A VALUABLE GIFT

Dr. R. C. Archibald, '94, has recently sent to the Mary Millsell Archibald Library at the Ladies' College two hundred and fifteen volumes of poetry and recitations. This completes the set of four hundred and sixty-three volumes indexed in detail in the new edition of Edith Hargre's Index to Poetry and Recitations. The Mary Millsell Archibald Library is a very fine collection of modern English literature. It contains among other things the splendid Library edition of Ruskin in thirty-nine volumes edited by Sir E. T. Cooke.

Alberta P. Craig, '09

Miss Craig is at present in the Sanatorium at Ninette, Man. She had the influenza during the winter and has some trouble with the after-effects. She is reading actively in the endeavor to while away the time which must occasionally pass rather slowly. The Record extends sympathy and the hope of better conditions soon to follow.

OUT OF THE PAST

In the year 1874 the "Mount Allison Ladies' Academy" had an enrolment of 90 students. The marks for studies during the year were arranged in two ranks from 765 to 1000 and from 795 to 765. The names as they appear on the Register are subjoined.

FIRST

Miss Jane Humphrey, Moncton.
Miss Laura Humphrey, Moncton.
Miss Sarah Humphrey, Moncton.
Miss Davis, Bridgewater, N. S.
Miss Barnes, Sackville.
Miss Cunningham, Cape Canso, N. S.
Miss Moore, Moncton.
Miss Hickman, Dorchester.
Miss Anderson, Halifax, N. S.

Miss Tuttle, Annapolis, N. S.
Miss A. Humphrey, Moncton.
Miss Prescott, Penfield.
Miss Read, Minischt.
Miss Bilsford, Fredericton.
Miss McCurdy, Picton, N. S.
Miss Cochran, Moncton.
Miss Lockhart, St. John.
Miss Young, Yarmouth.
Miss Berry, Bangor, Me.
Miss E. Truesman, Sackville.
Miss Marshall, Hillsburg, N. S.
Miss Machum, Jerusalem.
Miss Connolly, Woodstock.
Miss Oulton, Moncton.
Miss L. Anderson, Sackville.
Miss Cook, Halifax.
Miss Fisher, St. John.

SECOND

Miss Sutherland, Georgetown, P. E. I.
Miss FRESE, Picton, N. S.
Miss Black, Sackville.
Miss Stewart, Sackville.
Miss H. Tweedie, Amherst.
Miss KINZIG, Halifax.
Miss M. A. Russell, Sackville.
Miss McClung, Sussex.
Miss Kitchen, Picton.
Miss Graham, Kingston, Kent.
Miss Troop, Bolle' Isle, N. S.
Miss Ryan, Millbrook.
Miss Tweedie, Amherst, N. S.
Miss Routledge, Bridgewater, C. B.
Miss HIBBARD, Minischt, N. S.
Miss HENRY, River John, N. S.
Miss Douil, Picton, N. S.
Miss Maddock, Carbonar, Nbd.
Miss SMITH, Minischt, N. S.
Miss CHURCHILL, Hillsport, N. S.
Miss McNutt, Mount, N. S.
Miss Colman, Port Medway, N. S.
Miss A. Davison, Bridgewater, N. S.
Miss KING, Halifax, N. S.
Miss Allent, Hampton.
Miss Park, Port Medway, N. S.

THE "CLOSING"

The Closing exercises of the Mount Allison Institutions began on Saturday morning, May 17th, with a recital by students of the Ladies' College. During the afternoon students of the department of Oratory put on a play in the Opera House entitled "The Fearless and the Cow." Under the direction of Miss Leslie, head of the department, there was a large attendance at the play and it proved to be an enjoyable performance. Saturday evening the Grand Reception was attended by a large number of students and visitors.

Sunday evening the Baccalaureate Sermon was preached by the Rev. D. B. Homme, B. A., of St. John's, Newfoundland. His subject was "A Challenge to Youth" and was an inspiring and powerful address prepared with thought and care and well delivered. Mr. Hume is the father of Miss Ellen Homme, a member of the graduating class at the University. He, himself, is a former student of the University who later completed his work for his degree at Acadia. The choral class of seventy-five voices, under the direction of Prof. Brunton, gave a rendering of Maund's "Praise the Lord, O Jerusalem!" and the orchestra gave Meyerbeer's "March of the Prophets." Fawcett Hall was filled and altogether the service was a most inspiring one.

