

A GRAND ENTERTAINMENT.

DISTRIBUTION OF PRIZES AT ST. LOUIS CONVENT, ST. LOUIS, KENT CO., N. B., JUNE 26, 1901.

A full house greeted the pupils of St. Louis Convent last Wednesday evening. The Very Reverend Father Pelletier, V. G. P. P., of St. Louis, presided. Rev. Fr. Richard, of Rogersville; Rev. Fr. Berube, of Acadiaville, and a host of most distinguished friends of the institution from Richibucto, Moncton, Shediac, Rexton, Rogersville and St. Louis, honored the pupils by their presence.

The program, a lengthy and varied one was carried out in excellent style. Each of the youthful performers knew her part well and many acted in a distinctly clever and superior manner.

The following is the program so admirably executed with the names of all the pupils taking part:

Instrumental music, Trio, Mandolines - G. McGowan, N. McInerney, A. Carter; Organ, E. Richard; Piano, G. Atkinson, I. Bourvue, G. McMinn, B. Leger, M. Murray and M. Hennessy.

Grand chorus, "Greeting Glee". Solos by L. Davis, F. Jardine, A. Melanson and E. Vautour; Piano accompaniment by F. Lyons, A. McGowan and F. McLaughlan.

French dialogue—"Fin de Siecle," H. Poirier, A. Comeau, C. Babineau, L. Richard, E. Richard, B. Leger, M. LeBlanc, M. Pineau.

SCENE I.

Duet—"Little Sisters Mazurka," Guitar, F. McLaughlan; 1st Mandolines, G. McGowan and E. Vautour; 2nd Mandoline, A. Carter; Piano, K. and B. Hughes, M. and P. Boleyn; Organ, B. and M. Hudson.

Pantomime of a favorite old song, by twenty-five of the junior pupils. Singers, L. Davis, F. Lyons, F. Jardine, B. Dysart, and A. Melanson; accompaniment by Harps and Guitar, F. McLaughlan, M. Grattan and M. Maillet.

Distribution of prizes to pupils of grade I to VI inclusive.

Trió—Humoresque Polka, Piano, M. Grattan, B. Dysart, N. McInerney, A. Carter, L. Davis, F. Jardine; Organ, A. Thibideau, M. M. Pineau.

Dialogue—"Photographers Studio," F. Lyons, M. A. McGowan, A. Carter, E. Richard.

French Operette—"Les Petites Visitenses," by five little English girls; K. Hughes, B. Hughes, M. Hudson, K. McGowan, and F. Johnson.

Musical Recitation—"Curfew shall not ring tonight," G. McGowan, M. Grattan, F. Lyons, B. Dysart, A. McGowan, M. L. Davis, H. Poirier, G. McMinn, F. Jardine, N. McInerney, A. Melanson, A. Comeau, E. Vautour, A. Carter, G. Atkinson, A. Thibodeau, R. Barrieau, C. Babineau, M. Boleyn and C. Guimond; piano accompaniment by K. Hughes.

Distribution of prizes to pupils of grade VII to XI.

Grand Chorus—"Triumph et Gloire," Solos by A. Melanson, M. Grattan, H. Poirier and E. Vautour.

Concertante duet—Wallenhaupt March, Piano, H. Poirier, A. Melanson, F. Lyons, A. McGowan; Organ, M. Grattan; Mandoline, E. Vautour.

Vocal Duet—"All things are Beautiful," L. M. Davis and F. Jardine, piano accompaniment, H. Poirier.

Bon Soir—"Vive Le Réfrain du Soir," Solos by B. Dysart, and M. LeBlanc.

Address—M. Grattan.

The instrumental music could have pleased the most fastidious. The Concertante duet was decidedly pretty. Nothing could have been more enjoyable than the vocal music. The grand choruses were simply delightful. The dialogue, "Photographers Studio," was most charming and also very cleverly acted. The French of the five little English girls in the Operette "Les Petites Visitenses," almost faultless. The pantomime of a "Favorite old Song," in which the gestures were perfect and the singing grand, was greatly appreciated, not to say anything of the vocal duet, "All things are Beautiful," which was perfectly enchanting, truly "Beautiful." Many young ladies distinguished themselves in entertaining their parents and friends, and gave them pleasure.

The needle work, comprising fancy work, dresses, and all kinds of ladies' undereclothing, drawing, painting and the examination papers of the pupils from Grade I to XI were on exhibition a few days before the closing exercises, and bore testimony to the industry and good will of the pupils, and the untiring devotedness of the energetic and zealous sisters of the Congregation de Notre Dame. What can be said of the kindness and generosity of the Sisters manifested on the distribution of prizes to each pupil according to her merits for English, French, Music, Domestic Economy, Drawing, Needle work and Assiduity. Several won six or seven prizes each. Special prizes were given by the Rev. Fr. Pelletier for Christian doctrine and by Mrs. J. Allaire and Mrs. C. Daigle for Domestic Economy and Needle work. Assuredly the pupils are greatly encouraged in their studies.

