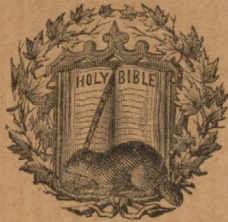


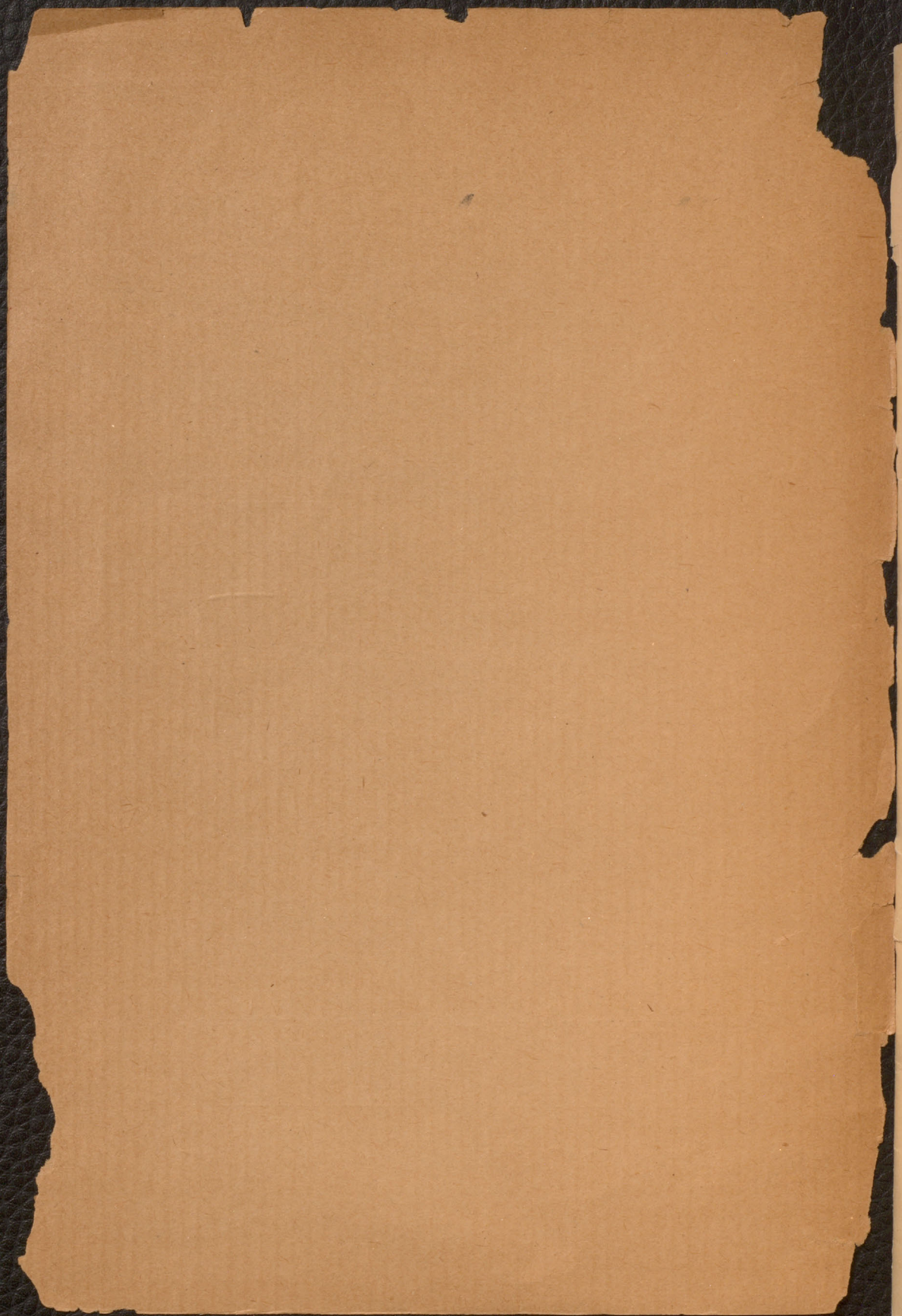
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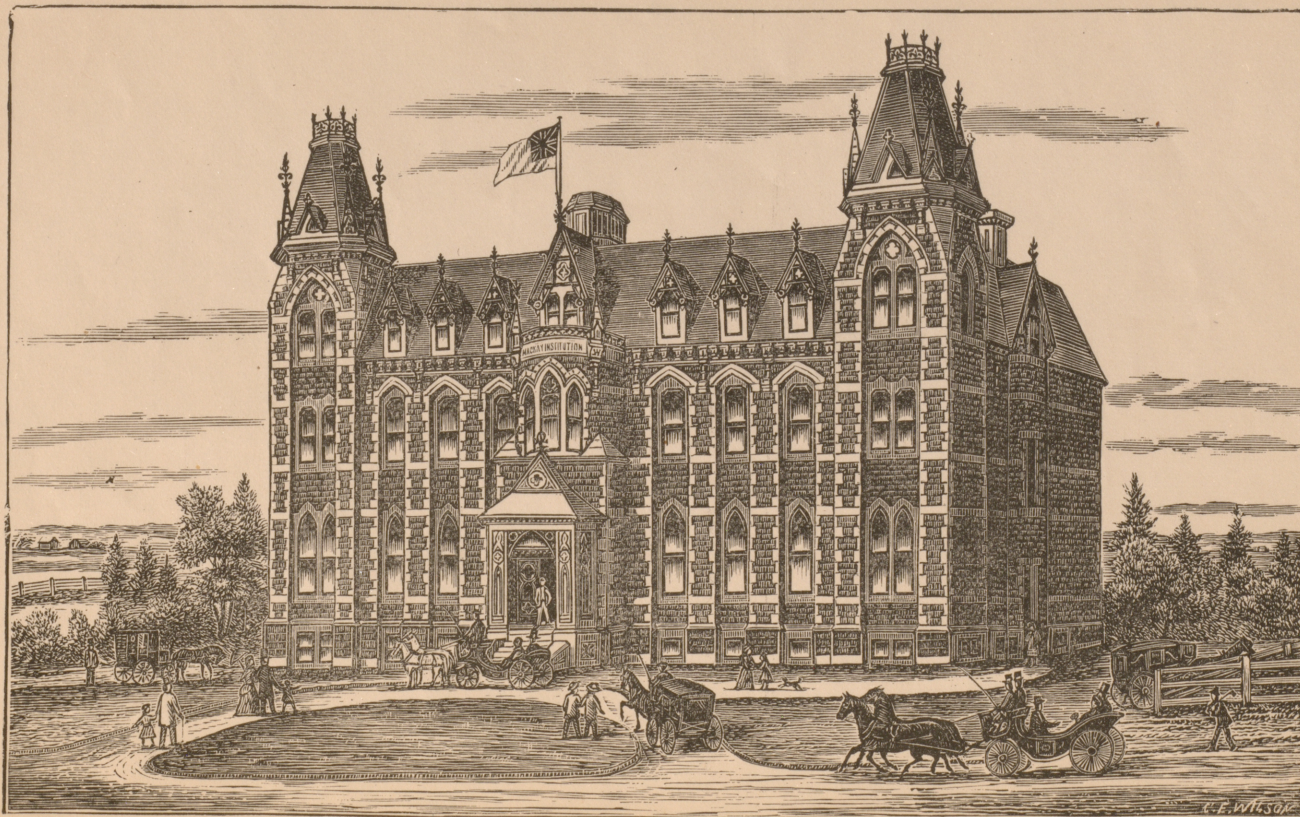