Monday afternoon the Academy exercises were held. The report of the Principal, Dr. Palmer, showed the large attendance of 224 as against 176 the year previous. The matriculants were:

Herbert Bald, Pem, Quebec.
Arnold Clarke, St. Stephen.
Hamilton Clarke, St. Stephen.
Richard A. Dawson, St. John.
Humphrey Flemington, Andover.
Edward Franshaw, Tracadie.
Gordon King Kelley, St. John.
Lester Kirkpatrick, Gaspe.
Ralph Miller, Elmada.
Donald Richardson, Chipman.
William Watson, St. John's, Nfld.
Wilson Wyse, Moncton.
Besides these there were many graduates in Bookkeeping and Stenography. The Mathematical Scholarship was won by Wilson Wyse, of Moncton; the English Scholarship by Humphrey Flemington, of Andover, and the Nelson Shield by Fred Fisher, of Middleton.

Fawcett Hall was well filled Monday evening for the Closing Exercises of the Ladies' College. An interesting program was carried out before the presenting of certificates. Both the Orchestra and Choral Class gave excellent numbers. The following were the graduates:

**Literary Department**
- Mistress of Liberal Arts—Emily Ruth Boutilier, Halifax; Ada Margaret Bryden Webster, "Julifax.
- Expression and Oratory—Evelyn Frances Hue, Oxford; Hazel La Verne Glennie, Oxford; Elizabeth Freeman Elderkin, Bridgetown.

**Household Science**
- One Year Normal Course—Edith Page Lipsitt, Centreville, (N. B.);
- Two Year Normal Course—Doris Stewart Rentciman, Annapolis Royal;
- Mary Frances Vickery Yarmouth;
- Frances Henderson Jordan, St. John.

**Conservatory of Music**
- Piano—Emily Blanche Galtken, Moncton; Kathryn Elizabeth Thompson Hillsboro.

**Department of Fine Arts**
- Arts and Crafts—Mary Kathleen Burgess, Moncton; Florence Janetta Huelsis, St. Stephen.
- Many prizes and scholarships were awarded.
- The Owens' Museum of Fine Arts, whose opportunities are attracting many students, was open during the Closing Exercises, to give the public an opportunity to see the exhibition of students' work and the recent work of Professor Hammond, which occupied an entire room. There were two graduates in this department this year, Miss Burgess, of Moncton, and Miss Huelsis, of St. Stephen. Each of these young ladies had exhibits of their Art work which attracted great attention and praise. Many other students had exhibits of their work as well. Great credit is due to the teachers, Miss Besan McLeod, Miss Marie Hewson and Miss Gwendolyn Mews, for the development of this work.

The Convocation of the University on Tuesday evening closed the exercises for the year. A brief program preceded the Valedictory Address given by George Skinner, of St. John, N. B. It was a carefully thought out presentation of Bolshevism as it exists today, delivered with splendid effect.

The following received degrees and certificates:

**Bachelor of Arts**
- Anthony, Eli Reid, Fogo, Nfld;
- Barnes, Harriet Ada, Hampton, N. B.;
- Burbridge, Wilfred Arnold, Lower Canard, N. S.;
- Crossman, Roy Arnold, Dorchester, N. B.;
- Hemmone, Ellen Chapman Bliss, St. John's, Nfld;
- Jordan, Frances Henderson, St. John, N. B.;
- Lea, Lorne Fisher, Victoria, P. E. I.;
- Macdonald, Marion Harrison, Westfield Centre, N. B.;
- Mazner, Morris Osborne, Brockton, Mass.;
- McKay, Grace Gwendolyn, Brightton, Digby Co.;
- McMullin, Helen Janet, Jacquet River, N. B.;
- Moore, Ettie Beryl, St. John's, Nfld;
- Murray, James Orkney Stuart, Sackville, N. B.;
- Pickard, Margaret Stockton, Sackville, N. B.;
- Skinner, George Ferguson, St. John, N. B.;
- Woods, Phyllis Harriet, St. John's, Nfld.

