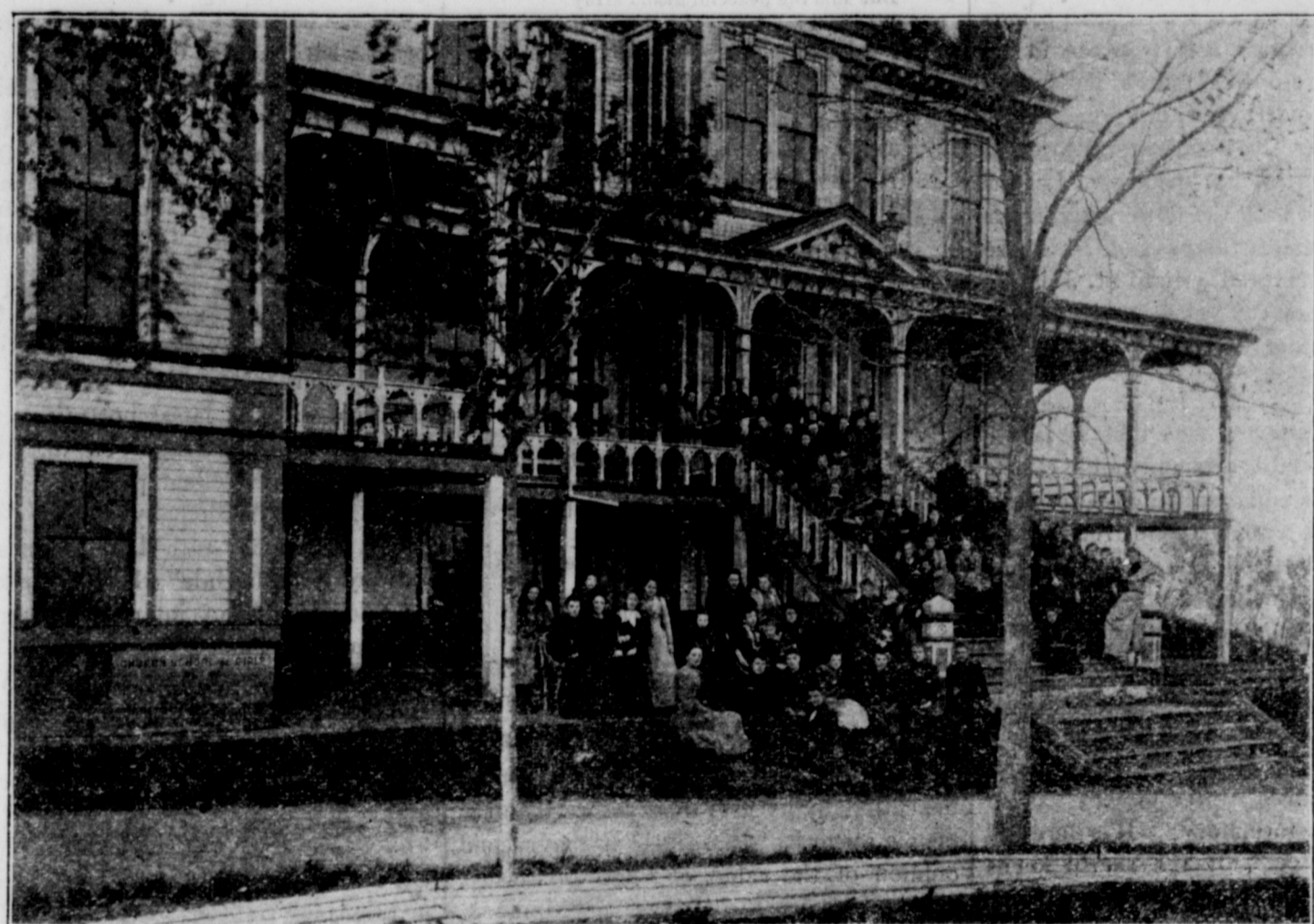