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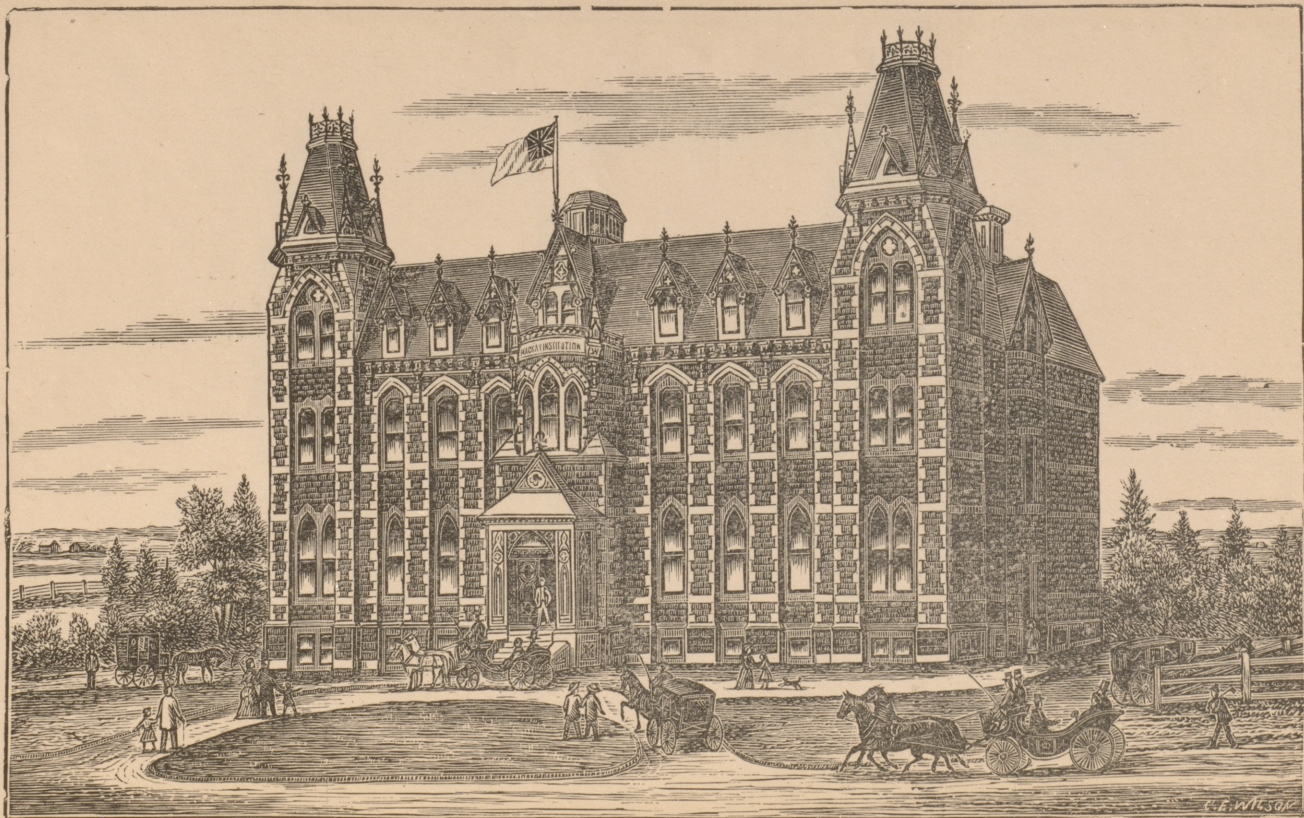


THE MACKAY INSTITUTION FOR PROTESTANT DEAF-MUTES AND THE BLIND, Montreal.  
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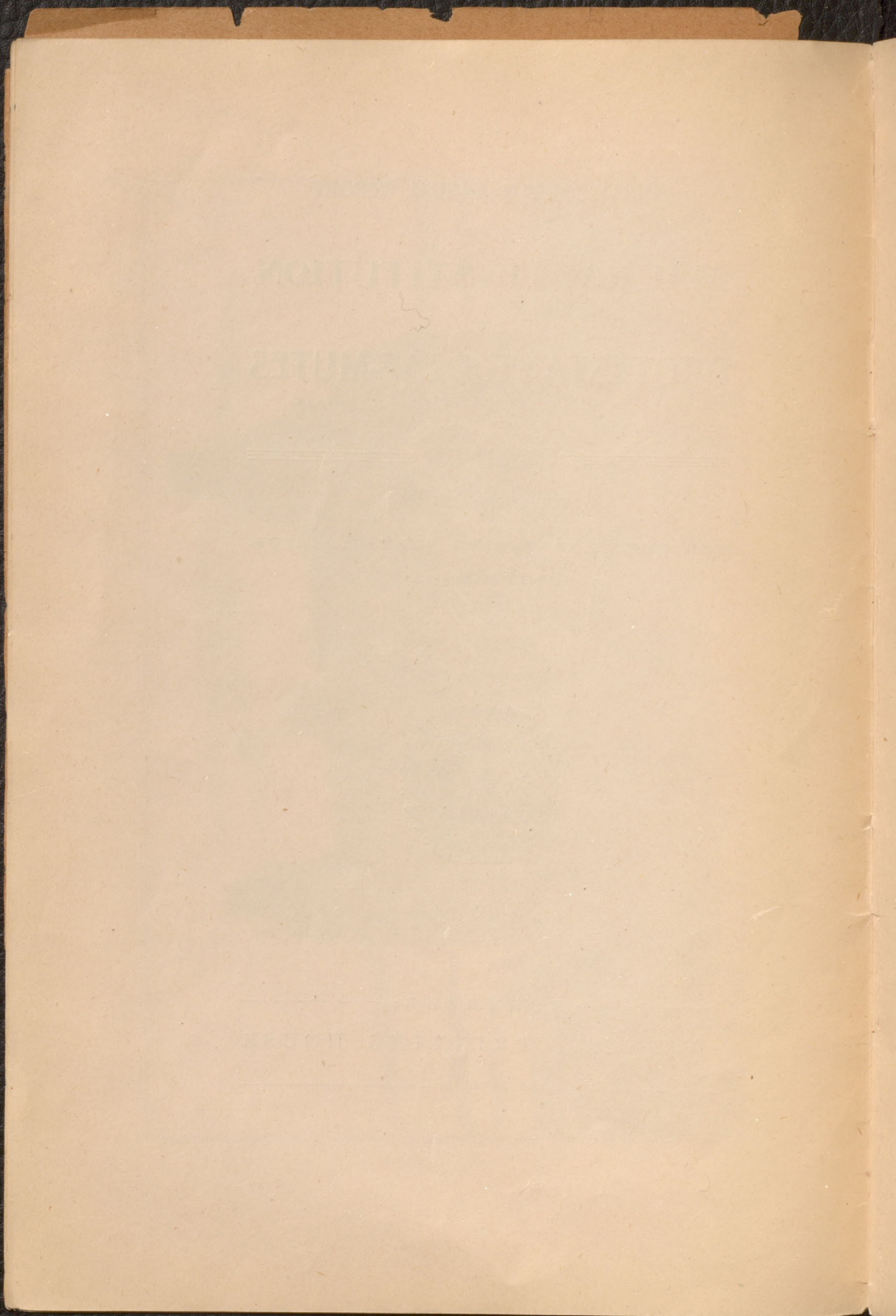
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# 1904-1905