**Bachelor of Science**
- Guy, William George, Carbonar, Nfld;
- M. A. (in course)—Allen, Ray LeRoy (B. A. '17), Amherst, N. S.;
- Black, Rev. William Arthur (B. A. '79), Sioux Falls, South Dakota; Brundage, Ernest Burgess (B. A. '17), Amherst, N. S.;
- Helps, Rev. Geo. Stanley (B. A. '18), Hampton, N. B.
- Ll. D.—Goodwin, Prof. Wm. Lawton, B. Sc., (Lond.) D. Sc. (Edin.), Kingston, Ont.;
- Inch, George Alfred (B. A. '78), Fredericton, N. B.;
- Certificates in Applied Science—Langstroth, Cecil Craven, Hampton, N. B.;
- Stiles, Raymond Donald, Pictou, N. S.
- The Alumni Honors—W. G. Guy, Newfoundland.
- The Sheffiled Mathematical Scholarship—$60.00, W. A. Burbridge, Lower Canard, N. S.
- The Margaret Horne Sinnott prizes of $30.00 each, English 3, Miss Hemmone, St. John's, Newfoundland; English 1, Miss Marion Morris, Granville.
- P.E.I.
- Priddham Essay Prize—Miss Ruth Humphrey, Hampton, N. B.
- Prizes given by George R. Hart, Esq., of Halifax, N. S.:
  - $15.00 Chemistry 1, J. W. Button, Newfoundland.
  - $15.00 Calculus, F. W. Winters, Lunenburg, N. S.
  - $10.00 Physics 1, Miss Evelyn Colpitts, Upper Dorchester, N. B.
- The Freshman Fred Tyler Scholarships, $50 each; First, Miss Evelyn Colpitts, Upper Dorchester; Second, Nigel B. Tennant, St. John.

**PRIZES IN ENGINEERING**
- S. M. Brookfield Prizes

**SECOND YEAR**
- Highest General Average in Two Years Course—$50—C. C. Langstroth.
- Second highest general average in Two Years Course—$30—R. D. Stiles.
- Third highest general average in Two Years Course—$20—No award.

**FIRST YEAR**
- Highest standing in Descriptive Geometry—$15—M. B. Farnham.
- C. Avard White Prize

**Certificates**
- Cecil Craven Langstroth, Hampton, N. B.
- Raymond Donald Stiles, Pictou, N. S.

**HONORARY DEGREES**
Two honorary degrees were given at Convocation. Dean William L. Goodwin of Queen's University was presented for the degree of L. L. D. by Professor Henton, a lifelong friend, in the following words:

"Mr. President: It is my duty this evening to present to you Dr. William L. Goodwin, Dean of the Faculty of Science of Queen's University and Professor of Chemistry, for the degree of Doctor of Laws. It is very fitting that Dr. Goodwin should receive this honor from Mount Allison for many reasons, but particularly because he was born and brought up in this county, received his first collegiate education in this University and while a student.
here won the Canadian Gilchrist scholarship in 1877.

After that he was a student in the great universities of London, Edinburgh and Heidelberg. He took the B. Sc. degree in London, the D. Sc. in Edinburgh and was a student at Heidelberg under the renowned Bunsen. During the year 1859-60 he was Professor of Science in this University and was then called to Queen's University in 1883 where he had since worked with such great success. At that time he was the only Professor of Chemistry. Under his leadership that department has grown wonderfully till now there are in it three full professors, three assistant professors and six laboratory assistants with a great school of over 500 students. In addition to this work he organized the Ontario School of Mines which has been such an important factor in the development of New Ontario; and a little later he organized the Faculty of Science of which he has been the Dean from the first.

Mr. George A. Inch was presented for the LL. D. degree by Professor DeBarras, Secretary of the Faculty, in the following words:

Honored President: It is my pleasing duty to present to you the degree of Doctor of Laws honoris causa Mr. G. A. Inch, B. S., B. A. The name which Mr. Inch bears calls to the mind of all who knew him and particularly of those who in former days sat at his feet, that of the late Dr. Inch, for many years President of this University and later Superintendent of Education for this Province, whose memory is held in such high honour amongst us. We are pleased to know that Mr. Inch sprang from the same splendid stock. After preparing himself in the public school of his native place he entered this University in 1877 and in the year 1877 obtained the degree of B. S. and in the following year, that of B. A., thus graduating, as I need not remind you, sir, a member of the class to which you yourself belong.

Mr. Inch elected to enter the profession of teaching and for a number of years was a successful teacher in the Public Schools of this Province. In 1874 he was called to the Staff of the Provincial Normal School at Fredericton, later became Vice-President of same and head of the department of Mathematics. Thus a great many of those who are now teaching in the schools of this Province have passed under his hand. And I doubt not that the action of this University in conferring this honor upon Mr. Inch will give great satisfaction to these former students of his and to many others besides, for they will regard it as a well-merited honour bestowed upon a worthy representative of that noble profession to which our country owes so much and to whose self-denying services so little praise is given.