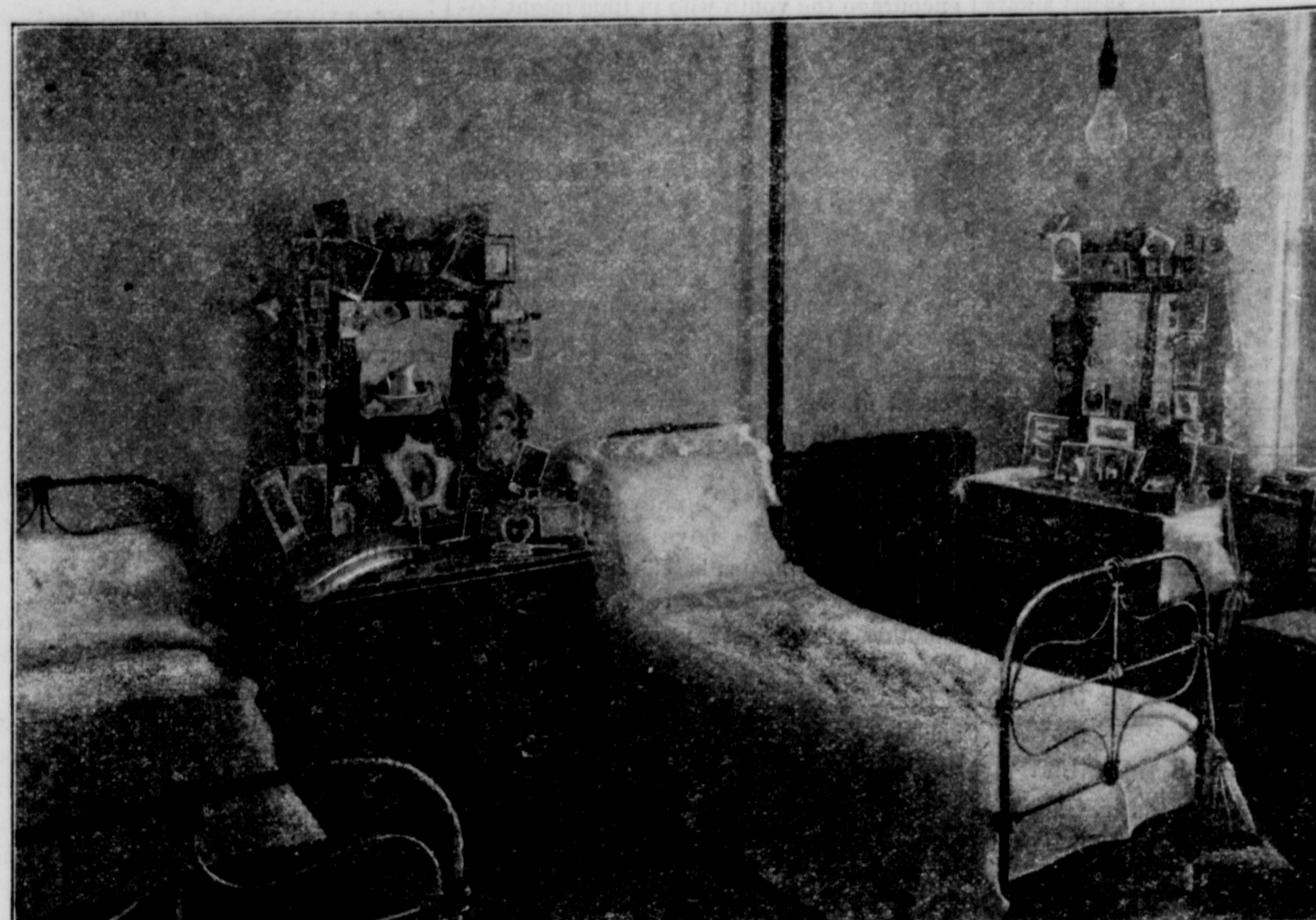


