

KINGSTON CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL

Honored by Presence of a Distinguished Party of Visitors.

ALGALA DAY IN THE HISTORY OF THE LITTLE KING'S COUNTY VILLAGE.

Pioneer in the Latest Advance in Popular Education.

(By a member of The Herald staff.)

A consolidated school to His Honor the Lieutenant Governor, his predecessor in office, members of the government and legislature of New Brunswick, representatives of the provincial press, and many leading educationalists is now a solid reality, instead of a condition of which many of these gentlemen might reasonably be supposed to have possessed a rather hazy idea.

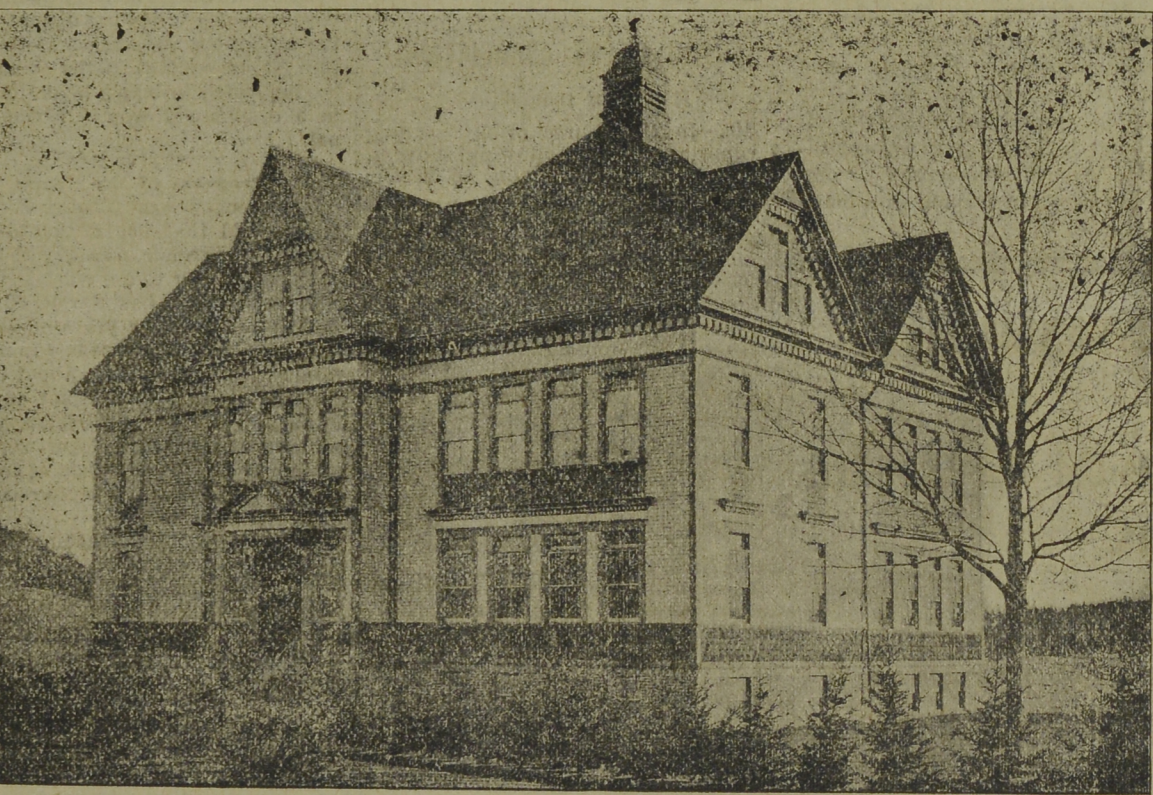
It was a happy thought of Dr. Inch, the popular and efficient Chief Supt. of Education when he conceived that a useful purpose would be served by inducing the representatives of the people in the assembly, the executive and the other classes of gentlemen mentioned to make a personal visit to the consolidated school at Kingston, Kings County, and see for themselves the advantages of co-operation in education between the various school districts in that section of the country, and all who were permitted to make the inspection must have returned with a well defined opinion that the new form of education, the new methods illustrated at the first consolidated school in this province, established through the beneficence of Sir William Macdonald, of Montreal, backed by the untiring energy and direction of Dr. J. W. Robertson, are certain to bear most important fruits and to give a great stimulus to the cause of education in the rural districts.

The visit of the distinguished party to Kingston on Thursday was made under very pleasant auspices, and the event will long be remembered as a bright spot in the lives of those who were privileged to be present.

With perfect weather conditions—a bright sunshine tempered with a friendly cooling breeze—a typical New Brunswick summer day—the enjoyment of the occasion was greatly enhanced by the excellent arrangements which Dr. Inch, with the co-operation of the government and the authorities of the school, had made for the entertainment of their guests.