Personally Mr. Inch has always been of a quiet and retiring nature, and has never sought to attract the notice of the public eye. During his long career as a teacher he has been a typical member of that comparatively small number who are content to gather about them a few students year after year, within the narrow walls of the class room, and to find their chief joy in endeavouring to pour into their young lives some of their own enthusiasm for true culture and to win their devotion to all that is noble in thought and excellent in character.

the men from Mount Allison as well as of those from Oxford it may be said:—

"They left the peaceful river,
To a cricket-field, the quad,
The shaven lawns of Oxford,
To seek a bloody sod.
They gave their merry youth away
For Country and for God.

"God rest you, happy gentlemen,
Who said your good lives down,
Who took the Khaki and the gun,
Instead of cap and gown.
God bring you to a fairer place
Than even Oxford Town."

The fairer place is not that "Sweet and blessed Country, the home of God's elect," but rather it is, as someone says, "any place where man gives his all for an ideal; it is any place where men and women offer up themselves for something which they believe to be gloriously right and eternally true."

The great sacrifice has been made. The memory of it, however, is with us to inspire to deeds of unselfishness and heroic service. The need of such a service is evident during these days of reconstruction when our world is recovering from the delirium of our four years' whirlwind of war. The least we can do is to cherish the memory, and honor the names of our men who have fallen. A movement to erect a fitting memorial to the men who have served and the men who have fallen during the war has been inaugurated by the Alumni and Alumnae Societies under the direction of the Board of Regents.

The need of a building where the students can get access to the 25,000 or more volumes that have been collected, and carry on their studies in the silence and quiet of a well-organized Library has long been felt. The time seemed opportune for the erection of a Library Building, where tablets should be placed upon the walls which would contain the names and honors of all the Mount Allison men and women who have served.

While the Memorial was originally intended to secure an appropriate and permanent record of the sacrifice and service of Mount Allison men and women, the scope of it has been widened so as to make the building a memorial to the war effort of Maritime Methodism. The appeal is one that touches the finer sympathies and patriotic impulses of our patrons everywhere. The fact that nearly 600 Mount Allison men have enlisted, that over 200 have received commissions and 37 decorations, bears striking testimony to the quality as well as the quantity of the manhood Mount Allison contributed to the war. While the appeal for a Library has met with a most cordial reception by the friends of Mount Allison everywhere the fact that the call for subscriptions has fallen among scores of other patriotic appeals has interfered somewhat with the success of the movement. Substantial subscriptions, however, have been received and it is hoped that the members of the Alumni and Alumnae Societies present will make arrangements to carry on the campaign in fuller detail.

You will be pleased to learn that the movement to secure $50,000.00 increased endowment, the primary object of which would be to increase the salaries of our Professors has met with a fair measure of success, six sub-
scriptions of $5,000.00 each having been secured. We cannot afford to
forfeit the conditional pledges already
given by falling to secure the full
$50,000.00.
While the year has been one of
marked success and the educational
results have been gratifying; while
the income from students' accounts
has been about $7,000.00 in advance
of last year; while the outlook for
the future was never brighter than it
is today; while new fields of educational
art are opening up in every direc-
tion; while the call of the hour is for
an education that is practical as well
as cultural; while the College, like
the aero-plane flotilla assembled at
Newfoundland, seems to be waiting
for favorable conditions to wing its way
to new conquests, it seems a sordid
and unworthy anti-climax to say that
the friends of Mt. Allison will have to
face their educational problems in a
bigger way and put themselves loy-
ally and unselfishly at the back of
our educational work, if Mt. Alli-
son is to hold her place in the front
rank of Maritime Universities. The
fact, however, remains and will have
to be faced.

