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## THE UNIVERSITY

The University of New Brunswick today rounded out the most successful year in its long and useful career by graduating a class of forty young men and women. The University, as the apex of our splendid educational system, has done and is doing splendid work. It is an institution of which the people of New Brunswick are justly proud, and they rejoice in its continued prosperity. For the long period of one hundred and twelve years it has held aloft the light of learning and has been a potent factor in moulding the careers of hundreds of men who have achieved fame in all lines of human activity in this and other lands. With an increased endowment, a larger faculty and new courses of study the venerable institution has greatly enlarged its career of usefulness, and the importance of the work it is doing for New Brunswick cannot be gauged by dollars and cents.

The University of New Brunswick enjoys the reputation of being one of the best conducted institutions of learning on this continent. It is strictly non-sectarian; there is no distinction as to class or creed and its doors are as wide open to the son of the laboring man as they are to the youth born with a silver spoon in his mouth and there is no discrimination shown by either faculty or students. In the democratic atmosphere of the old U.N.B. all men are equal, providing they are respectable and reasonably observe the unwritten laws. That such an institution should attract to its halls the brightest young men and women in the province is not a matter for surprise. They have the benefit of efficient instructors and all have an equal chance to share in the joys and woes of college life, and acquire the training and knowledge that will better equip them for the duties of life.

The graduating class this year numbers forty and we believe it is the largest in the history of the University. As is usually the case, a goodly percentage of those who compose it have delayed the entire expenses of their college course out of their own savings. They have worked hard and no doubt made many sacrifices in order to keep down expenses and for this they are deserving of every credit. The very fact that they have been able to put themselves through college is proof that they are made of the right stuff and will succeed in whatever they undertake.

The members of the Class of 1912 have nobly maintained the best traditions of the old University. They have kept alive the college spirit. Their ideals have been lofty and they have set a worthy example for those who will come after them. Their relations with the citizens of Fredericton have been most cordial, and like hundreds who have gone before them, they will always have a warm spot in their hearts for the dear old elm-shaded city in which they have spent so many happy days. They have finished their college course and must now go out into the world to face the real problems of life. They have acquired knowledge, their minds are trained to logical thinking, but they must not get it into their heads that they know it all. A man can go through college and miss a few things and quite frequently when they come to put their knowledge into practical use they find it out.

We hope these young people will elict to remain in Canada even though other skies may beguile with brighter suns. The opportunities before them here are as good if not better, than elsewhere and Canada needs them all. We also hope that they will, one and all, catch Dame Fortune's golden smile and live to shed lustre on their "dear old Alma Mater half way up the hill."

## A CRUSHING BLOW

The electors of Quebec yesterday administered a crushing rebuke to the Tory Nationalist combination, by returning to power the government of Sir Lomer Guion, by a majority even greater than it enjoyed in the House recently dissolved. In the last House the Tories and Nationalists numbered fifteen out of a total of seventy-four members and in the new House which will consist of eighty-two members,

of the opposition will not exceed sixteen. Considering the fact that the Tories had the active support of the Federal cabinet ministers, backed up by the indications are that the strength by unlimited campaign funds, and claimed to be well organized, they made a most miserable showing. In the Quebec district where Mr. Armand Lavergne, Bourassa's chief lieutenant, had charge of the Opposition forces, the Liberals made almost a clean sweep. Lavergne, who contested two constituencies, went down to defeat in Montmorency and had a close call in Montmagny.

The election means the death blow to the Nationalists, who proved such valuable allies to the Tories at the late Federal election. They have shot their bolt, and as a political factor they have been wiped off the map.

The verdict of old Quebec is a wonderful tribute to the ability and statesmanship of Sir Lomer Guion. He has given the province wise and progressive government. He has reduced the public debt and converted deficits into surpluses; he has expended millions for education, has brought outside capital into the province, and has greatly improved its credit and financial standing. He is one of the most forceful and talented men in the public life of Canada and in every way worthy of the wonderful confidence that is reposed in him by people of the province.

Liberals all over Canada will rejoice in the great victory achieved by Sir Lomer Guion's government. It is a direct slap in the face for the Tory combination now in charge of affairs at Ottawa, and is an indication of what they may expect when the people get a chance to pass judgment upon them.