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GERALDINE DALY.

MAUDE RUCKLEY.

ELIZABETH DUNCAN.

EDNA SHIRLEY.

Teacher of Music

GEORGE PAYNE.

Teacher of Drawing

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Girls' Supervisor

LIVINIA GALE.

Housekeeper

MRS. BUSHEY.

Teacher of Shoe-Making and Boys' Supervisor

GORDON STENIFORTH.

Teacher of Carpentry and Cabinet Making, and Assistant Boys' Supervisor

ALBERT ROBINSON.

Caretaker and Engineer

FRANK HALLAM.



## ANNUAL MEETING.

The Annual Meeting of the Mackay Institute for Protestant Deaf-Mutes and the Blind, was held at the Institute, Notre Dame de Grace, on Thursday the 16th November, 1904, at 3.30 p.m.

Present:—

Among those present were Messrs. Charles Alexander, David Morrice, Revd. Edward Bushell, Revd. T. Harris, Pemberton Smith, Geo. Durnford, Mesdames F. Wolferstan Thomas, Robt. Mackay, C. Root, H. E. Ashcroft, the Misses Major, Learmont, and many others.

The President, Mr. Charles Alexander, having called the meeting to order, requested the Secretary to read the notice convening the meeting, and expressed his regret at the absence of the Hon. Robert Mackay, 1st Vice-President, through indisposition.

On motion the Minutes of the last Annual Meeting were taken as read.

At the request of the President, the Secretary read the following:

The Managers' Report.

Cash Statement.

Balance Sheet.

Auditor's Report.

Superintendent's Report.

Examination of Pupils.

Mr. Charles Alexander moved, seconded by Mr. David Morrice, that

That the Reports and Statements as read, be adopted and printed for (exhibition) distribution.

In moving the adoption of the Report, Mr. Alexander said it gave him great pleasure to look back and see the progress made and the good accomplished by the Institute. He would particularly thank and refer to the Ladies' Committee for the valuable aid bestowed by them on the interior economy of the Institution, and to the Superintendent, Mrs. Ashcroft, and her staff, for the care and attention which develop the faculties that enable the pupils to enjoy the blessings of this life, and reveal those of the life to come. The bright, happy faces of the children were a great comfort and pleasure to him, as they spoke to him, more than mere words. He regretted exceedingly the absence, from indisposition, of the First Vice-President, the Hon. Robert Mackay, who with other members of the Mackay family, had been most generous in their support of the Institute.

Mr. David Morrice, in seconding the motion, said that he quite agreed with all that much respected President had said. It always gave him much pleasure in his visits to the Institute, to notice how bright and happy the children seemed. He had been particularly struck by the progress in the Art of Articulation, which has been impressed upon him by the greetings of the pupils when driving to and from the Institute, if any of them happened to see him. He much regretted the absence of the Hon. Robert Mackay, and he trusted he would be before long in his usual health. He was much pleased the financial statement has turned out so favourably for the year just passed.

The motion was then carried.



The Revd. Mr. Harris then moved, seconded by Mr. Pemberton Smith:

That the thanks of the meeting be tendered to the President, Vice-Presidents, Board of Managers and Ladies' Committee, for their continued care and supervision of the Mackay Institution for Protestant Deaf-Mutes and the Blind, and that the following be re-elected for the ensuing year:—

President, Charles Alexander; Vice-Presidents, Honorable Robert Mackay, David Morrice; Directresses, Mrs. F. Wolferstan Thomas, Mrs. J. W. Mackedie, Mrs. Robert Mackay; Secretary-Treasurer, George Durnford.

Elective Governors: Bushell, Rev. Ed.; Cramp, Mrs.; Dow, Miss; Dow, Miss Jessie; Dunlop, Mrs. Graham C.; Durnford, Mrs. A. D.; Finley, Miss; French, Rev. Arthur; Gault, Mrs. A. F.; Heneker, R. W.; Hodgson, Jonothan; Learmont, Miss; Mackay, Robt. Hon.; Mackay, Mrs. Robt.; Mackay, Mrs. John; Mackedie, Mrs. J. W.; Mackenzie, Mrs. H.; Major, Miss; Molson, Mrs. J. H. R.; Moore, Jas.; Murray, Miss; Pedley, Rev. Hugh, B.A.; Penhallow, Mrs. D. P.; Root, Mrs. C.; Ross, P. S.; Shepherd, Miss; Stevenson, Mrs. P. S.; Sutherland-Taylor, Mrs. W.; Trenholme, Mrs. N. W.; Thomas, Mrs. F. Wolferstan.

Board of Managers: President; Vice-Presidents; Directresses; Bushell, Rev. Ed.; Dunlop, Mrs. Graham C.; Durnford, Mrs. A. D.; Finley, Miss; Learmont, Miss; Mackenzie, Mrs. H.; Mackedie, Mrs. J. W.; Major, Miss; Moore, Jas.; Murray, Miss; Penhallow, Mrs. D. P.; Root, Mrs. C.; Ross, P. S.; Shepherd, Miss; Sutherland-Taylor, Mrs. W.; Trenholme, Mrs. N. W.

Honorary Members: Mrs. C. J. Brydges; Lady Dawson; Lady Galt.

In moving the Resolution the Revd. Mr. Harris said that what he had just seen was quite a revelation and a pleasure to him, and he was very much obliged for the invitation that enabled him to be present. He congratulated the Board on the favourable statement presented, and the very interesting Reports he had listened to, but he was more than pleased with the bright, intelligent and happy appearance of the children, in whom the kind maternal instruction had developed the power of reason and knowledge that enabled them to take their places in the duties and responsibilities of this life, and revealed those of the life to come, and further placed them in the way of getting a living with credit to the Institution. He was, indeed, delighted with what he had seen and heard, and had much pleasure in moving the Resolution.