THE LOYALTY FUND

At the Alumni meeting Dr. Borden
reported in regard to the Loyalty
Fund. It had been last year of great
assistance, over eleven hundred dol-
lars having been paid in. This year
no special effort has been made to
push the fund owing to the can-
vass for the Memorial Library
Fund. Notice, however, has been sent
out to the previous contributors and
has met with a good response. Two
amounts of three hundred dollars each
paid in the previous year were for
that year only. Without that $749 has
already been received. A noteworthy
gift was that of $100 from the class of
1894. This class, on this twenty-fifth
anniversary of graduation, has pledged
itself to contribute $100 a year for the
next five years. All the members of
the class would also connect them-
seves with the Alumni Society. Of this
class Dr. R. C. Archibald was a mem-
ber, and it was largely through his ef-
torts that this organization has been
effectuated. It showed what was possible
and might well be adopted as an ex-
ample by other classes. If the Presi-
dents or Secretaries of various classes
would undertake similar organization,
the University would derive valuable
help and prosper as never before. A
pathy is the great enemy of progress.

THE ALUMNI SCHOLARSHIPS

For a number of years the Alumni
Society has offered two scholarships
of $25 each for matriculants from the
Academy entering upon work in the
University. One was formerly offered
for the best record in Mathematics and
the other for the highest standing in
Latin and Greek or Latin and French.
A year or two ago a change was made
so that one has been offered as previ-
ously in Mathematics, and the other
for the best work in Matriculation
English. This is reported to have widened
the competition and increased the in-
terest. For the year just ending the
scholarship in Mathematics was won
by Wilson Wyse, of Moncton, and
that in English by Humphrey Flem-
ington, the son of Rev. C. Flem-
ington, of Andover, N. B. It is hoped that
both young men will join the Fresh-
man Class in September.

DR. BORDEN'S ADDRESS AT
CONVOCATION

Ladies and Gentlemen of the Graduat-
ing Class:
The inevitable process of the suns
has brought us once more to the
parting of the ways. After four
years of intimate association,
during which you have explored
many interesting fields of know-
ledge, and doubtless in many direc-
tions have run up against the bound
aries of human limitations that is
constantly crowding upon men and re-
stricting their activities, you are now
called upon to face a new set of con-
ditions where practical questions of
living service will have to be consid-
ered. Some of you will, perhaps, con-
tinue your research and help to press
back a little the boundaries of human
ignorance. The important question is,
however, not so much what you pro-
pose to do as the ideals you will car-
ry into your work. Palma virtuti is a
motto which has been handed down
through the centuries on an old En-
grish Coat of Arms, a literal transla-
tion of which I take to mean the
"palm to virtue", or translated into still
more practical English—the "reward
to him who merits."

From what I know of the spirit
you have carried into your studies
none of you would want to claim any
merit that you did not deserve. In
other words you are prepared to accept
the verdict of this practical age, which
will, after all, insist upon giving you
only the recognition you have fairly
won. There is no more pitiable mor-
tal than the one who carries a "grrouch"
against society because he thinks he
is not appreciated. Do not go out in
to the practical affairs of life con-
cerned too much about the rewards
of service. Your main concern is to
merit success. You may not win it.
Paul died in prison, his life humanly
speaking a colossal failure; but Paul,
in the gloom and chill of his dungeon,
turns his back upon the troubled past,
upon his scourgings and shipwrecks
and looking out into the illimitable
stretches of the great future exclaims,
"Henceforth there is laid up for me a
crown."

"All honor to him who shall win the
prize the world has set for a thousand
years,
But to him who tries and fails and dies
I givo great honor and glory and
tears.
Give honor and glory and pitiful tears
to all who fall in their deeds sub-
lime.
Their ghosts are many in the van of
years. They were born with time in
advance of time.
And great is the hero with sword un-
drawn, and good is the man who re-
frains from wine,
But greater many and many a time
some pale-faced fellow who dies in
shame and lets God finish his
thoughts sublime."
I do not covet for you a place in the
ranks of those who fall, but I do covet
for you a place with those who deserve
success. Never in human history
did the world need more men of the
Pauline type who can say "I count
not my life dear unto me"; men of
the Galilean type, who imprisoned by
a bigoted church because he had dis-
covered the revolution of the earth up
on its axis, in the face of death ex-
claims "It does move!"; men like Lu-
ther, who in the face of persecution
and imprisonment exclaims "I can do no other!"

Shall the revulsion of democracy from guidance and control swing in Canada as in Russia to extremes of lawlessness and violence, or shall the prime intellectual product of our Colleges, devoted unsatisfactorily to a public service grip and direct and control these turbulent popular movements in the interests of justice and more effective production? The future is largely with you men and women of your type who have a vision of duty. I have felt from the beginning of the war that the time would come when our College men would be needed for a larger and a finer service than they could possibly render on the fields of Flanders.