The Church School for Girls at Edgehill, WINDSOR, NOVA SCOTIA.



Church School for Girls, Edgehill, Windsor, N. S., May 23, 1893.



Bedroom, Showing Radiator and Electric Lamp.

THE Church School for Girls at Windsor has just closed the second full year of its establishment under the auspices of the Synods of the Dioceses of Nova Scotia and Fredericton. The remarkable success of this Institution leads to an inquiry as to its *clientelle*. Considering the patronage of the two Synods of the Anglican church in the Maritime Provinces, to whom this Institution owes its inception, it is to be supposed that it numbers among those who entrust their children to its training, well known and it may be distinguished names. We gather the information sought from the beautifully illustrated "Calendar of the Church School for Girls," just issued, and, indeed, presented to the parents of pupils on the day of closing the second full academic year, namely, on the 20th June, 1893. The Calendar too, contains the names of the prize winners, to whom we shall presently refer. An examination of the Register which we subjoin, shows that 46 pupils came from Nova Scotia; 23 from New Brunswick; 6 from Quebec, 3 from New York, U. S.; 2 from Prince Edward Island, and 1 from Ontario, making 81 pupils in all.

The School Register, 1892-93.

Name of Pupil.	First Seniors.	Parent or Guardian.	Residence.
1. Bonner, Amy	Edw. H. Bonner, Esq.	Staten Island, N. Y.	
2. Boyd, May B.	F. O. Boyd, Esq.	"	
3. Forster, Sarah McD.	J. B. Forster, Esq.	Dorchester, N. B.	
4. Hubbard, Agnes C.	F. A. Hubbard, Esq.	Burton, N. B.	
5. Jack, Louisa M.	T. Millidge, Esq.	St. John, N. B.	
6. Jones, Sophia B.	G. W. Jones, Esq.	Halifax, N. S.	
7. Leckie, Margaret A. G.	R. G. Leckie, Esq.	Londonderry, N. S.	
8. Nichols, Edith L.	Rev. Dr. Nichols	Halifax, N. S.	
9. Price, Florence M.	H. F. Price, Esq.	Toronto, Ont.	
10. Ritchie, Marv C.	T. Ritchie, Esq.	Halifax, N. S.	
11. Sewell, Constance M.	Colin Sewell, Esq. M. D.	Quebec, P. Q.	
12. Seely, Helen M.	D. J. Seely, Esq.	St. John, N. B.	
13. Wiswell, Blanche	W. H. Wiswell, Esq.	Halifax, N. S.	
14. Wakeling, H. Theresa	F. A. Wakeling, Esq.	St. John, N. B.	
15. Wiggins, Mary E.	Mrs. Wiggins	Windsor, N. S.	
Second Seniors.			
16. Barker, A. Madeline S.	F. E. Barker, Esq., D. C. L.	St. John, N. B.	
17. Bonner, Beatrice	E. H. Bonner, Esq.	Staten Island, N. Y.	
18. Barberie, Mary B.	O. A. Barberie, Esq.	Campbellton, N. B.	
19. Barberie, Wenonah	"	"	
20. Bligh, Ethel	W. A. Bligh, Esq.	Truro, N. S.	
21. Christie M. Isabel	Dr. J. Christie	St. John, N. B.	
22. Douglass, M. Ellen	A. Douglass, Esq.	Stanley, N. B.	
23. Hamilton, Helen C.	Mrs. E. C. Hamilton	St. John, N. B.	
24. Irvine, Hilda K.	Hon. Geo. Irvine	Quebec	
25. Leckie, Annie U.	R. G. Leckie, Esq.	Londonderry, N. S.	
26. Mahon, Annie L.	E. T. Mahon, Esq.	Halifax, N. S.	
27. Markham, Lillian	A. Markham, Esq.	St. John, N. B.	
28. McMillan, Mary L.	John McMillan, Esq.	"	
29. Peppett, Susie A. E.	J. W. Peppett, Esq.	North Sydney, C. B.	