Mr. Pemberton Smith, in seconding the Resolution, said the mover had expressed better than he could, the benefits and value of the Institution. He would, therefore, confine himself to seconding the Resolution, which it gave him great pleasure to do.

Carried unanimously.

Before closing, Mr. David Morrice said he would like to refer to the services of the esteemed President, Mr. Charles Alexander, and the pleasure it gave the friends of the Institution to have him with them. Mr. Alexander had been interested in the Institution from its earliest days, and the value of his work, it would be difficult to fully express; also the esteem in which he was held.



The motion was seconded by the Revd. E. Bushell and carried unanimously.

Mr. Alexander briefly returned thanks.

The meeting then adjourned.

CHAS. ALEXANDER, President.  
GEORGE DURNFORD, Secretary-Treasurer.

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#### MANAGERS' REPORT.

The Board of Managers of the Mackay Institution for Protestant Deaf-Mutes and the Blind, have the honour of presenting to the patrons, Board of Governors and friends of the Institution, the Annual Report for the year ending 31st July, 1904, being that of the 34th year since its opening.

The Board are pleased to be able to state that the work of the year has been most satisfactory, and that the scholastic routine of duties suffered no interruptions.

The annual statements with the Auditor's Report and list of Investments verified to the close of the financial year, are presented herewith.

The Endowment Fund has been increased by a legacy from the estate of the late Charles Huston, for \$500, free of Government succession duty.

The buildings are in good condition and the reparations required so trifling that the Instructor of Carpentering was able to do most of them during vacation.

It is intended to have a gymnasium attached to the boys' play-room, the fitting for which will be put up also by the Instructor of Carpentering, assisted by the pupils. The expense of this has been provided by the kind liberality of Mr. David Morrice, one of the Vice-Presidents.

The Board have expressed their thanks and deep sense of the kindness of the honorary medical staff, especially to Dr. Howard M. Church for his continued kind attention; also to the Rev. Dr. Symonds, the Rev. Wm. Shearer and Rev. W. J. Henderson, for conducting the annual examination of the pupils.

The Managers desire to express their appreciation of the valuable services of the Superintendent, Mrs. H. Ashcroft, aided by her staff of teachers, during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

CHAS. ALEXANDER, President.  
G. DURNFORD, Secretary-Treasurer.

Montreal, 3rd November, 1904.



## SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT.

To the Board of Management of the Mackay Institution for Protestant Deaf-Mutes and the Blind.

In presenting my report for the scholastic year ending June, 1904, I beg to state that there were seventy pupils in attendance; thirty-eight boys and thirty-two girls, of whom fourteen were blind, thirty-nine totally deaf, and seventeen partially deaf with defective speech. The health of the pupils has been remarkably good and, considering the number of little ones under our care, we were fortunate in having escaped any of the epidemics which prevailed in our locality, but it is with sorrow, I have to report the death, from Appendicitis, at the Royal Victoria Hospital of a dear little boy, Gadaliah Salmon, aged eight.

The work accomplished in the class-rooms during the term by our painstaking, energetic corps of teachers was most satisfactory, as is evident by the gratifying report, appended, of the examiners. These examinations were held in the middle of May, and were conducted by the Revs. Wm. Shearer, of Sherbrooke, Dr. Symonds and W. G. Henderson, of Montreal. Special mention was made of the Articulation and Kindergarten departments. The latter class is conducted by Miss A. E. Shirley, of Portland, Me., and a graduate of the Rhode Island School for the training of teachers of Articulation. We continue to pay particular attention to the teaching of speech, each child entering the school is given an opportunity to acquire articulate language. Our course of study approaches as nearly as possible that of public schools, and has been enlarged on in previous reports. The Blind department is comprised of fourteen pupils, who are instructed in the English branches by Misses McLeod and Dent; and in music, by Mr. G. B. Payne, himself blind, and an untiring, zealous teacher. To assist our boys' supervisor, an ex-pupil, the services of a student of the Theological College were secured to take charge in the boys' dormitory at night.

The trades taught are carpentry, cabinet making, shoemaking, chair caneing and wood carving. The teaching of printing has been discontinued for the present, but may be resumed later when there is a sufficient number of boys eligible for instruction in this trade. Our girls are taught plain sewing, knitting, etc., by the housekeeper, who also gives them a knowledge of cookery. The children of the Mackay Institution are fortunate in their surroundings, which are conducive to good health and happiness. No expense is spared by the Management to add to their comfort. The interior of the building is bright and attractive, and is kept in good repair by our carpenter. Mr. Ernest Mason, and such of his staff of boys as are capable of assisting him. Very encouraging reports continue to be received of the ex-pupils, who have gone from our care to battle with the world for a living. One pupil, Arthur Stanley Walker, aged eighteen, secured employment in the engraving department of the large establishment of Henry Birks and Sons, Jewellers, Montreal, and his record there is highly pleasing. His knowledge of wood carving and his fluency in lip reading, acquired while at school, now stand him in good stead.



The Rev. E. Bushell (Eng. Church), assisted by Mr. D. W. Ross and the late Rev. John Campbell (Pres.), paid their usual by-weekly visits to conduct religious services, also clergymen from other denominations favored us at different times. In the death of Dr. John Campbell, we have truly lost a friend and adviser whose place will not easily be filled. Prof. Campbell's great interest in the deaf, combined with his wonderful aptitude for engrossing their attention and arousing their interest in religious matters, make his loss one to be deplored.

Hallowe'en, Christmas, New Year's, Easter, Victoria Day, and King Edward's birthday, are all occasions on which special entertainments are gotten up by the teachers, in which, the ex-pupils who reside in the city are invited to participate. The annual picnic of last year was a most enjoyable one, quite a number of the graduates of the Mackay Institution were present. The great pleasure with which the graduate renews old acquaintance and recalls school days, testifies to the happy times that had been spent at his Alma Mater. In February, weather permitting, our children hold their Annual Masquerade on their large rink, when the historical and other characters represented do credit to their ingenuity. The purchase, too of a large magic lantern materially assists, not only in adding to their knowledge of foreign lands, but cultivates admiration for beautiful scenery. In connection with the foregoing, I gratefully acknowledge the kindness of Messrs. D. W. Ross and Arthur Macfarlane. Mr. Ross utilizes the lantern in his religious discourses, and Mr. Macfarlane supplies the views. Mr. Macfarlane also presented us with the adjustable curtain for the lantern.

On Christmas Day, the children who remained here were treated to bounteous Christmas cheer, and each one received a pretty present from Mrs. Robert Mackay.

In my report of last year, I brought to the attention of the Management the fact that although we had a spacious gymnasium, it lacked equipment. Since which time a gift of fifty dollars (\$50.-00) from our kind friend, Mr. David Morrice, with a further grant from the Managers will supply the necessary appliances.

