as I feel that I had some little part in bringing this school here. This year has been a very successful one in the history of this school and I truly hope the next will be as successful It is harder to follow a successful teacher than an unsuccessful one. It is said by some of you that the cost of keeping up this school has greatly increased, but has not the cost of everything increased in the past few years? If it is necessary for you to pay a little more, do so in good spirit, see the benefits you are deriving from such a school as this, and in a few years if a person has not an education he cannot take his place in the world as in the days gone by. To the young people who are graduating here to-day have a definite aim, or much in life will be lost. When "we read the lives of those who have been the most successful in life, we find they had a definite aim. The only fau.t I can find with this school is in its ground decorations. It everyone would turn out it would take a very short time to plant a few tress, shrubs and flowers. Then in the years to come you will look with pleasure on the work you helped to do. In closing I wish the graduating class and the people of Florenceville every joy and success.

er. Parents should take a greater interest in the schools. If the pupils get good training in school they are not so Cousolidated School apt to pick up bad things outside. If the parents took more interest the pupthe parents took more interest the pupils would get along better and when the school meeting comes around be sure to be there.

Mr. F. B. Carvell:

It is certainly a great pleasure to be present at a gathering like this. It is a great tribute to the people of Florence ville that you have such a magnificent building as this; also that so many people are here to-night. Why are we al here? In the interest of education. A man becomes a newer of wood and a drawer of water, but with an education there is no avenue open which cannot be filled. There is not a man holding a position in Canada today who was not once a boy such as confronts me to-night. These men had a principle and grasped its character and sticktoit. iveness with the result that they are were they are to-day. If we are lack. ing in anything it is education in farming. We are having an agricultural school established in Woodstock but a school like this is not open to every young man. The rudiments of the soil should be studied, in every school, so as the pupils will know what the soil contains and what it needs.

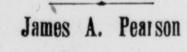
It is a great advantage to have a school like this Consolidated School where you have Household Science and Sloyd taught. The very fact of the surroundings being so good compels the school to be a success. What tax payer would not gladly pay a few extra dollars for such a school. You probably would not find a more beautiful spot in the Province than this. The boy or girl who receives an education in such a school as this must certainly have the advantage over the boy or girl coming Agusta Bubar, of Upper Brighton; one from the ordinary public school. There foundation almost anything is possible. Education is the basis of every success

Mps, J. G. Simpson. Jas & Simpson

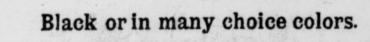
Though separated from each other for nearly two weeks by the death of Mrs. Joseph Gaynor Simpson, who died on June 18th., both have been reunited by death. Death claimed Mr. Simpson on June 29, the Sunday following the buriel of his beloved wife.

Both were born in New Brunswick, Mr. Simpson in Fredericton and Mrs. Simpson, in Moncton. They were married nearly 50 years ago, and throughout their entire wedded life were a most devoted couple. They lived for over 30 years in Hudson, Michigan, coming to Detroit nine years before their death. It was the grief caused by the death of his wife and the realization that

they were separated for the first time since their wedding, that caused the death of Mr. Simpson. They are survived by two daughters, Mrs. Bayard Jones, of Moncton, and Miss Bella Simp son at home. Mr. Simpson also leaves one sister, Mrs. Tnomas Neales, of Woodstock, Fredericton papers please copy.



On Saturday, July 12th., Mr. James A. Pearson, a highly respected resident of Upper Brighton passed away. Deceased had been ill for about six weeks with blood-poisoning followed by a general breaking down. He was born n Smithtown, Kings Co., in March 1845 and came to Glassville early in life, thence to Upper Brighton, where he resided until death. He is survived by a sorrowing widow, formerly Miss son. Joseph; seven daughters, Mrs. Carey Rideout, Mrs. Samuel Cook, Mrs. Daniel Blackie, Mrs. Arlington Rideout and Misses Joanna, Edna and Luella all of Upper Brighton, who mourn the loss of a loving husband and father; also, one brother, Joseph, of Upper Brighton, and one sister, Mrs. Peter Mills, of Glassville. Mr. Pearson was well known through Carleton Co. as an upright man. His daily life was characterized by a sincere faith in God, and during his illness as the end drew near, his visions of the better land grew brighter, and more than once he showed that death to rim had lost its sting when he told his family that he was going to the better home. The funeral which was very largely attended, took place on Monday afternoon and was conducted by Rev. M. H. Manuel, assisted by Rev. S. W. Schurman and Rev. P. A. Fitzpatrick. The pallbearers were Premier J. K. Flemming, T. W. Caldwell, Edward McCollum and T. J. Hurley. The body was laid to rest in the Baptist Cemetery, of Upper Brighton, besides that of his son, Addington, who died two years ago.