A crown of excellence of conduct was given to a pupil present during entire scholastic year and who was faithful to all the convent rules. The pleasant evening was brought to a close by an address

t which the presiding Rev. gentleman replied in French and English. In the most complimentary manner he spoke of the successful year and he hoped the pupils would all continue to give the same satisfaction to their parents as they did under the care of the good sisters. He encouraged them all to return with many other new companions, to continue their studies in the quiet locality of St. Louis free from the distractions and temptations of more important and larger centres.

The work of the pupils was interesting to me, the elocution grand, the music enchanting, the singing perfectly lovely, but there was a feature of that nights performance more sublime and which still haunts me, that is the sight of innocent children of which there is nothing more charming. Certainly there is nothing on earth more beautiful than the faces of happy, healthy, intelligent and good children, face and at ease with their kind teachers. That is the spectacle that impressed me most, and 'tis the chief characteristic of St. Louis convent. Long may it continue so to be, that good may be done and happiness brought within the reach of all who seek it therein, and have the secret of finding it by loving fidelity to every duty.

ONE PRESENT.

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Personal.

Mr. Duncan Connell, of Campbellton, spent Dominion Day in town.

Prof. & Mrs. Dunham and family, of Baltimore, arrived in town last week to spend the summer months.

Mr. Napoleon Leger, of the I. C. R. Moncton, spent Dominion Day at home. Amedee, who has been in Fredericton, is also home.

The young ladies who were attending the St. Louis Convent are home for the holidays.

Mr. W. J. Egmerston and his two sons, of New York, are visiting friends in town.

Mr. Peter Barnard and his son John drove to Chatham Sunday and returned Tuesday, accompanied by Master E. I. Barnard.

Mrs. (Rev.) H. A. Meek and children went to St. Martins on Saturday. Mr. Meek went to Fredericton on Monday, where he will attend the Synod which meets there. They will be absent about three weeks.

Rev. A. D. McLeod and R. W. Beers returned home last week from Marysville, where they had been attending the Methodist conference.

The following were registered at the Kent Northern Hotel, Rexton, the past week: W. H. Scovil, St. John; Geo. Bouner, Canaan; C. H. W. Peare, St. John; L. C. Hoelen, Boston; Jos. Marven, St. John; E. Collislan, St. John; Thos. J. Gallagher, St. John; Wm. Dennison, Brockville, Ont.; L. T. Joudry, Campbellton; John Morton, West Branch.

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TENDERS.

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Locals.

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NOTICE.—On and after July 1st next, all summonses, capias, executions, warrants, and all acknowledgements in the capacity of Justice of the Peace, a commissioner for taking affidavits, or notary public, must be paid for when the work is done; and in suits when tried my costs must be paid when judgement is entered. H. M. FERGUSON. Dated 24 June, A. D., 1901. Rexton, Kent Co., N. B.

MOVING PICTURES.—The London Imperial Moving Pictures has given four entertainments under the auspices of the Temple of Honor. It was the best series of moving pictures ever shown in this city. The light was clear, the films good, the machinery steady, and the subjects shown were many and memorable. The funeral of her late Majesty Queen Victoria—the most impressive scene in the history of the world—Queen Victoria's last progress through her fleet; at the beginning of the film, the lines of miles of battleships from whose sides the burst of smoke shows the firing of the minute guns the escort of the torpedo boat came into view, followed by the Alberta, with its said burden showing on its deck, as she slowly winds her way, amid this mighty armada of a nation mourning. The funeral at Hyde Park Corner, London, also at Windsor. Graphic scenes of the Boer War and Mrs. Carrie Nation and her hatchet brigade, in the act of wiping out a saloon. That the entertainment throughout was thoroughly enjoyed by the audience was testified by the hearty and frequent applause.—St. John Sun.

SCHOOL EXAMINATIONS.—The semi-annual public examinations in the different departments of our school took place last week, and were well attended by parents and friends. The children in the Primary certainly did themselves and their teacher credit and the bright intelligent way they did their work was much to be admired. From this room a class will go to the Intermediate next term. In the Intermediate a splendid showing was made and a good knowledge of the various subjects was exhibited by each and every one, especially in Geography, a subject they appeared to have at their finger ends as it were. A large class is to go from here to the Advance. In the Advance a most interesting afternoon was spent, and the pupils here gave evidence of careful and painstaking drilling in all subjects. A class of fourteen go from here to the Grammar dept. In the Grammar room a very proficient knowledge of the higher branches was shown by all the pupils, not only by their blackboard work, but by their general average made during the term in the various studies. Here as in the Intermediate prizes were awarded for general proficiency. Addresses were made by several of the visitors of a critical and helpful tendency and words of encouragement spoken to the children of the different departments. The standard of our school is good and will compare very favorably with that of any of the same class or grades.

