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 - Quartette—Robin Adair Messrs Davison, Cook, Meloney, McKay
 - Solo—My Willie and Me Miss Florence Earle.
 - Clarinets—Comin' Thro' the Rye Prof. Watts.
 - Recitations—(a) Scotland, the World Mother. (b) Our Bit of the Thin Red Line. Miss Flo McKeen.
 - Solo—Auld Robin Gray Mrs. Watts.
 - Duett—Birka O' Aberfeldy Miss Amy Earle and Mr. Chas Earle
 - Highland march scene and dance, under the direction of Miss H. C. Macdonald, b Scottish lads and lassies.
- PART II.
- Medley—Bennie Laddie Orchestra.
 - Solo—T' Gid's ten songs Miss Bellinger.
 - Solo—By request to me Under My Plaidie Mr. Kober.
 - Recitation Mr. T. A. ...
 - Quartette—Annie Mrs. Norton, Mr. ... Mrs. Miss E T Brown, Miss Webster
 - Solo—Jam' ye by Athol Mr. Chas Earle.
 - Violin Solo—Auld Lang Syne Prof. Vinnicombe.
 - Solo—Barns and Scotland yet Mr. Frank Stanley.
 - Selection Orchestra.
 - Solo—Absent-minded Beggar Miss Florence Earle.
- God Save the Queen
Pianists—Prof. Earle, Watts and Mr. Blanchard.
Leader of Orchestra—Prof Vinnicombe,
Piper—Mr. Peter Ferguson.
Tickets and plan at Dodd's and Rankin's drugstores on Monday, the 22nd inst., at 10 o'clock, a. m.
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FARMERS' AND DAIRYMEN'S MEETING.

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two cases being carried out with gratifying results in Nova Scotia schools. I do not here recommend that new text books should immediately be provided. We now have books on botany, on chemistry and physics and other books already approved by the Board of Education which are ample for the ground work. With these and the two little books on "nature lessons," by Mr. Brittain, of Fredericton, and Mr. James, of Toronto, a teacher will be able to make a start. I would strongly recommend, however, aiding the teacher by frequent leaflets dealing with lessons appropriate to the season and which would help to make the nature lesson work uniform throughout the Province. The plan is already being followed with most gratifying results in the State of New York, and no longer ago than the 18th of last month the Agricultural Educational committee of the Royal Agricultural Society of England made a report giving a curriculum in the rural English schools and suggestions for having it carried out. Ontario is moving. The agricultural press is taking it up and the time is ripe for some action. Now the problem confronts us. How shall we get teachers who will take up and make a success of these nature lessons? Here is a place for some Governmental action and expenditure. Facilities must be given at the Normal School for these student teachers to get suitable instruction, and they should have a little substantial encouragement to carry out the work in their schools. In a paper of this kind we cannot go into details, but a comparatively small expenditure would do much. One suggestion we would here incorporate, given us by Mr. John Brittain, that a summer class of instruction should be arranged for teachers during the school vacation, where they could be taken right out on the farms by one or two competent instructors and the actual connection between the proposed nature lessons and the actual farm practice be shown, this demonstration work to be accompanied by a short course of class lectures and discussions. Teachers should have some inducement to attend this class by not only free travelling expenses and board but also by some compensation. An addition should also be made to the salary of teachers who will give a good course of these nature lessons.

So much for the elementary schools. We have by this plan given our young people a chance to become interested in the natural world around them and so to become interested in the work on the farm as a natural consequence. We have by these means, I hope, got the interest of some people and their children and we should have been giving them a great deal of useful knowledge at the same time.

We have now our young people at (say) twelve or thirteen years of age with a fair idea of the resources of the country and some idea of the possibilities of agriculture. As a consequence a considerable proportion will begin to make up their minds to be farmers. How shall these young people best utilize the few remaining years of their school life? Those who are to be commercial men or lawyers or doctors or clergymen have already the way opened to them. Our high schools lead them along paths to take a college course which will fit them for their occupation. But not so our intending farmers; the longer they attend a high school the further they are drawn from the farm the workshop or the mine.

We must have technical high schools leading to the practical productive work of life. We want short winter course schools for agriculture. For the merchant class we are glad to note that through the efforts of Professor Robertson and the influence of Sir William McDonalds we are to have schools of manual training established as experimental schools in all our provinces.

Our agricultural high schools need not be many at first, and simply multiply as the demand grows. I would suggest for a start one in connection with each normal school, one as an enlargement of the course of the Sussex Dairy School, and one as an enlargement of the School of Horticulture at Wolfville.

These schools could both teach the advanced children and make provision for the actual workers from the farm by giving these latter special short courses which teach the results of scientific investigation rather than teach how to investigate. Life is too short for every man to be a chemist, a botanist and an entomologist. The practical farmer must be content to practice the precepts of those investigators without going into the details of their investigations.

Now, have we accomplished the work of agricultural education? Not yet. Where and how are we to get our trained thinkers, our scientific students to keep

up the teaching staff of our agricultural high schools, our experiment station directors, and to equip man to grapple with scientific difficulties that seem continually growing to hamper our farmers' work? We must have an agricultural college. It will be the last step, the capstone of this educational structure, and while its cost will be great the lack of it will in future years cost the country more.

We are already familiar with the steps that are being taken to establish a technical college by three the Maritime Provinces. It is a good one, and one day will be a most necessary institution. But we need the other steps first. We must lead up to the work of this institution by first arousing the interests of the people and then giving them such preliminary training as will make them feel the need of the technical college. There are other colleges from which we can draw our first set of teachers, and let us not rush into the expenditure of \$300,000 or \$400,000 without preparing the way to such an expensive institution. We must recognize that a college can only reach the few, those who perhaps least need state aid, while all about us there are thousands leaving our farm homes and our country for the lack of a conception of the possibilities that lie about them.