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8th Day of August next.

By order of Finance Com.

H. W. BOURNE, Town Treasurer Collector and Receiver oJ Taxes

Dated at Woodstock N.B. the 3rd day of July 1913.

The Rev. Frank Baird, Mrs. Baird and children left on Monday for Chip-man, where they will spend four weeks at their cottage.

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Every mother knows how fatal the hot summer months are to small children. Cholera infantum, diarrhoea, dysentry and stomach troubles are rife at this time and often a precious little life is lost after a few hours illness. The mother who keeps Baby's Own Tablets in the house feels safe. The occasional use of the Tablets prevent stomach and bowel troubles, or if trouble comes supdenly-as it generally does --- - the Tablets will bring the baby safely through. They are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville. Ont.

Mr. and Mrs. James Crone, Mr. and Mrs. H. Reid, Miss West, Miss Damey Burtt, Miss Eileen Tweedie and Eric Brown, of Centreville were in town on Thursday, guests at "The Turner House.'

The young people of Upper Woodstock have formed a Tennis Club.

J. R. Brown, who has been in Shediac visiting Mr. and Mrs. Geo. A. White has returned home.

Rev. M. H. Manuel:

The last day of school, like the day before Xmas, 1s a very long one because of the good things to come. It must give the parents satisfaction to attend this school closing and see the advancement of their children. One thing in this Province we should be pround of is the absence of untrained teachers. What is the purpose of education? The purpose of education is to fit the and do business so that no one will ply them. It is the aim of education to produce strength, bodily and moral. calls for more knowledge than ever before. There is need today to be schooled in the various lines of agriculture. ine will make the most successful farm

sincerely hope you will continue to do

F. C. Squires: I am making my last remarks as principal of this school. I may say that my stay at this school has been a very pleas ant one to me. When I am withdraw ing I feel very sorry to have to sever

my connection with the pupils of this school. This is the third farewell address I have made in this school but I am afraid it is the last.

In the speeches this evening a very vital point has not been mentioned, that is citizenship. The greatest fault in the government of the U.S. A. to-day is that in the public schools the pupilswere not taught to be good citizens, and our school system will fail if it does not produce true, and loyal citizens of this Dominion of ours. Canada is the youngest but the best colony of Great Britain and her destiny lies in her educational system. As regards this school of which I have been principal for four years I wish to says that the pupils of this year are second to none who have ever graduated in the previous years. It is al ways hard to sever the connections of mutual interest and affection between pupil and teacher. Whatever my failuses have been I have done the vary best I could. It may have been that at some time I have failed, but what I did not do was not a lack of labor but lack of capacity. You are going out into a harsh and hard world, The brightest days of your lives are spent in school I hope that in the years to come the pupils will think kindly of me. Do not neglect your future and the future of your country.

I say to the people and pupils of this district farewell, may God prosper you.

VALEDICTORY.

The school year has passed, fled into the yesterdays of forever, and the boy and girl to go out into the world class of 1913 stands on the threshold a long to-merrow, for we have arbe able to cheat them. We do not re- rived where the paths divide. The member much of what we learn school days and the sweet old home-life from books, and what is the use of facts is slipping by, and the wide-away vista anyway if we do not know how to ap- of a new existance opens to our view. We gather to celebrate in fitting numbers, we trust, our passing from this We are in an age of advancement which institution of learning, and hope not unworthily to uphold its by no means inglorious traditions; for from these doors have passed out those who nave and the boy who is educated along this known well how to take their places Continued on page 4, first column

LOWER WOODSTOCK.

The farmers are very much pleased to see the recent rain. The hay crop will be an average one, grain and root crops are making good progress.

Scott & Kelley's steam shovel, that was over the dump, will soon be put to rights, greatly to the delight of the owners and the pleasure of the community.

Our new mail driver, Mr. Fred Bragdon, is doing a good business and giving satisfaction.

Mrs. Gilbert Brown, Mrs. Charles Marston and Earl Brown are on a trip in their auto, visiting friends in Ludlow Maine.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilcrist, of Scotch Settlement N. B. made a short call on Mrs Charles Hillman.

Masters Merril Hillman, and Hedley Colpitts have moved their summer house to a more convenient locality. We wish them much pleasure in their new quarters.

Wm. Gough has improved the appearence of his residence by the addition of several coats of paint.

The Lower Woodstock United Bap-tist Sunday School under the skilful management of its Supt. Arve Tompkins and efficient staff of teachers, is in a flourishing condition. The adding of the various departments is being considered.

Robert Moxon our new road-surveyor has greatly improved the condition of the roads. We hope he will be able to have the small stones removed then the roads will be "O. K."

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