It is a matter of great pride and satisfaction to the Faculty that Mount Allison University is able to contribute to our Country such a fine group of intellectual leaders as have received their diplomas on this platform today. Nothing gives the real teacher greater pleasure than to watch the development of intellect and character that takes place in the history of nearly every student who passes through the classes of our College. The finest product of a college education is not found in the mere knowledge obtained or in the increase of mental power, but in the development of those qualities of heart and soul which make a student "one with his kind" and fit him to bear his share of the world's burdens.

DR. BORDEN'S REPORT

The past year at Mount Allison has been one of varied interest. We were fortunate in being able to get through with the influenza epidemic, which swept over the Colleges early in the year and broke up the work of many, without having to suspend our classes. It is a matter of great gratification and should be appreciated by the patrons and friends of our educational institutions that, notwithstanding the fact that over one hundred cases of this fatal disease developed in our Institutions, under the blessing of God, we were able to get through without the loss of a single life. Apart from this epidemic the general health of the students has been excellent and notwithstanding the temporary inconvenience suffered through the development of a light case of smallpox in the University Residence later in the school year, our work has not been seriously interfered with. We have had a total registration of 196. Of these it has been our pleasure to welcome back to Mount Allison some twenty or more of our undergraduates who had volunteered in the service of the Empire. While there has been much talk about the nervous unrest of our returned men and the difficulty they have experienced in settling down to the routine of daily life, it is a great gratification to us to bear testimony to the fine character and studious habits of our returned boys. I cannot recall a single instance where the men from overseas have not returned to us better men than when they left us.

Our thoughts naturally revert to the sixty or more men who are out there in Flanders' Fields never to return. We can but trust ourselves to speak or even think of these men, who, impelled by the "Voice of God's moral universe", counted not their lives dear unto themselves. Of

THE ALUMNI HONORS

Each year the Alumni Society awards a Life Membership to that member of the graduating class who takes during his or her course the highest general average. This singles out in each class one member who is permanently connected with the society. It is a long (since 1876) and growing list and contains, as might be expected, many of the well-known graduates of the University. This year the competition was unusually close between William G. Guy, B. Sc., of Carbonera, Newfoundland, who gained the honor, and George F. Skinner, B. A., of St. John, N. B. Both made an unusually high average. Mr. Guy is to return as instructor in physics; Mr. Skinner expects to enter on a course in medicine at McGill or Harvard.

ALUMNI LIFE MEMBERSHIPS

Any Alumni may become a Life Member of the society by paying a fee of twenty dollars. These fees are invested with the Endowment Fund and become a permanent source of income to the Society. A life membership is convenient since it saves the members the trouble of remitting a dollar each year. Frequently no doubt many lay aside the notice and in the pressure of business it gets overlooked. Since the notice was sent out a year ago the following have become life members: Capt. (Rev.) Ernest Balnes, '11, who has recently returned from overseas; R. P. Bell, '07, of Halifax, N. S.; Miss Leah Borden, '10 who has been teaching in the Ladies' College and has for the coming year leave of absence; Miss Maria Buffett, '11, of Grand Bank, Nfld.; F. A. Dixon, '81, of Sackville, N. B., now engaged in the promotion of science work under the Educational Department of N. B. P. C. L. Harris, '86, now Rev. W. H. Gilmore, Calif., who wrote from a hospital in which he was recovering from a severe illness; Mrs. Homer Tate of Evanston, Ill., better known to many as Miss Florence Webb, '04; and the Rev. T. A. Wilson, Ph. D., '89, who has been a chaplain overseas and is soon expected back to resume his work in the Alberta Conference. This is a fine long list and it may be hoped points to increased interest in the society. Active membership in the Alumni Society means much to the University. Let everybody join and come as frequently as possible to the annual meeting and reunion.