30. Peters, Mabel L.	T. Sherman Peters, Esq.	Gagetown, N. B.	
31. Robbins, Ethel S.	Mrs. Byron Robbins	Truro, N. S.	
32. Smith, F. C. Sidney	G. Sidney Smith, Esq.	St. John, N. B.	
33. Smith, Ada L.	G. M. Smith, Esq.	Halifax, N. S.	
34. Sterns, Anna M.	Rev. Henry Sterns	Yarmouth, N. S.	
35. Snook, Lillian A.	J. J. Snook, Esq.	Truro, N. S.	
36. Sowerby, Sarah E.	J. D. Sowerby, Esq.	Campbellton, N. B.	
37. Shaw, A. Ethel	C. P. Shaw, Esq.	Windsor, N. S.	
38. Taylor, Blanche G.	Robert Taylor, Esq.	Halifax, N. S.	
39. Trites, Alice M.	D. L. Trites, Esq.	Petitcodiac, N. B.	
40. Thorne, Agnes C.	H. J. Thorne, Esq.	St. John, N. B.	
41. Wallace, Mary C.	J. R. Wallace, Esq.	Halifax, N. S.	
42. Wickwire, Janie T.	Mrs. A. Wickwire	Canning, N. S.	
43. White, Edith A.	G. R. White, Esq.	Quebec, P. Q.	
44. Wilby, E. E. Wynn	Mrs. Wilby	Halifax, N. S.	
45. Worgan, Constance F. McG.	Commander P. H. Worgan, R. N.	Sydney, C. B.	
46. Wiggins, Alice	Mrs. Wiggins	Windsor, N. S.	
Third Seniors.			
47. Bowman, Florence A.	Rev. C. Bowman, D. D.	Windsor, N. S.	
48. Burstall, Alice E.	John Burstall, Esq.	Quebec, P. Q.	
49. Corbett, Margaret L.	F. D. Corbett, Esq.	Halifax, N. S.	
50. Davies, Ethel M.	Hon. L. H. Davies, M. P.	Charlottetown, P. E. I.	
51. Dodd, Lillian H.	Hon. T. W. Dodd, M. L. C.	"	
52. Dow, Emily F.	James H. Dow, Esq.	Halifax, N. S.	
53. Hunt, Carlotta A.	J. Hunt, Esq.	Crowsville, N. S.	
54. Leckie, Edith L. L.	R. G. Leckie, Esq.	Londonderry, N. S.	
55. McArthur, Rebecca F.	Capt. H. D. McArthur	Maitland, N. S.	
56. Oliver, Grace E.	Dr. Oliver	Halifax, N. S.	
57. Otty, Louise P.	Dr. Taylor	Hampton, N. B.	
58. Ouseley, Georgina M.	J. W. Ouseley, Esq.	Windsor, N. S.	
59. Price, Gertrude P.	H. M. Price, Esq.	Quebec, P. Q.	
60. Sowerby, M. Louisa	J. D. Sowerby, Esq.	Campbellton, N. B.	
61. Sheraton, Edith B.	A. B. Sheraton, Esq.	Halifax, N. S.	
62. Thornton, Nora G.	John N. Thornton, Esq.	St. John, N. B.	
Fourth Class.			
63. Adams, Lillie E.	Mrs. C. F. Harrison	St. John, N. B.	
64. Browne, Helen A.	W. E. Brown, Esq.	Digby, N. S.	
65. Crofton, A. Muriel W.	F. B. Crofton, Esq.	Halifax, N. S.	
66. Dimock, Agnes	W. Ker Dimock, Esq.	Windsor, N. S.	
67. Gilpin, Mary G.	Edwin Gilpin, Esq., D. C. L.	Halifax, N. S.	
68. Grant, Alice I. O.	Major McGregor Grant	St. John, N. B.	
69. Kennedy, Maud P.	Prof. G. T. Kennedy, D. C. L.	"	
Fifth Class.			
70. O'Brien, Madge	W. O'Brien, Esq.	"	
71. Paulin, Nellie K.	R. Paulin, Esq.	"	
72. Pearson, Florence E. B.	B. F. Pearson, Esq.	Halifax, N. S.	
73. Pearson, Ethel M.	"	"	
74. Sewell, H. Hope	Colin Sewell, Esq., M. D.	Quebec, P. Q.	
75. Townshend, Gertrude L.	Hon. Mr. Justice Townshend	Halifax, N. S.	
Sixth Class.			
76. Haley, R. Mary	Dr. Allen Haley	Windsor, N. S.	
77. Poole, M. Dorothy	H. S. Poole, Esq.	Stellarton, N. S.	
78. Poole, F. Lucie	"	"	
79. Silver, Margaret G. T.	W. N. Silver, Esq.	Halifax, N. S.	
80. Saunders, Elizabeth C.	W. Saunders, Esq.	"	
Occasional.			
81. Miss Katharine Ida Smith	J. M. Smith, Esq.	Windsor, N. S.	