Dr. Howard M. Church continues ready to respond to all our calls, Dr. Church is now assisted by Dr. C. H. Church. Dr. F. G. Finley and Dr. J. M. Jack, Dermatologist, treated several cases at their offices. Dr. F. Buller, Oculist and Aurist, has attended to the eyes of the children. Dr. H. S. Birkett, Laryngologist, paid his annual visit to the school in October last, when each child enrolled passed under examination.

Dr. J. C. Nichol has for over a quarter of a century done all dental work in the Institution. Of late years Dr. Nichol has been assisted by his sons, Drs. H. J. S. and F. C. Nichol. To all these gentlemen, who give their services gratuitously, our sincere thanks are due. We have also to acknowledge our indebtedness to Mrs. Root, Miss Sweeney, the Misses Raynes, of Westmount, and the Misses Olive and Sara Grier, for giving weekly readings to the blind, and to Miss Ethel Raynes for conducting the Sunday School classes for the blind, the semi-deaf and the lip-readers.

Messrs. C. E. E. Ussher, G. T. Bell and J. M. Lyons, General Passenger Agents of the Canadian Pacific, Grand Trunk and Inter-colonial Railways, have placed us under obligations for a continuance of reduced travelling rates.



With sincere thanks to the Management for their continued support and ready council in all times of perplexity, and also for unvarying personal kindness, and praying for the watchful care of our Heavenly Father over us for the coming year, this report is

Respectfully submitted,

HARRIET E. ASHCROFT,  
Superintendent.

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#### EXAMINERS' REPORT.

At the invitation of the Board of Management, the Rev. W. Shearer, of Sherbrooke; the Rev. Dr. Symonds and the Rev. W. G. Henderson, conducted the annual examinations of the Mackay Institution for Protestant Deaf-Mutes and the Blind, on May 17. There were also present a number of visitors, who were greatly interested, and deeply impressed by the proceedings. Immediately after our arrival the indefatigable Superintendent, Mrs. Ashcroft, who has been at her post for 23 years, placed in our hands for guidance, copies of an elaborate and carefully prepared programme.

We were first introduced to a blind class made up of eight pupils, and the first subject was music. Their piano solos and duets, and the singing of Mr. George Payne, a senior pupil and instructor, did them great credit. Later on this same class was examined in other subjects, such as reading, writing, arithmetic and history, in all of which they manifested proficiency.

Probably no branch of the Institution's work is more intensely interesting than the kindergarten department. Here we found a large class of deaf mutes, averaging about five years of age. The quickness with which they read the teacher's questions by simply watching her lips, and the ready and cheerful manner in which they obeyed her, proved not only that the loss of speech and hearing were in a large measure being made up to them, but also that a great deal of glad sunshine was being brought into their lives.

The examiners were then conducted into the large class rooms, where they had an opportunity of witnessing for themselves the marvellous results of the long and patient efforts of the teachers and officers of the Institution among the older scholars. Here we saw the deaf give evidence of proficiency in grammar and composition, by writing on the board short sentences descriptive of various little movements on the part of the teachers, and sentences containing given nouns and verbs. They also worked out problems in arithmetic, and answered questions in geography and other subjects.

Very great pains seem to be taken with all deaf-mutes to teach them to articulate. In fact, during the whole examination, speaking by signs was seldom reverted to by the older pupils, nearly all answering questions and expressing their thoughts in articulate language.



There was one class of pupils made up of young people whose hearing was perfect, but whose speech was defective. These have been entirely cured, and are now able to attend ordinary schools. At one stage of the proceedings an address to the visitors, which had been prepared by one of the deaf-mutes, was read to them by one of these young men in a voice as clear and distinct as that of any ordinary school-boy.

One point which should be urged upon all into whose hands this report may fall is the necessity of having the parents or guardians of deaf-mutes send such to the Institution at as early an age as possible. In later years the process of education is more difficult, and there is danger of the undeveloped intellect becoming stultified.

There were present through the proceedings several ex-pupils, and it was pleasing to note how well up they were in all that was necessary to make life a success.

A short time was spent in a general inspection of the rooms and dormitories, also the play grounds and work shops, where the pupils are taught various trades, and everything was found to be neat and clean and comfortable. A large room is reserved for a gymnasium, but as it contains as yet no gymnastic furnishings it is used as a play room in inclement weather.

What pleased us all more than anything else was the perfect discipline, the bright and happy faces of all the pupils, and the moral and Christian tone of the whole Institution.

WILLIAM SHEARER.



CASH STATEMENT, THE SECRETARY IN ACCOUNT WITH THE  
AS AT THE

Collections.	
Miss Daly.. . . . .	253.00
Subscriptions.	
City and District Savings Bank.. . . . .	75.00
Dominion Transport Company.. . . . .	50.00
Sundry per Secretary's list..... . . . .	115.00
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Government grants.. . . . .	240.00
Educational.. . . . .	1,600.00
General.. . . . .	3,000.00
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	4,600.00
Interest and Dividends.. . . . .	3,161.99
Pupil's fees.. . . . .	1,451.50
Sundry Column.	
Refunds.. . . . .	21.78
Xmas. donations.. . . . .	10.00
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	31.78
Total Revenue.. . . . .	9,738.27
Endowment Fund.. . . . .	.78
Legacy.	
Estate of the late Charles Huston.. . . . .	500.00
Balance.	
As at 31st July, 1903.. . . . .	3,147.75

\$13,386.80

G. DURNFORD,  
Secretary-Treasurer.

Montreal, 31st July, 1904.



E MACKAY INSTITUTION FOR DEAF MUTES AND THE BLIND,  
31ST. JULY, 1904.

Buildings and Furniture.		
Furniture Temporary.. . . . .	\$208.35	
Furniture Permanent.. . . . .	18.92	
Improvements and repairs.. . . . .	604.25	
School requisites.. . . . .	310.36	
Tools and implements.. . . . .	45.00	
	<hr/>	1,186.88
Housekeeping Expenses.		
Baker.. . . . .	306.16	
Butcher.. . . . .	761.56	
Grocer.. . . . .	969.33	
Milk.. . . . .	241.40	
Vegetables, fish and fruit.. . . . .	140.90	
	<hr/>	2,419.35
Fuel and light.. . . . .		998.75
General Expenses.		
Salaries and wages.. . . . .	3,726.29	
Advertising.. . . . .	63.91	
Drugs.. . . . .	32.26	
	<hr/>	3,822.46
General Charges.		
Auditor.. . . . .	25.00	
Amusements.. . . . .	17.05	
Cars and cabs.. . . . .	76.85	
General sundries.. . . . .	63.56	
Stationary, postage and printing.. . . . .	225.05	
Superintendent's sundries.. . . . .	135.83	
Telephone.. . . . .	30.00	
Free pupils.. . . . .	42.46	
Board money.. . . . .	33.22	
Sundry provisions.. . . . .	8.54	
	<hr/>	657.56
Total expenditure.. . . . .		9,085.00
Endowment Fund.		
Per statement.. . . . .		656.00
Balance.		
Cash, general.. . . . .	3,642.58	
Endowment Fund.. . . . .	3.22	
	<hr/>	3,645.80
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		\$13,386.80

Audited and verified.