ALUMNI REPRESENTATIVES ON THE BOARD

By legislation passed at the last session of the New Brunswick legislature the Alumni Society is empowered to elect four more members to the Board of Regents. Heretofore the society has elected two members each year who hold office for four years. Henceforth three members will be elected each year to hold office for four years. This year Col. A. H. Borden '03, of Halifax, and H. F. S. Paskell '04, editor of the Sydney Record, were the two members elected to hold office for four years from Jan. 1920. In accordance with the provisions of the new bill this society proceeded to elect the four new members. They are Norman T. Ayard, '03, who has been the efficient Secretary of the Board for the past four years, and who will hold office till Jan. 1924; E. R. Mackum, Esq., of St. John, till Jan. 1923; W. B. Tennant, Esq., of St. John, till Jan. 1922; and W. Roy Smith, '98 B. Sc., of Montreal, till Jan. 1921.
It is hoped that the added representation will increase the interest of the Alumni in the meetings of the Board. Candidates may be nominated by any two members of the Society. Nomination papers sent to the secretary at any time up to April 5 ensure that the names of candidates will appear on the voting papers sent out about the middle of April.

Officers of the Alumni Society

The officers of the Alumni Society elected at the recent meeting are as follows:—The President is R. R. Hanson of the class of '99, now Mayor of Fredericton, N. B. The three Vice Presidents are Rev. George Morris, B. A., of St. John; Mrs. Arthur L. Johnson, B. A., of Amherst, N. S.; and Ray L. Allen of Amherst, who at this Convocation took his M. A. in Physics.

The Secretary Treasurer is W. M. Tweedie who has had a long term of office; the assistant is Raleigh Tritts, B. A., LL. B. The Council is composed of Prof. Hunton, Mrs. W. G. Watson, C. A. Ayard, H. M. Wood and Rev. Dr. Morton.

MT. ALLISON IN NEWFOUNDLAND

Mt. Allison has always been a magic word in Newfoundland. From this rock-ridden, ancient Dominion have come to the University lecture-rooms some of her strongest sons and daughters, who are, today, filling positions of influence in the home land and abroad, in a fashion worthy of the training they received in this Alma Mater. In pulpit, in business, in scholarship and in professional life, we find among the leaders the men and women of Newfoundland, who have been trained in Mt. Allison University.

It is but natural that we should look first to the pulpits for the strongest examples of Mt. Allison men. For many years, Mr. Allison in Newfoundland stood almost entirely as a theological institution, and as a result today we find a large majority of the strongest and most influential preachers in the Conference are men of Mt. Allison. We may place first upon the list the honored name of Dr. Howard Sprague, '63 M. A., '66, D. D. '82, perhaps the most eloquent Methodist preacher of his time, and at his death the Dean of our Faculty of Theology. Dr. Sprague held the most influential pulpits of his day in the Maritime Provinces and Newfoundland, and his name will always be revered for his eloquence, and scholarship in his chosen field.

Another important preacher of his time is Dr. H. P. Cowperthwaite '87, M. A., 1870, D. D. 1903, who is now, after having been for many years in the fore-front of influence among his followers, living in a supernumerary position in St. John's Nfld. The present pastor of the Cochrane St. Church, St. John's, Dr. George J. Bond is also an honored Mt. Allison graduate, B. A., '74 LL. D., 1912. Dr. Bond is well known in Canada as in Newfoundland. He has travelled in the interests of missions and is the author of a book on China which has been used extensively in Missionary Reading Circles. Another of the older preachers of power and influence, Dr. Levi Curtis, is also a Mt. A. man of the class of 1889, M. A. 1906. Dr. Curtis is perhaps the most influential leader of the Methodist church in Newfoundland today. He is at present President of the Conference, an honor which has been bestowed upon him once before; he has been for some years Superintendent of Education for the Methodist schools of the Dominion, in which position he has exerted a force upon education and its ideals which will never be entirely destroyed.

Among the older preachers, also we must not forget the Rev. W. T. Dunn, a Mt. Allison Theological graduate and the oldest ranking preacher in point of active service in the Newfoundland Conference today. Mr. Dunn is at present pastor of the Church at Grand Falls, serving now for his fifth year. He has held the most influential pulpits of the Colony and has, I think, been once President of the Conference. He is universally respected for his eloquence, scholarship and sound administrative abilities.

Of the younger preachers we may enumerate the Rev. Fred Matthews '02, who after having occupied some of the large pulpits of the Conference, was last year transferred to the Montreal Conference, and the Rev. Norman Guy, '12, who after having been pastor of the church at Grand Falls and George St., St. John's, in which he made a splendid record for himself, was last year transferred to the Nova Scotia Conference and was stationed in Hamilton, Bermuda. Both Mr. Matthews and Mr. Guy are clear logical thinkers, and both won laurels for the university as members of the Intercolligate Debating teams. Rev. Harry Toye, one of the coming younger preachers, and at present Secretary to the Conference, is also a Mt. Allison Theological graduate.