Average attendance during the year—71.

The Staff.

The Staff includes the Lady Principal, Miss Machin, assisted by seven resident Governesses and four non-resident teachers. The religious instruction is supervised by the Rector of Windsor. The Lady Principal is also assisted in household duties by a competent Housekeeper. Including domestics, daily provision has to be made for eighty individuals, apart from the day and occasional pupils attending the school. The branches of education taught in the Church School for Girls, comprehend all that is required for the training and instruction of young ladies. The Calendar enumerates seventeen English branches in the English course. It also informs us that during the past year, there were 72 pupils who took French, 15 Latin, 6 German, 65 Pianoforte, 15 Voice Culture, 36 Class Singing, 19 Drawing, 4 China Painting, 21 Painting, 67 Calisthenics, 11 Needlework, 33 Dancing and 2 Violin. "Dressmaking" was introduced last Michaelmas term with satisfactory results.

The School Buildings.

In order to accommodate and provide for the comfort and maintenance of eighty constant residents, commodious buildings are required. The illustration at the head of this notice, shows a part only of the handsome building which has been erected in the midst of the beautiful grounds at Edgehill at a cost of \$80,000.

But if the exterior is attractive, and leads to anticipations of what the interior may be, critical scrutiny throughout the building from root to basement, will show that the designers have been careful in those details which parents seek, when entrusting their children to Institutions far removed from home. Healthy sleeping apartments, well warmed and well lighted, are now required. All the rooms in the new building at Edgehill are twelve feet high; all are heated with hot water and lighted with electric incandescent lamps. There are open fire places in the large corridors for ventilation and comfort. In the large Dormitories every pupil has a cubicle embracing 60 square feet, which is her own little room. In the numerous dormitories three and four girls, according to the dimensions of the room, are accommodated, and in all cases each girl has her own iron bedstead, wardrobe, washstand and bureau.

The illustration, from a photograph, shows the disposition of the Radiator and electric light in the bedrooms. Each Radiator is provided with a valve so that the temperature can be regulated at will, and ventilation is secured by means of adjustable transoms.

Every pupil is responsible for the neatness of her household belongings as long as she remains at the School—all being treated alike in regard to these temporary belongings; daily inspection is a gradual, but most efficient training towards habits of order, neatness and cleanliness.

The Class Rooms.

Besides the large School-Room, there are seven capacious Class-rooms, in which the different classes assemble during School hours for their special work. Some of the Class-rooms are provided with "Students' Chairs," others with ordinary chairs, others with desks, according to the requirements of the studies engaged in.

But something more than School-rooms and Class-rooms are required for the comfort of a large number of young ladies and children. In-doors they have a capacious Gymnasium, and a pleasant Library and Reading-room. Out of doors they have extensive pleasure grounds, covering about four acres, in which are two Lawn Tennis grounds, one 250 feet long by 100 feet broad, the other 250 feet long by 61 feet broad. They are level as a floor and covered with a uniform sward of grass.

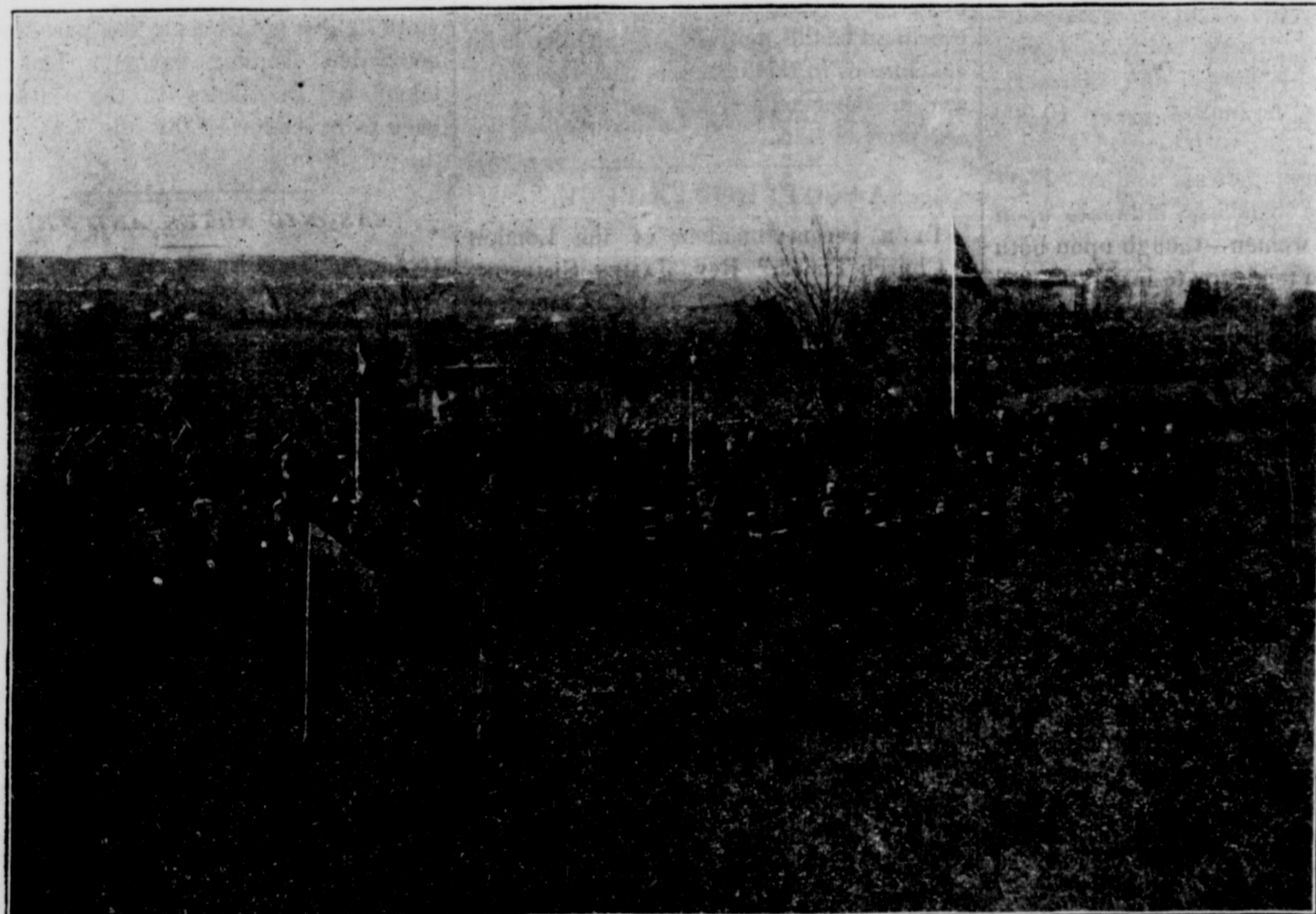
Physical Training.