P. S. ROSS & SONS,

Chartered Accountants.

Montreal, 1904.



BALANCE SHEET MACKAY INSTITUTE FOR DEAF MUTES AND THE BLIND, JULY 31ST, 1904.

Drainage.. . . . .	50.00		Buildings.. . . . .	12,035.59
Improvements, repairs, etc.. . . . .	16,750.00		Legacies and donations.. . . . .	93,270.90
Wells.. . . . .	2,900.00		Profit and loss.. . . . .	19,302.22
		19,700.00		
Furniture.. . . . .	3,200.00			
Tools and implements.. . . . .	450.00			
		3,650.00		
Insurance.. . . . .	33.99			
Petty cash.. . . . .	50.00			
		83.99		
Endowment Fund.. . . . .	57,528.92			
Land and buildings.. . . . .	35,500.00			
Land donated by Mrs. Mackay . . . . .	1,000.00			
New buildings.. . . . .	3,500.00			
		97,528.92		
Cash, general.. . . . .	3,642.58			
Endowment account . . . . .	3.22			
		3,645.80		
		<u>\$124,608.71</u>		<u>\$124,608.71</u>

Montreal, 31st July, 1904.

G. DURNFORD,  
Secretary-Treasurer.

Audited and verified,  
P. S. ROSS & SONS,  
Chartered Accountants.



## STATEMENT OF SECURITIES.

DATE.	NAME.	No. of Shares or Bonds.	Value of Each.	Par.	Cost.	Dividend.
January ..	Ontario Loan and Debenture Co. ....	81	\$ 50	\$4,050	\$ 5,190 50	\$ 121 50
July . . . .	“ “ “ “ . . . . .					121 50
January ..	Owen Sound “ “ . . . . .	3	2,000	6,000	6,600 00	150 00
July . . . .	“ “ “ “ . . . . .					150 00
January ..	City of New Westminster . . . . .	2	1,000	2,000	2,030 00	50 00
July . . . .	“ “ “ “ . . . . .					50 00
February .	Edwardsburg Starch Co. . . . .	22	40	880	880 00	26 40
August . . .	“ “ “ “ . . . . .					26 40
March . . . .	Montreal Loan and Mortgage Co . . . . .	90	25	2,250	2,983 12	78 75
September .	“ “ “ “ . . . . .					101 25
April . . . .	Canada Coloured Cotton Bonds . . . . .	4	1,000	4,000	4,121 26	120 00
October . . .	“ “ “ “ . . . . .					120 00
January . . .	Dominion Steel Co. . . . .	3	1,000	3,000	2,685 00	75 00
July . . . .	“ “ “ “ . . . . .					75 00
January ..	Montreal Light, Heat and Power Co. . . . .	127	100	12,700	9 615 80	127 00
April . . . .	“ “ “ “ . . . . .					127 00
July . . . .	“ “ “ “ . . . . .					127 00
October . . .	“ “ “ “ . . . . .					127 00
June . . . . .	Canada Savings and Loan Co . . . . .	80	50	4,000	4,875 00	120 00
December . .	“ “ “ “ . . . . .					120 00
September . .	Securities Co. . . . .	1	1,000			26 00
March . . . .	“ “ “ “ . . . . .	3	100	1,300	1,300 00	26 00
April . . . .	The Molsons' Bank . . . . .	44	50	2,200	3,833 99	97 66
October . . .	“ “ “ “ . . . . .					99 00
May . . . . .	Montreal Telegraph Co. . . . .	18	40	720	1,159 20	14 40
November . .	“ “ “ “ . . . . .					14 40
“ “ “ “ . . . . .						14 40
“ “ “ “ . . . . .						14 40
June 5 . . . .	City of St. Johns . . . . .	10	500	5,000		137 50
December 5 .	“ “ “ “ . . . . .	5	100	500	5,953 75	137 50
“ “ “ “ . . . . .	Bell Telephone Co . . . . .	8	100	800	1,132 75	137 50
“ “ “ “ . . . . .	“ “ “ “ . . . . .					6 00
“ “ “ “ . . . . .	“ “ “ “ . . . . .					6 00
“ “ “ “ . . . . .	“ “ “ “ . . . . .					6 00
March 21 . . .	J. S. Evans . . . . .	Mortgage		6,000	6,000 00	150 00
“ “ “ “ . . . . .	“ “ “ “ . . . . .					150 00
“ “ “ “ . . . . .	Interest on Bank Account . . . . .					47 66
				\$55,400	\$58,390 37	\$3,114 22



## MONTREAL SUBSCRIBERS.

S. Carsley . . . . .	\$ 20.00
The Misses Dow . . . . .	10.00
Mrs. R. H. Montgomery . . . . .	5.00
Mrs. Langwell . . . . .	5.00
T. A. Dawes . . . . .	10.00
Miss Dawes . . . . .	5.00
R. A. A. Jones, in memory of . . . . .	25.00
Mrs. C. M. Arnott . . . . .	15.00
D. Morrice, Son & Co. . . . .	20.00
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	\$115.00

## COLLECTIONS BY MISS GERALDINE DALY.

QUEBEC.			
Price, Wm. . . . .	\$10 00	Simons, A. . . . .	1 00
Hamilton, J. . . . .	10 00	Seifert, E. . . . .	1 00
McLimont, Robert . . . . .	10 00	Sparling, Rev. W. H. . . . .	1 00
Dobell, Beckett & Co. . . . .	5 00	Baller, C. J. . . . .	1 00
Ross, J. T. . . . .	5 00	Andrews, F. H. . . . .	1 00
Ross, Frank . . . . .	5 00	Thomson, Jack. . . . .	1 00
Dunn, Stuart . . . . .	5 00	Morgan, D. . . . .	1 00
Dunn, Miss E. . . . .	5 00	Lee, Wm. . . . .	1 00
Davie, George . . . . .	5 00	Staveley, H. . . . .	1 00
Turner, Richard . . . . .	5 00	Thomas, F. T., & Co. . . . .	1 00
Macpherson, Mrs. Molson . . . . .	5 00	Richardson & Son, O.L. . . . .	1 00
Boswell Bros. . . . .	5 00	Johnstone, J. W. . . . .	1 00
A Friend . . . . .	5 00	Scott, Arthur E. . . . .	1 00
King Bros. . . . .	2 00	Rogers, W. B. . . . .	1 00
Laurie, Mrs. . . . .	2 00	Laurie, Mrs. Jas. . . . .	1 00
Ross, Miss Eva . . . . .	2 00	Gale, Mrs. G. G. . . . .	1 00
Sewell, E. D. . . . .	2 00	Jackson, H. B. . . . .	1 00
Dean of Quebec . . . . .	2 00	Bonham, G. . . . .	1 00
Fry, Ed. E. . . . .	2 00	Oliver, Stuart . . . . .	1 00
Macnider, Jas. . . . .	2 00	Kingsland, W. A. . . . .	1 00
Smith, Harcourt . . . . .	2 00	Holt, J. H. . . . .	1 00
Smith, H. H. . . . .	2 00	Quebec Bank, Upper Town	
Davidson, W. H. . . . .	2 00	Branch . . . . .	1 00
Evans, E. D. . . . .	2 00	Smith, Henry . . . . .	1 00
Walcot, C. W. . . . .	1 00	Sampson, R. . . . .	1 00
Champion, C. P. . . . .	1 00	Balfour, Rev A. J. . . . .	1 00
Goodday, H. G. . . . .	1 00	Scott, F. G. . . . .	1 00
Moore, G. J. . . . .	1 00	Grant, Rev. Donald . . . . .	1 00
Boswell, St. Geo. . . . .	1 00	Young, T. Ainslie . . . . .	1 00
Cream, R. F. . . . .	1 00	Cash . . . . .	1 00
Canadian Import Co. . . . .	1 00	Sums under one dollar . . . . .	2 50
Messery, A. J. . . . .	1 00		
		Total . . . . .	142 50