Rakings.

—The July term of the Kent County Court is in session this week, Judge Wells presiding.

—The Buctouche notes which are quite voluminous are unavoidably crowded out of this weeks issue but will appear in our next.

—Dr. A. B. Teakles Dentist, is now in Richibucto where he will remain till July 8th, after that he will be in Rexton till July 13th.

—Several gentlemen in Richibucto and Rexton are arranging to have a horse race in the Kent Driving Park on August 1st. Other sports will also take place. This will be announced later.

—The London Imperial Moving Picture Entertainment which is giving such good satisfaction in other cities and towns, will be given in the Temperance Hall on Saturday evening, July 6th, at 8 o'clock p. m.

—A leading article in the July Magazine Number of THE OUTLOOK, which is its midsummer number, as the August Magazine Number is devoted to educational subjects, is "The Spirit of the New World as Interpreted by the Pan-American Exposition," by Hamilton W. Mabie. This subject, on which Mr. Mabie writes with his usual insight and charm, is profusely illustrated by reproductions from drawings of the beautiful architectural features of the Exposition. (\$3 a year. THE OUTLOOK COMPANY, 287 Fourth Avenue, New York City.)

—R. P. Doherty den ist, will be away from his office in Rexton until July 15th.

—The schooner Bonnie Doon arrived in port Monday morning and is discharging a cargo of hard coal at R. O'Leary's wharf. Several other schooners also came into port this week, including the Matilda, Capt. Thomas Haines.

—Posters are out announcing the grand picnic which is to be held at Rexton, on the 10th inst. A big day is expected as the committee in charge are doing everything possible to make the day a pleasant one to all who attend.

—The death occurred at Chatham on Dec. 14th last, of Mrs. Hannah McIntosh, second daughter of the late John Butler, of Buctouche, in the 52nd year of her age. Her remains were brought to Buctouche where interment was made alongside those of her friends and relatives.

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DOMINION DAY CELEBRATION.

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Long before the hour appointed for the parade, the streets were thronged with people anxiously waiting for the great event of the day. After the usual delay, which seems to be necessary on such occasions, the grand procession started in good order from Court square with Irving Stevenson and J. D. McMinn mounted and in full uniform, Stevenson as South African scout and McMinn as N. W. Mounted Police, following them were several others mounted and in different costumes, then followed the trades, headed by the team of R. O'Leary, with a gang of men making cans, which drew a lot of attention, then came the team of R. Phinney & Co., with 7 or 8 shoemakers hard at work on their benches making up handmade boots, for which that firm is celebrated, R. Phinney's tin wagon came next, loaded with tins of all kinds manufactured by him in Richibucto, then followed O. K. Black on a nicely painted express from his carriage shop loaded with furniture of different kinds, which he always keeps in stock. Ourginal and go ahead Assyrian Merchant, Abdallah Sayre made a fine display of dry goods on his large wagon, several other trades and professions followed in the ranks. The polymorphian parade which followed in the rear was the largest and best ever seen in town, conspicuous among them being John McLean, representing an old French peddler, which was thought by a great many to be the old man himself; E. Lawton and Roy Donley as Kruger and Lady off for France with Francis Woods as coachman, made one of the best features of the procession, the old lady sitting on her rustic seat outside her cottage door, drew a great deal of attention. All the others were good representations. The bicycle parade came in the rear, making altogether one of the largest processions ever seen in Richibucto.

In the afternoon the other sports took place in order.

First the sailing race, won by R. D. O'Leary's boat (Fisherman); 2nd, Wm. Long's (Sagwa); 3rd, M. Long's (George C.).

This was a fine race in which 8 boats contested.

2nd race, pair oared race, 3 boats entered, Thos. Long and Len Haines, 1st prize; M. Curwin and Fred Michaud, 2nd. Standing high jump was won by David Jardine. Harry Shattick won the hurdle race, E Fitzpatrick, 2nd.

100 yard race was won by Ben Robichaud, Harry Shattick 2nd. Several other races took place during the afternoon and the days sports ended with a fine display of fire works from Marks wharf superintended by W. E. Forbes. Taking into consideration the limited means at the disposal of the Committee Richibucto had one of the finest days sport ever witnessed, and everything passed off without any accident or confusion, thanks to the energy and tact of J. D. McMinn who filled his position as manager impartially and gave justice to all.

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The Fredericton exhibition committee has changed the exhibition dates to Sept. 17, 18, 19 and 20, thus overcoming the clash with Sussex.

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