Most of the party rendezvoused at the Royal Hotel, St. John, Wednesday night, the start being made for the outing at 8.30 Thursday morning, when the trim little steamer Champlain, specially chartered for the occasion, with a company of some fifty gentlemen, a representative gathering indeed, swung from her moorings at Indiantown and ploughing her way through The Narrows, ran up the beautiful Kennebecasis to the Wilfords, a distance of twenty miles, making the run in an hour and thirty minutes.

Here a landing was made and the party embarking in the school vans which had been despatched from Kingston, drove through a pretty bit of country diversified by hill and valley, here a stretch of water, and there beautiful green fields in all the wealth of their summer verdure.



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Florenceville Consolidated School Board, and the press representatives: Dr. Jas. Hannay, the official reporter of the legislature, John T. Hawke, Moncton Transcript, R. E. Armstrong, St. Andrew's Beacon, E. S. Carter, Telegraph, Mr. Jordan, Sun, T. O'Brien, St. John Monitor, Mr. Esmond, Maritime Farmer, Sussex, J. D. McKenna, Sussex Record and the Editor of the Daily Herald.

At Kingston.

A cordial welcome awaited the visitors at Kingston, a pretty village, where over 120 years ago a party of Loyalists founded one of the early English settlements of the province, and laid the foundations of future prosperous settlements.

Crowning the hill which overlooks a beautiful expanse of country extending many miles in all directions is the Consolidated school, the pride of Kings County and the envy of New Brunswick. Flags waving in the breeze and a pretty arch over the main entrance to the building with the word "Welcome", gaily decorated rooms, greeted the eyes of the visitors. A murmur of applause was emitted from the instructors and pupils massed at the front windows, and a well dressed holiday making crowd of people from the village and surrounding districts occupied the terrace and joined in the reception.

After a few minutes spent in introductions and a cursory inspection of the school building, a splendid structure, as well as seen from the accompanying illustration and the old Anglican church, but a few yards distant, built 116 years ago by Loyalists and yet in a fine state of preservation and in active use, the visitors were invited to a sumptuous luncheon under the adjoining trees, furnished and served by the ladies of the consolidated districts. At the suggestion of Rev. Mr. Wainwright, the respected rector of the parish, the company before attacking the

tempting viands, heartily sang the Doxology, and then fell to with an appetite invigorated by the sail and drive from St. John. During the progress of the luncheon Governor Snowball was the recipient of a handsome bouquet from a little child whom His Honor took in his arms and rewarded with a fatherly salutation.

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DOUBLE LIFE.

After 20 Years Death Revealed Duplicitly.

The Milwaukee Journal prints a story, on the authority of John Keating, that Peter H. Deacon, who died recently in Chicago, had lived a double life for twenty years, having at the same time families in Somerville, Mass., a suburb of Boston, and in Milwaukee.

Keating is a son-in-law of Deacon. According to Keating, Deacon came west twenty years ago and married Fanny Adeline Wilcox. He was known as the agent for a knitting manufacturing firm and had an office at 82 Wisconsin street, Milwaukee. Deacon was a leading supporter of the St. James Episcopal church. At the same time he had a wife and seven children residing in Somerville, Deacon having been married to Anna J. Tuitt in Somerville by Rev. Jas. Healy in 1868. The second marriage took place nearly 29 years later. The story of the double life leaked out when John Keating, husband of a daughter born of Deacon's first marriage, came west for the purpose of securing proofs of Deacon's death and adjusting two life insurance policies. According to Keating's story Deacon for many years represented to the wife in Massachusetts that he was a travelling man, and that his business kept him in the west most of the time. His visits to his eastern home were limited to about two each year. The only western address known to the eastern family was the Hotel Wellington, Chicago. For a long time Mr. Deacon supported the Somerville, Mass., family but shortly before his death his con-

LOVE REKINDLED BY TRAGEDY.

Believing She Was Divorced Mrs. Hartley Yet Grieves for Husband.

Chicago, Ill., June 14.—On the death of William H. Hartley, who was drowned in the automobile that plunged into the river at Rush Street on Sunday, Mrs. Mattie J. Hartley, who thought herself divorced, is left a legal widow, and Miss Pauline A. Edwards, of Boston, who expected to marry Hartley as soon as the decree was signed, is in despair.

Hartley's suit for divorce was heard in Judge Patton's court only a few hours before the applicant met his death. Mrs. Hartley failed to appear to meet the accusations against her, and the man's lawyers were ordered to write the decree for the judge to sign this week. But the decree was never written.

Mrs. Hartley believed herself divorced, but death overcame the aversion to the man that would have put her away that he might wed another, and all day she was at the river bank, watching the search for her husband's body, which is the only one that has been found. Accompanied by an elderly woman, believed to be her mother, Mrs. Hartley lingered for hours, showing signs of great grief. She does not know yet that the divorce decree was never signed.

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