Elsewhere in this issue will be found an appeal from the Very Rev. Dean Schofield, for funds to assist in restoring the Cathedral clocks and chimes which were unfortunately destroyed by fire last year. Citizens of all denominations are justly proud of Christchurch Cathedral and recognize it one of the city's best assets. All want to see the chimes and bells restored and all who can afford to do so should be willing to contribute to this worthy object. The Mail will be pleased to receive and acknowledge subscriptions to the fund.

## UNIVERSITY ENCOENIA

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Arthur E. Floyd, First Class Honors in Philosophy and Economics.

J. Thaddeus Hebert, First Class Honors in Philosophy and Economics First Class Honors in French and English.

Greta M. Robinson, First Class Honors in English and French.

Earle R. Macnutt, First Class Honors in Economics and English.

## B. A. DEGREE—ORDINARY

First Division—Josiah H. Barnett, Burdette W. Harmon, C. E. Kingdo Jones, W. P. Loggie, C. H. O'Halloran.

Second Division—Grace Lydia Aitken Geo. H. I. Cockburn, Margaret Louise Crocker, Harriet A. Hanselbacher, Nellie B. Harmon, Mary O'Neill, Helen M. Robinson.

## B. SC. DEGREE IN CIVIL ENGINEERING

First Division—Chas. S. Bennett, Robert Eastman, Henry F. Morrisey, Chas. H. Colwell, Harry F. Barnes, Royden M. Smith, Walter K. Willis, John O'Neill.

Second Division—Frederick W. Van Wart, Marvin W. Maxwell, W. Colin Ewing, G. Ellis Smith.

Third Division—G. Bruce Dixon. James T. Duke and E. B. Martin will be recommended to receive the degree next Encaenia on condition of passing satisfactory supplemental examinations in Elements of Electrical Engineering, Applied Mechanics and Heat Engine.

## B. SC. IN ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING

First Division—Guy W. Arnold, Arthur H. Tweedie, H. Edmund Lockary.

## B. SC. IN FORESTRY

First Division—Gilbert H. Prince. Second Division—Guy A. Fitz-Randolph.

## GRADUATION HONORS.

Latin and Greek, Class I—Jessie W. Currie, Anna C. Kelley, William H. Teed.

Mathematics and Mathematical Physics, Class I—Robert F. Eastman, Anna C. Kelley, William H. Teed. Natural Science and Chemistry, Class I—Saidée W. Fish, Elizabeth W. McIntosh, Ralph A. Tapley. Philosophy and Economics, Class I—Arthur E. Floyd, J. Thaddeus Hebert.

English and French, Class I—J. Thaddeus Hebert, Saidée W. Fish, Greta M. Robinson.

## GRADUATING CLASS

The following are brief sketches of the graduating class and their college careers:

Miss Grace L. Aitken, B. A., was a graduate of Sussex High School and has always taken an active part in

all college affairs. Has been president of Ladies' Athletic Society and captain of the basketball team in her senior year. Miss Aitken expects to teach.

Miss Margaret L. Crocker, B. A., whose home is in Millerton, has always been a prominent member of the class of '12. President of Y. W. C. A. and Ivy Orator. Expects to teach.

Miss Jessie Currie, B. A., hails from Campbellton. President of Delta Rho Society. Graduates with honors in Classics; winning the Governor General's Medal. Will teach.

Miss Sadie W. Fish, B. A., came to U. N. B. from Newcastle. She graduates with double honors in French and English and Natural Science and Chemistry. Prominent socially throughout her course.

Miss Hattie A. Hanselbacher, B. A., came from Mt. Allison University. Joining the class in the senior year. Will teach.

Miss Anna C. Kelly, B. A., is a Fredericton girl and a brilliant student. She graduates with double honors in Classics and in Mathematics and Mathematical Physics.

Miss Elizabeth W. McIntosh, B. A., comes from Springhill and was a graduate of Fredericton High School. She graduates with honors in Natural Science and Chemistry. She is the third female member of her family to graduate from U. N. B.

Miss Mary O'Neill, native of Fredericton and a graduate of the local High School. Has always been interested in college activities. Captain of the Ladies' Hockey team in her senior year.

Miss Greta Robinson, B. A., hails from Cambridge, Queens County. She entered U. N. B. after a successful course at St. John High School. Always prominent in college affairs and in Ladies' Societies. Class president in senior year. Graduates with honors in English and French and expects to teach.