Two other younger preachers also require an especial mention. They are the Rev. W. F. Bugden '17 and the Rev. Wm Grimes '11. Mr. Bugden is now finishing his first year as pastor of the Wesley Church, St. John's, and Mr. Grimes is the efficient pastor of one of the strongest Methodist churches of the Dominion at Grand Bank. But space will not permit us to mention in detail further names. We can only name in passing the younger generation of Mt. Allison Theologians who are doing effective work in church and state, the Rev. Isaac French, Wm. Wilson, P. D. Cotton, John Elliott, J. W. Winsor, Samuel Burgess, George Patton, Stanley Williams, as well as many others whose names stand for strength and influence in their field of labor.

If in the years gone by, Mt. Allison in Newfoundland has stood almost solely for theology, such is not the case today. More and more the University is reaching out with its secular courses and gaining a strong grip on the hearts and minds of the people of the ancient Dominion. In the realm of business life the University has also furnished her quota of graduates who have attained success. Especially among these we may mention the name of Aaron Buffett, '97, Grand Bank, who in association with his father has built up a prosperous fishing business and has made large progress in the acquisition of wealth.

In the professions, we cannot omit the names of Chester Harris, 1910, who after having gained his M. D., at Edinburgh University made place for himself of such an importance that he was chosen a medical officer overseas for the Nf'd Regiment, a position which he held for three years.

In the arts of music and elocution our institution is at the head of the old Dominion. Miss Elsie Tait, Mus.
B. 1917, our first Bachelor of Music, is gaining continually fresh laurels for herself in her home city of St. John's. And Miss Flora Curtis, L. College graduate in Elcution, to-day holds the leading position in St. John's in her chosen field.

In the realm of teaching the University points with pride to the work of Stanley Curtis, 1919, who at the beginning of his senior year was called to the instructorship of Science and Mathematics in the Methodist College in St. John's, a position which he has filled with eminent satisfaction to all concerned.

Mt. Allison has had her share of Jubilee scholars from Newfoundland. Two have come to her halls of learning. One, Miss Gwendolyn Mews, of St. John's, after graduating in Art from the Owens' Art School of the Mt. Allison Institutions, is today an instructor in Art in her Alma Mater. The other, Wm. G. Guy, '19 of Carbonear, has recently won fresh laurels for himself by obtaining first class honors in physics and chemistry with his B. Sc. degree. He also won Alumni Honors, as the ranking student of his class.

Mr. Guy returns to the University next year as an Instructor in Physics, and as a post graduate student in Science. He will later continue his studies at one of the large Universities of England or the United States.

Mt. Allison has also appointed two of the Rhodes Scholars from Newfoundland, Piercen Curtis in 1912, at the time a member of the Junior Class, and Malcolm Hollett '15, in 1916.

But we must not forget our present students in the University today. They are capturing many of the prizes in their work. Cator Winsor, Theologian of Wesleyville, was during the present year winner of one of the theological prizes, R. H. Anthony, a graduate in theology and in Arts '19, won another prize and Reginald C. White, theology '21, was the winner of a third prize. A prize in chemistry was won by J. W. Button, '21, of New Melbourne, and Honors in English were attained by Miss Ellen Hemmoe B. A. '19, daughter of the Rev. D. B. Hemmoe, pastor of the George St. Church, St. John's.

Mt. Allison also mourns the loss of a number of her sons who were killed in the Great War. There were no students in the University who enlisted in the service of the King with more zeal than did the boys from across the Cabot straits. Space does not permit us to mention all their names, but the memory of those who sleep in graves beyond the sea will be ever green in the life of the University which will rejoice through all time to have owned them as her sons.

In a final word Mt. Allison owes much to the students she has drawn from Newfoundland. In scholarship, in athletics, in college life and activities they have always held an active part. In many of our Intercollegiate Debates the most eloquent and logical debaters have been from Newfoundland. This year two of the debaters owned the Ancient Dominion as their home. Mr. Wm. Guy and Frank Rowe, who by the way is the worthy successor of a brilliant deceased Newfoundlander, Eugene Forsey, '99 of Grand Bank, as Editor in Chief of the Argosy. May these students from Newfoundland never cease to come to our college halls, and may the University's influence never die in the hearts of the sturdy sons and daughters of Britain's oldest colony.