## SHERBROOKE.

Wiggett, W. H. . . . .	\$5 00
Lawrence, H. D. . . . .	2 00
Blue and Co., Walter . . . .	2 00
Hyndman and Bradley . . . .	2 00
Davidson, J. . . . .	2 00
Wiggett, E. G. . . . .	2 00
Anderson, A. H. . . . .	2 00
Brown, H. B. . . . .	2 00
Bryant, G. G. . . . .	2 00
Dinning, Neil . . . . .	1 00
Sherbrooke Iron Works . . . .	1 00
Cate, E. W. . . . .	1 00
Knight, C. C. . . . .	1 00
McKechnil, J. . . . .	1 00
Edwards Furniture Co. . . . .	1 00
Wiggett, A. E. . . . .	1 00
Loomis, D. G. . . . .	1 00
Sherbrooke Steam Laundry . . .	1 00
Paton, E. W. . . . .	1 00
Bartlett, R. A. . . . .	1 00
Gilman, E. W. . . . .	1 00
Richardson, O. L. . . . .	1 00
Mitchell, J. . . . .	1 00
Brown, Rev. T. B. . . . .	1 00
Shreve, Dr. Richmond . . . . .	1 00
Morehouse, T. H. . . . .	1 00
Robin, R. E. . . . .	1 00
Dresser, W. S. . . . .	1 00
Wiggett, J. A. . . . .	1 00
Walsh, J. H. . . . .	1 00
Beam, F. L. . . . .	1 00
Truch, C. A. . . . .	1 00
Jenckes, S. W. . . . .	1 00
Bryant, J. W. . . . .	1 00
Long, Geo. . . . .	1 00
Aylmer, Henry . . . . .	1 00
Haven Bros. . . . .	1 00
Morey, S. F. . . . .	1 00
Wasot, H. R. . . . .	1 00
Sums under one dollar . . . .	1 75
Total . . . . .	52 75

## COWANSVILLE.

McCorkill, J. A. . . . .	2 00
Lander, Dr. . . . .	2 00
Williams, H. F. . . . .	2 00
Short, Geo. E. . . . .	2 00
Vilas, W. F. . . . .	2 00
Jaques, Miss . . . . .	1 00
O'Halloran, Mrs. . . . .	1 00
Whitfield, Mrs. . . . .	1 00

Brown, W. G. . . . .	1 00
Foster, Mrs. A. B. . . . .	1 00
Baker, Mrs Stevens . . . . .	1 00
Buzzell, E. . . . .	1 00
Nesbitt, G. . . . .	1 00
Hart, M. O. . . . .	1 00
Sums under one dollar . . . .	5 25

Total . . . . . 24 25

## ST. JOHNS.

Black, Henderson . . . . .	5 00
Doneghy, John . . . . .	4 00
Campbell, W. A. . . . .	2 00
Smith, E. R. . . . .	1 00
Wilkinson, Geo. W. . . . .	1 00
Goold, R. . . . .	1 00
Wight, A. J. . . . .	1 00
Trotter, Mrs. . . . .	1 00
Walmesley, Mrs. . . . .	1 00
Rollo, W. . . . .	1 00
Stewart, Mrs. . . . .	1 00

Total . . . . . 19 00

## BEDFORD.

O'Neill, Mrs. J. F. . . . .	2 00
Nye, Rev. Canon . . . . .	1 00
Coslett, Geo. A. . . . .	1 00
Walsh, F. D. . . . .	1 00
Coslett, E. . . . .	1 00
Dickinson, Mrs. . . . .	1 00
Sums under one dollar . . . .	2 25

Total . . . . . 9 25

## FARNHAM.

Elmes, G. L. . . . .	2 00
Truax, G. A. . . . .	2 00
Harris, Rev. W. . . . .	1 00
Sums under one dollar . . . .	1 75

Total . . . . . 6 75

## SWEETSBURG.

"Sweetzburg" . . . . .	2 00
Pickel, F. H. . . . .	1 00
Sums under one dollar . . . .	3 30

Total . . . . . 6 30



## THREE RIVERS.

Baptist, Alex. . . . .	5 00	Dean, H. P. . . . .	1 00
Farmer, F. T. . . . .	2 00	Braman, W. W. . . . .	1 00
Tibbutt, J. S. . . . .	2 00	McPherson, John . . . . .	1 00
MacLeod, Rev. J. R. . . . .	1 50	Drysdale, H. . . . .	1 00
Bruce, J. K. . . . .	1 00	Ingham, Jas. L. . . . .	1 00
Rennie, A. . . . .	1 00	Sums under one dollar . . . . .	50
Fisher, W. D. . . . .	1 00	Total . . . . .	27 00
Spaargo, Geo. . . . .	1 00	Total collections . . . . .	\$287 80
Houliston, Alex. . . . .	1 00	Expenses . . . . .	20 36
Hoerner, D. . . . .	1 00	Commission . . . . .	14 39
Williams, R. W. . . . .	1 00		34 75
Tofield, F. W. . . . .	1 00	Balance . . . . .	\$253 05
Poyser, G. C. . . . .	1 00		
Gennis, W. E. . . . .	1 00		
Wallace, W. . . . .	1 00		



## ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.

1903.

The Superintendent of the Mackay Institution for Protestant Deaf-Mutes and the Blind, acknowledges with sincere thanks the following favours:—

- Baker, Mr. Hubert, free tuition in vocal music.  
 Brodie, Mr. Robert, several bags of apples.  
 Dow, Miss Jessie, \$5.00 annual treat to children.  
 Dow, the Misses, \$10.00 worth of clothing from the Industrial Rooms.  
 Goode, Mr. J., musical treat to blind pupils.  
 Kohl, Master, bicycle.  
 Macfarlane, Mr. Arthur, adjustable curtain and views for the Magic Lantern.  
 Mackay, Mrs. Robert, 17 bags and 2 barrels of apples.  
 Morrice, Mr. David, 90 yards of grey flannel, 85 yards of flannelette, 34½ yards of sheeting and 33¾ yards of pillow cotton.  
 Raynes, Mrs., numerous pairs of knitted mittens, stockings, clouds, mufflers, 2 jerseys, boys' clothing, etc., also a barrel of apples and 2 large jars of jam.  
 Ross, Mr. D. W., reserved seat tickets and carfare for blind pupils and teachers to the Black Watch Band.  
 St. Andrew's Church (Westmount), treats of cakes for the pupils.  
 Sutherland-Taylor, Mrs., shirts.