We learn from the Calendar that the Trustees are desirous that special attention be given to Physical Culture, chiefly on the ground that a good serviceable mental education is inseparable from bodily health and systematic training. Apart from these considerations, ease and grace in movement and bearing is a most desirable acquisition, and a gift or a refinement which often produces beneficial influence. Every encouragement is therefore given to Calisthenics and out-door exercise. The instruction comprehends:

1. Arena Drill or Figure Marching.
2. Physical Drill.
3. Indian Club Exercises.
4. Dumb Bell Exercises.
5. Bar Bell Exercises.
6. Wand Exercises.
7. Fencing.

In the centre of the Illustration may be recognized the Library of King's College, which contains a large number of very valuable Books. Among these are the Breviaries and Missals of the Acadian Priests, who served in the Parish of the Assumption before Halifax was founded or Windsor thought of. The whole of the country about Windsor on the South side of the Avon River formed the Acadian Parish of the Assumption, one hundred and sixty years ago, and all the country round was thickly settled by the Acadians before their deportation in 1755, and is full of interest in its bearings upon the history of the Early occupation of Nova Scotia, then called Acadia.

In addition to the Lawn Tennis Court, the grounds South and East of the building are chiefly in grass plots with terraced walks on the South and East sides, extending in area, has been constructed in the School Field adjoining the Recreation Grounds. For growing children a plentiful supply of pure milk is a desideratum. To meet the School requirements in this important particular, special attention is given to the Dairy. The Dairy has yielded upwards of 12,000 quarts of milk during the last School year, the whole of which has been consumed in the establishment, comprising 80 individuals. A capacious Laundry has been erected on the School Grounds. It is provided with modern apparatus and drying rooms, in which all the Laundry work for the entire establishment is efficiently and speedily performed, and upwards of one hundred dozen articles are received from the School and returned to it with the utmost regularity every week during term.



Physical Training, May 23, 1893.

CLUB EXERCISES. FENCING CLASS. DUMB BELL EXERCISES. DRILL. WAND EXERCISES.

Instantaneous Photography comes to our aid in describing the Course of Physical Training at Edgehill. The illustration speaks for itself.

The Gymnasium is used in Winter and in wet or damp weather. But on fine days in Summer the Exercises take place on the lawns.

It is especially worth noticing that the place and surroundings where the Pupils go through their Summer open air Exercise is of no mean Historic Interest and importance for seven hundred and eighty feet, and communicating with the Lawn Tennis Courts by means of wooden stairways.

Rapid progress is being made in the Flower Garden and Shrubbery with a view to cultivate a taste for gardening, insensibly educate the eye and mind properly to appreciate decoration, and make the external surroundings of School life attractive and enjoyable.