Miss Helen M. Robinson, B. A., comes from Marysville and was a graduate of Fredericton High School. Has always taken an active interest in college affairs.

Miss Nellie B. Harmon, B. A., whose home is at Mars Hill, Maine, was in her senior year vice-president of the "Con" and president of the Ladies' Society. Has always taken prominent part in college affairs.

Guy W. Arnold, B. Sc., was a graduate of Sussex High School. He has pursued with success the Electrical Engineering course and has accepted an appointment with the Westinghouse people at Hamilton.

Harry F. Barnes, B. Sc., comes from Buctouche, joined the class at Christmas of the Freshman year. Soon found himself a consistent student and graduates with high standing. Barnes has been a prominent member of the Dramatic Club. Was a member of the debating team in senior year. Leaves shortly for the West.

Chas. S. Bennett, B. Sc. hails from St. John and graduates at the head of the class in Civil Engineering, winning the Ketchum Silver Medal. One of best students of the class.

George H. T. Cockburn, B. A., comes from St. Stephen. President of Literary and Debating Society. Leader of the Conservative opposition in Mock Parliament. Intends to pursue the study of Law.

Chas. H. Colwell, B. Sc., formerly of Woodstock now of Fredericton. A good basket ball player and captain of the team in his senior year.

G. Bruce Dixon, B. Sc., hails from Hopewell Hill. A general favorite

and a strong man on the football field. Captain of the team in his senior year. Intends to go to Vancouver in a few days.

Robert F. Eastman, B. Sc., hails from Petitcodiac. Took an active interest in all college affairs. Class president in the senior year. Prominent in Dramatic Society and Y. M. C. A. Leaves shortly for the West.

William C. Ewing, B. Sc., is from St. John and graduates in the Civil Engineering course. Popular member of class.

Guy A. Fitz-Randolph, B. Sc., graduates with high standing in the Forestry Department. Prominent in social life during course. Belongs to Fredericton.

B. W. Harmon, B. A. Comes from Woodstock. Entered the University as an engineering student but decided in his junior year to graduate in Arts. Expects to enter the Civil Service.

Thaddeus J. Hebert, B. A. Entered college from Dorchester High School. Throughout his course he has maintained an enviable record for scholarship. Was twice a member of the Debating team, and leader in his senior year. Premier of Mock Parliament and Valedictorian. Will teach.

Chas. E. K. Jones, B. A., a St. John boy graduates with high standing. Has received an appointment on the Dominion Geological Survey, and later expects to enter the Civil Service.

J. H. Barnett, B. A., whose home is at Hartland entered college in the sophomore year, being winner of the Asa Dow Scholarship. He graduates with a high average and will teach.

A. H. Tweedie, B. Sc. came from Chatham. He graduates after a successful course in Electrical Engineering. He has been prominent in the social life of the college.

H. E. Lockary, B. Sc., comes from St. Stephen and graduates with a high standing in Electrical Engineering. A good baseball player. Has accepted a position with the Sesting house Company of Hamilton, Ont.

W. P. Loggie, B. A., hails from Chatham. Efficient treasurer of M. F. A. Played quarter on the football team two seasons. Popular with classmates.

Arthur E. Floyd, B. A., joined the class of 1912 in his Junior year. President of Y. M. C. A. in Senior year. Will take charge of a mission field for the summer.

Earle R. Macnutt, B. A., graduate of Fredericton High School, has always stood well in his studies. Took a leading part in Mock Parliament and Debate. Won the Douglas Gold Medal for English Essay. Expects to study law.

Harry F. Morrisey, B. Sc., comes from St. John and joined the class as a Freshman-Sophomore. He graduates in Civil Engineering. Will follow his profession.

M. W. Maxwell, B. Sc., joined the class as a Junior, having spent a year in the west. Has a position as civil engineer with the C.N.R. President of Engineering Society in Senior year.

C. H. O'Halloran, B. A., hails from Victoria, B. C. He came from Ottawa College and joined the class in the Senior year. A football player and of genial disposition. Occupied a prominent place in college life. Will return in a few days to his home in Victoria.

John O'Neill, B. Sc., Fredericton boy and regarded as a consistent student. Has lately been appointed City Engineer of Fredericton.

Gilbert H. Prince, B. Sc. Hon., is at Jubilee. Received his early training at Kingston Consolidated School

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