I might multiply evidence of the value of the preliminary work to the success of an agricultural college and of the failure of the college to meet the needs of the farm population. Almost every state in the union, the Province of Ontario, and Great Britain furnish examples. The authorities in all these countries find they must reach out to the people and they are doing it with great success. Then let us look at France, Denmark, Germany and other countries and we find that the practical success they have attained has been through extending their system of agricultural education to almost every primary school.

Let us take a lesson from these countries, by their failures as by their successes, and build surely if slowly, and educational structure which will help us to make this province one of the greatest and most prosperous agricultural countries in the world.

Want of space prevents our giving reports of the other speeches to-day; but they will be published in future issues of THE EXAMINER.

PERSONAL.

Mr. John Macleod went to Halifax last night.

Mr. A. F. Larkins crossed by the Minto this morning.

Mr. Roy Maclean returned to the city this morning.

Mr. J. M. Davison and his son Roy, went to Halifax last night.

Mr. J. F. Gallagher was a passenger by the train from the east this morning.

Mr. T. J. Gallagher, of Moncton, who has many friends in Charlottetown, and Miss Maud Adams, daughter of the late Senator Adams, were married in Roxbury, Mass., on Jan 8th. The bride was assisted by Miss Nellie Gallagher, sister of the groom, while S. Clay Adams, of New York, a brother of the bride, did the honors for the groom.

Jan Catarrh Be Cured?

Shepherd G. Frost, Chatham, N. B., writes: "For a number of years I have been troubled with catarrh and headache, and have tried many remedies during that time, but without avail. At last I heard of your medicated air treatment and procured a Catarrhozone outfit. Within twenty four hours my headache disappeared and has not since returned, and in a short time I have been completely cured of Catarrh. I recommend Catarrhozone as the safest and cheapest cure for Catarrh. One bottle did the trick for me." Catarrh-o-zone is sold by all druggists. trial outfit sent for ten cents in stamps. N. C. Pelson & Co., Kingston, Ont., Proprietors.

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"SOME DEVIL is inside of me, tickling my throat with a feather," said a good deacon with a bad cough. "Well, this is the holy water that will cast the devil out," said his wife, as she produced a bottle of Adamson, Botanic Cough Balsam. 25c. all Druggists.

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Local and Other Items

MONEY FOR THE BOYS.—Boys can make pocket money and earn prizes by selling THE DAILY EXAMINER. Send the boys along.

THE B. C. BORDEN.—The Sch. B. C. Borden has arrived safely at Port of Spain, Trinidad. She next loads for Las Palmas, Canaries.

ST. JOSEPH'S CONVENT.—The concert by the pupils of St. Joseph's Convent last evening was very well attended. The concert was given in the Convent hall, and the programme was the same as at the entertainment last month. The rendering was all that could be desired and the audience was delighted.

WOMEN'S LOCAL COUNCIL.—All presidents, or their representatives, of affiliated societies, and all members of the executive committee of the W. L. C. are requested to meet in the P. W. College tomorrow (Saturday) at 3.30 p. m. A good attendance is greatly required, as business of importance is to be discussed in preparation for the annual general meeting of the society.

BIBLE STUDY.—The united normal class for Bible study, which has recently been organized in this city, met for the first lesson last night in the parlor of the Y. M. C. A. building. The text book used is "Dr. Hurlbut's Revised Normal Lessons," and may be purchased from Haszard & Moore for thirty cents. All Sunday school teachers are especially invited to join the class, and any others interested in Bible study are welcome. The class now numbers about thirty-five, with the Rev. G. P. Raymond leader, and Mrs. S. Sanderson, secretary. It meets on Thursday evenings at 8 o'clock in the Y. M. C. A. parlor, and closes at 9 o'clock. Exact punctuality is observed in opening and closing.

ZION CHURCH.—The annual meeting of Zion Church was held last evening and the report for 1899 given. The financial statement showed receipts to be \$2,694 and expenditure \$2,331, leaving \$363 as a balance. During the year \$1,762 was expended on the church, of which \$930 has been paid. The following officers were elected. Trustees: D Schurman, chairman; Hon. D Farquharson, John McLaurin, S A McDonald, David McInnis, Jasper Pickard, J M Campbell, secretary. The following are the officers of the Sunday school: D Schurman, Superintendent; Henry Coffin, Vice Superintendent; W M Coffin, Secretary Treasurer; Miss Ina McMillan, Librarian; Luther Coffin, Wm McInnis, A C Sinclair, Assistants; Annie Morris, Librarian for Primary class; Annie Fraser, Organist; W T Huggan, Record Keeper.

CONCERT AND SOCIAL.—The concert and basket social given by the O. Y. B's. in the Orange Hall at Milton last night was a great success. The hall was crowded and many could not get seats and had to stand. It is hardly necessary to give the whole programme but the solo by Mr. John E. Cameron, Dogharty's Boarding House, brought down the house and when encored "Sweet Belle Mahone." The solos by Miss Bridges are deserving of mention. One of the best things on the programme was a roasting farce entitled, "The Manager's Troubles" rendered by the O. Y. B's., assisted by several young ladies. The baskets were auctioned by Mr. John Diamond and brought a goodly sum. Cakes, candy and nuts were also sold by auction. About \$30 was realized. The young Britons wish to thank Barton Lodge for the use of their hall, and all who helped to make the entertainment the success that it was. The concert will be repeated at King-ton, in connection with a pie social at an early date.

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