For winter amusement and exercise a Skating Rink, sixteen hundred square yards

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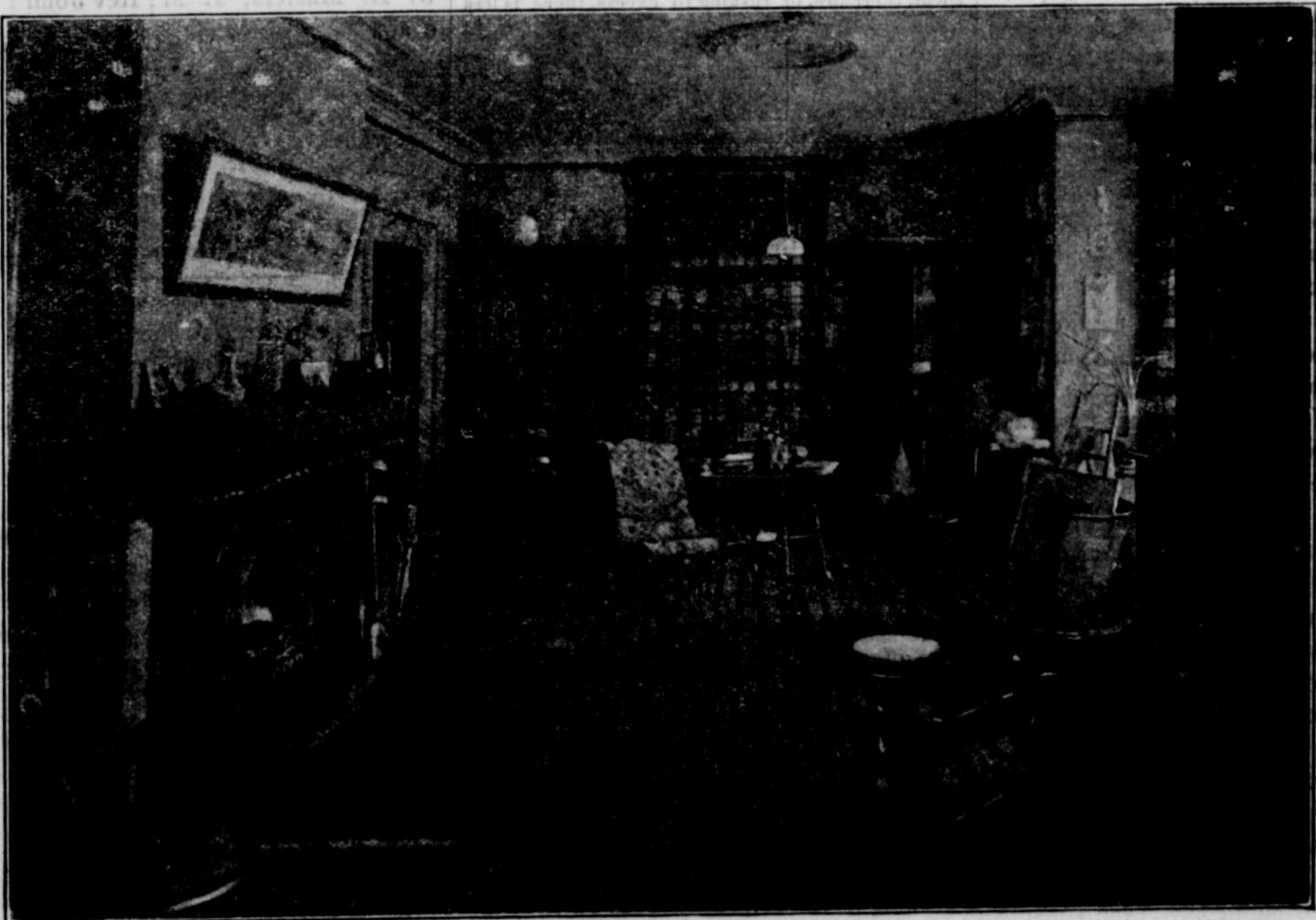
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The Library.

The comforts of both pupils and teachers are attended to in another way which is specially worthy of note. Within the walls of the establishment is a large and well supplied Reading room and Library. It is situated in the old building, and commands views of both the Lawn Tennis grounds. When the pupils are at their exercises or games the Library is a delightful outlook.

A list of Prizes and Prize Winners will be found on Second Page.



The Library.