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· - "OBSERVER"

The recent matriculation showing | places and a whole lot in first divireflects great credit upon Fredericton sion." Or, "Well, Fredericton didn't John, are visiting in this city, guests students. Out of a total of 59 placed do so well. We didn't get the leader of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Baxter, Aberin first division, Fredericton secured |-if, instead of doing this they would | deen Street. Mrs. Dyer was former-12. This means approximately 25 per take into account all that the school ly Miss Maxwell. cent which is a good percentage for has stood for in the community durany one school to obtain. In addition ing the year, it would be a better High School, in which most of these what is far more important, a place were the winners of the prizes. students were prepared, has done where the boy or girl is taught the

There is perhaps a word of warning needed, however, about our standards of judging. It seems to be the riculation standing. This is all right It should be a place where the pupil to a certain extent, but it can be can express himself in music, art or school's scholastic standing, or it may not. It may be, and often is, merely a display of the standing of in the community life. If the public ed to Ottawa on Thursday. the most select group from the school would take as much interest in the Sometimes these groups are singled out early in the term and carefully groomed for the final exams. This means that a great number of students below this select group are going to be neglected. Every effort is made to bring up the higher group to a position of prominence in the final lists. A further means of accomplishing this result is to coach these pupils by drill on the questions contained in old examination papers. It prepare a student very well indeed Island Pool. for this set of papers.

Here is where the practice of chang ing the examiners every few years would be beneficial. I do not say that it is not legitimate for the teacher to coach the pupils in this way, as long as the system remains what it is, but at least if it is going to be done it should be done with equal emphasis for all, and not concentrated upon a particualr group.

It is also perfectly understandable why so much effort is put forth to obtain a good matriculation showing, when, as we have said, the school is to be judged upon those results. I would suggest, however, that this standard, if taken as the sole standard, is founded upon a fallacy. One reason for this statement is set forth above in the practice of coaching a particular group of pupils. This practice cannot surely result in an accurate showing of the school's capabilities. Another reason is that which applies to any set of examinations as a real test of the pupil's ability. It is not an accurate test. Many factors enter into the writing of an average examination paper. A written paper does not take into account the state of the pupil's health, his nervousness or his native ability to express himself or not by means of the written

It would seem then that the public should educate itself as to what really constitutes a fair standard on which to judge a school's progress. If instead of opening their newspapers and saying, "Ah, Fredericton did well this year; we got the first and third

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SOCIAL HAPPENINGS

son have returned from a motoring trip to the New England States.

* * * * from Marysville by the various chur- tember. ches. The guests were conveyed to the grounds by the Capital Bus.

米 茶 茶 米 Mr. Justice O. S. Crocket and Mrs. Crocket entertained at luncheon today at D-Coy Inn. Covers were laid for eighteen and summer flowers Mich., is visiting with her sister Mrs. were the table decorations, * * * *

Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Gosline of Up-Baptist parsonage, Marysville, Thurs- guests.

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A. Dysart and Mrs. Dysart at their home yesterday. summer home at Dixon's Point, Kent

* * * * stock, were visitors in the city yes- Marysville.

* * * * been visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. M. O'- are expected to arrive in the city to-Halloran, Montreal, is visiting her day to attend the wedding of Dr. Governor-General, the Prime Minisparents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cruik- Blair's sister, Miss Nellie Blair, ter were not speaking pious platitshank at Westfield Beach.

米米米米 Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Dyer, Saint

Miss Constance Campbell enter-Fredericton students stood in first standard of judging. A high school tained at bridge last evening in honor and third place. From the point of should be a place where not only aca- of several out of town guests. Miss view of the public the Fredericton demic knowledge is taught, but also, Kay Gibson and Miss Helen Morrison 米 米 米 ※

MONTREAL, Aug. 8-Mrs. John fundamental rules of good citizenship. It should be a place where the abili-Freeland and her daughter, Miss ties and talents God has given him, Marietta Freeland, of Montreal, are Marysville held an enjoyable picnic in the way which will be of the most guests of Mrs. Freeland's mother, practise to judge a school by its mat-

carried too far. Matricualtion results drama, and not only in geometry, al- Blair of Ottawa who have been vismay be an accurate estimate of a gebra or grammar. In short, the iting Mrs. Blair's sister, Mrs. J. J. school should be a training ground F. Winslow and Mr. Winslow, left for for life, and should make itself felt Ottawa yesterday. Mr. Blair return-

> school during the school year as they children of Louisville, Kentucky, and joyed. Assisting at the tea will be do around examination time, they would soon realize that the school as occupying the Hersey cottage on the Miss Audrey Robinson, Miss Ruth Mrs. F. M. Belyea of this city, are an institution stands for something more than just the making of high Woodstock Road.

> > TENNIS PLAY HERE TODAY

Riverside courts here this afternoon. with Mr. Haines' parents, Mr. and questions in almost any paper have a as guide; and a colored cook; have tournaments are attracting much inhabit of repeating themselves every rented some camps belonging to terest among tennis fans here. At habit of repeating themselves every so often. By going over the papers so often. By going over the papers Hill They plan to fish at Hartt's the Combridge N. R. alpha in a combridge N. alpha in a combridge N. R. alpha in a combridge N. alpha for several years back it is possible to Hill. They plan to fish at Hartt's the Cambridge, N. B., club in a tournament.

FOREST FIRE OUT

It was reported today by G. L. Miller, chief forester of the province, that the small forest fire at Nigadoo, between Bathurst and Caraquet, which broke out on Thursday and burned about an acre, is now under control. The fire started from a camp fire on pulp operations. No other fires were reported today.

QUEEN'S SQUARE WON

The Inter-playground track meet, sponsored by the local Y.M.C.A. yesterday resulted in a victory for over the Wilmot Park boys and girls, Scotia. the score being 153 to 146. The meet was a highly competitive one and points see-sawed back and forth first one leading and then the other. The Wilmot Park youngsters were leading up until the last event-the bicycle relay, but the Queen's Square won this event, gaining ten points and victory for the meet. For the Park the girls were the heavy point getters, while for the Queen's Square group, the boys had the edge. Ralph J. Albrant, the "Y" secretary was in charge.

CHURCH SERVICES

Christchurch Cathedral

Ninth Sunday after Trinity. 8 a.m. Holy Communion. 11 a.m., Morning Then, softly from a golden bed, Prayer and Sermon. 7 p.m., Evensong and Sermon The Dean will preach both morning and evening.

St. Andrew's (Presbyterian Church Rev. George E. Ross, D.D., Minister. Services at 11 a.m., and 7 p.m. Rev. Dr. Ross will officiate both morning and evening. St. Andrew's extends a cordial welcome to all.

Advent |Christian |Church, Devon cation of Jesus Christ. All welcome. lown yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Shea wish to announce the engagement of their daughter, Kathleen, to Mr. J. Lorne Picnics Yesterday by Capital Bus Howatt, of Charlottetown, P. E. L., Several picnics were held yesterday wedding to take place early in Sep-

米 米 米 朱 Rev. and Mrs. David Buzzel of Amesbury, Mass., are guests of Rev. and Mrs. Steadman Smith, Marysville * * * *

Mrs. Edward Proulx of Detroit, Frank VanStone on Charlotte Street. * * * *

Mrs. A. L. Gerow is entertaining per Gagetown, were guests of Rev. informally at the tea hour this afterand Mrs. Steadman Smith at the noon in honor of several out of town

Mrs. Harry G. Chestnut who has Miss Mary Barker and Miss Mary spent a few days with Mrs. T. B. Neville are the guests of Premier A. Bedell, Saint John, returned to her

米 ※ 米 米 John E. Smith and daughters Miss Effie Smith and Miss Laura Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rudolph and of Berlin, were overnight guests of

Dr. Murray Blair and Mrs. Blair Miss Leslie Cruikshank, who had and two children of Somerville, Mass. place on Tuesday next.

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J. S. L. McNeely of Perth have an pression to incontestable facts nounced the engagement of their There are particular circumstances daughter, Hilda, to Mr. Arthur H. and particular conditions to explain Rabb, B.Sc., son of Mr. Rabb and the this. There are the identity of lanlate Mr. W. J. Rabb of Perth. The guage, the similarity of racial stocks, September

Marysville United Baptist Picnic The members of the Sunday School of the United Baptist church of yesterday at Wade's picnic grounds at Penniac. The afternoon was spent in swimming and games of all kinds, Mrs. A. G. Blair and Miss Marjorie following which supper was served. There was a good attendance present. * * * *

Following the tennis tournament this afternoon between Cambridge, N. B., and Gagetown, tea will be held at the home of Mrs. S. Thane Belyea at Gagetown. Dancing will later be en-Mrs. R. R. Reid, Miss Laura Knorr,

* * * * Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Haines and their two sons Billy and Johnny, of trate Whitman A. Haines is a brother

ABLE TO LEAVE HOSPITAL

been undergoing treatment at the Victoria Puglic Hospital for the past two weeks, was able to leave the lows hospital for her home this week, her many friends will be glad to learn.

ENTERS NEW HOME

Mr. and Mrs. William H. Harris have occupied one of the apartments in the Phair home on Charlotte street, formerly occupied by F. T. B. Young, M.P.P., during the legislative session. Mr. Harris is the the Queen's Square boys and girls new accountant at the Bank of Nova

CHILDREN VACCINATED

Parents wishing to have their children vaccinated by the medical school inspector will present them at the Devon Superior school on August 19 at 2 p.m. and at Marysville on the same day at 3.15 p. m.

SUMMER DAYBREAK

Here, still beneath a canopy Where chestnut trees spread coolness on the lawn; waken with the first light breeze

As rosy clouds blow sweetness from the dawn. Across the East a taper moves, As slowly shades of night are lifted

high: The coverlets are folded from the

sky. With face aglow the sun appears, His arms upheld—a supreme judge of day-

A sentence falls in the court of Earth-

A benediction on all mortal clay. -Leila Bishop Martin.

BEAUCEVILLE, Que., Aug. 8-In the presence of a helpless mother, a Milton C. Burtt, pastor. 11 a.m., 12-year-old grif named Samuel was Sermon: The Seven Vials of Wrath, killed by a huge bear while the two Rev., 16. 7 p.m., Sermon: The Abdi- were out blueberry picking near this

CANADIANA PICKING UP

SUMMER CARNIVAL

I shut my eyes and the wind in the trees,

Seemed whispering sweet melodies; I listened and heard the waves of the

A laughing tune throughout

glade: While the cataract down the mount-

ain grade, Roared as it fell in a white cascade. The wind brought back dear mem-

ories. As it sang its song in the tops of the

They carried me over the whole wide world. Over land, or sea, where my sails

were furled, And mingled with the wind's own

Came bird-notes, fluting the whole

day long-For, out in my garden, the wind and the birds,

Hold carnival, there, too splendid for words

ETHER MAY HALL.

OBVIOUS BUT TRUE,

Baltimore Sun: The President, the which has been arranged to take udes or empty wishes when they spoke of the good feeling and understanding between the peoples of the OTTAWA, Aug. 8-Mr. and Mrs. two countries. They were giving ex-

marriage will take place early in the parallel between our democratic institutions. Nowhere else in all the world are these conditions repeated as between adjacant nations. But these favourable influences would still not have been eough but for wise and prudent statesmanship which refused to allow petty difficulties between the two countries to nourish a narrowly Chauvinist spirit For such statesmanship, of which the latest manifestation is to be found in the reciprocity treaty which Mr. Hull negotiated not so many months ago, we may all be grateful.

Say Fredericton

(Continued from Page Eight)

tourist business but have been successful in July this year in about doubling the number of tourists that Riverside Tennis Club is entertaining the Minto Tennis club at the and will spend the next few weeks and will spend the next few weeks S. B. Fisher, Wallace McMonnies,
H. H. Ferguson and Roy McKee, of
tennis club is competing with the
Mrs. Benjamin H. Haines, of North
tennis club is competing with the
Devon. Mr. Haines is a graduate of
adopted but fail to see why the St. has been found to be a fact that Illinois, with James Vail of Harvey has been found to be a fact that Illinois, with James Vail of Harvey has been found to be a fact that Illinois, with James Vail of Harvey have been found to be a fact that Illinois, with James Vail of Harvey have been found to be a fact that Illinois, with James Vail of Harvey have been found to be a fact that Illinois, with James Vail of Harvey have been found to be a fact that Illinois, with James Vail of Harvey have been found to be a fact that Illinois, with James Vail of Harvey have been found to be a fact that Illinois, with James Vail of Harvey have been found to be a fact that Illinois, with James Vail of Harvey have been found to be a fact that Illinois, with James Vail of Harvey have been found to be a fact that Illinois and a colored cook; have electrical engineering. In recent ists being routed through Fredericton. "The Fredericton Board of Trade

tions with the Saint John and St Stephen Boards of Trade and hope to show them that we are playing the Mrs. Elizabeth Mullin, who has game energetically but fairly."

The article appearing in the Saint John Telegraph-Journal was as fol-

A protest against what was considered unfair discrimination against Saint John was voiced in the name of the New Brunswick Hotel Association yesterday by the association vice-president, H. J. Lyons. In his statement yesterday, Mr. Lyons said. Our attention has been directed to the activities of representatives of the tourist bureau of the Fredericton Board of Trade who have been posted at Ellsworth on Route No. 1 in Maine, and at Newport on Route No. 2 in Maine to direct motor traffic for New Brunswick through Fred-

ericton." " We have no objection to any legitimate efforts made by any community to stimulate its own tourist traffic," Mr. Lyons said, "but we must protest against the statements which it is claimed are being made by these representatives of the Fredericton Board of Trade. We are informed that they are using arguments that are false, stating that the roads from St. Stephen to Saint John and from Saint John to Sussex are impassable.

Mr. Lyons said further that motorists having been incorrectly informed concerning these two highways, were recommended to make their trip into New Brunswick from St. Stephen by way of Harvey to Fredericton, through routes 9 and 10 to Sussex and Moncton and thence to Nova Scotia, or where a northern tirp is desired, are advocating entry at Houlton, Me., following the Woodstock highway to Fredericton and proceeding to Newcastle.

RETURNED FROM WOODSTOCK Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Shea have re turned from Woodstock, where they were called on account of the sudden death of Mrs. Shea's brother, the late George King.

PIN GAME SOUTHERN U.S.

AMES, Iowa, Aug. 8-Bowling will become popular in Iowa, according to George Veenker, Iowa State College Murmuring a song of the deeps to me; athletic director. "It's a woman's The rippling brook on the pebbles game," he explained. "It's popular with beginners because, from the sidelines, a greenhorn doesn't look

so bad as in some other sports."

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