## ENTIRELY CLOTHING ONE CHILD.

- Carsley, Mrs. S.  
 Dorcas Society, Knox Church.  
 Ladies' Aid Society, Erskine Church, \$10.00 per annum.  
 St. Andrew's Church (Westmount) Ladies' Aid Society.  
 St. Matthias Church (Westmount) Ladies' Aid Society.  
 Melville Church (Westmount) Ladies' Aid Society.  
 St. Paul's Church, \$35.00 per annum.  
 The I. H. N. Society (Montreal) and  
 Ladies' Aid and Visiting Society, Crescent Street Church.  
 Also thanks are rendered for the following papers:—  
 The Daily Witness.  
 The Daily Gazette.  
 The Daily Herald.  
 The Daily Star.  
 The Sherbrooke Gazette (Sherbrooke, Que.)  
 The Silent Echo (Winnipeg, Man.)  
 The Canadian Mute (Belleville, Ont.)  
 The Washingtonian (Vancouver, Washington.)  
 The Tablet (Romney, West Virginia.)  
 The Maryland Bulletin (Frederick, Md.)  
 The Ohio Chronicle (Columbus, Ohio.)



The Deaf-Mutes' Register (Rome, N.Y.)  
 The Colorado Index (Colorado Springs, Colo.)  
 The North Dakota Banner (Devils Lake, N.D.)  
 The Web-Foot (Salem, Oregon.)  
 The Mirror (Flint, Michigan.)  
 The Daily Paper for Our Little People (Rochester, N.Y.)  
 The Goodson Gazette (Staunton, Va.)  
 The Deaf-Mute's Journal (New York.)

### CHRISTMAS DONATIONS.

Morrice, Mrs. D., \$5.00.  
 Dow, Miss, \$3.00.  
 Hickson, Lady, \$2.00.  
 Alexander, Mr. Charles, Christmas cake and 5 lbs. candy.  
 Brodie, Mrs. John, for entertaining pupils on New Year's Day.  
 Brodie, Mr. Robert, 3 boxes of apples.  
 Buchanan, Mrs. W. J., side of mutton.  
 Davis Bros., cream and milk.  
 Learmont, Miss, 2 turkeys and 2 geese.  
 Mackay, Mrs. Robert, 3 turkeys, games, sleighs and toys.  
 Nicholson, Mr. George, 3 hams and 1 side bacon.  
 Stuart and Herbert, a three-storied iced plum cake.  
 Matthew, Mr. Wm., Gananoque, \$10.00.  
 Nicholson, Frank, Kingston, \$1.00.



## CATALOGUE OF PUPILS IN ATTENDANCE.

SESSIONS 1903-1904.

## Boys—

NAME.	POST OFFICE.	PROVINCE.
Aiken, James.....	Valcartier.....	Quebec
Arcand, Phillip.....	Montreal.....	"
Armstrong, Henry.....	".....	"
Barrett, William.....	".....	"
Boaz, William.....	".....	"
Boyd Chester.....	".....	"
Brisbois, Henrique.....	Grenville.....	"
Coughin, James.....	Quebec.....	"
Campbell, James.....	Lochaber.....	"
Carruthers, Aubrey.....	Montreal.....	"
Coates, Archibald.....	Birchton.....	"
Dooner, Albert.....	Montreal.....	"
Ellwood, Herbert.....	Compton.....	"
Ferry, Frank.....	Montreal.....	"
Gamble, Charlie.....	".....	"
Grimes, James.....	Aylmer.....	"
Hadjelhi, Josephus.....	Montreal.....	"
Hawkins, George.....	".....	"
Hawkins, Alexander.....	".....	"
Kaufman, Mendel.....	".....	"
Ladd, George.....	Island Pond.....	Vermont
Limlaw, Sidney.....	Clarenceville.....	Quebec
Margler, Carl.....	Montreal.....	"
Matthew, Gordon.....	Gananoque.....	Ontario
McInnes, Charles.....	Cranbrook.....	British Columbia
McNiesh, Glen.....	Elko.....	"
McMullin, Walter.....	Montreal.....	Quebec
McPhee, Duncan.....	Poltimore.....	"
Moore, Orva.....	Windsor Mills.....	"
Muir, Huntley.....	Huntingdon.....	"
Nelson, Charles.....	Montreal.....	"
Owens, Henry.....	Lachute.....	"
Paterson, Grantley.....	Montreal.....	"
Paul, Leonard.....	Portage du Fort.....	"
Payne, George.....	Quebec.....	"
Riley, George.....	Hull.....	"
Robinson, William.....	Masconche Rapids.....	"
Salmon, Gadaliah.....	Montreal.....	"
Seigle, Charles.....	".....	"
Shepard, Dwight.....	Foster.....	"
Shilson, Stayner.....	Capelton.....	"
Staniforth, Gordon.....	Arundel.....	"
Tucker, Joseph H.....	Sorel.....	"
Upton, Henry.....	Montreal.....	"
Walker, Stanley.....	".....	"
Wallace, William.....	Kingsbury.....	"
Whitehead, William.....	Montreal.....	"



CATALOGUE OF PUPILS IN ATTENDANCE—*Continued.*

## GIRLS—

NAME.	POST OFFICE.	PROVINCE.
Barry, Amelia.....	Montreal.....	Quebec
Brethour, Caroline.....	".....	"
Brisbois, Alice.....	Grenville.....	"
Chapman, Felicia.....	New Westminster.....	British Columbia
Crombie, Lillian.....	Montreal.....	Quebec
Cushing, Ruby.....	Dixville.....	"
Dansken, Winifred.....	Montreal.....	"
Davis, Myrtle.....	St. John's.....	"
Forrest, Elizabeth.....	Valleyfield.....	"
Franklin, Elizabeth.....	Plantagenet.....	"
Fraser, Jessie.....	Dundee.....	"
Gale, Lavinia.....	Ormstown.....	"
Griffith, Ethel.....	Montreal.....	"
Harper, Marion.....	Peterborough.....	Ontario
Harrod, Jaquetta.....	Montreal.....	Quebec
Howitt, Flossie.....	Marmora.....	Ontario
Hurdman, Jessie.....	Mattawa.....	"
Kaufman, Letta.....	Montreal.....	Quebec
Keyworth, Ellen.....	".....	"
Kellert, Francis.....	".....	"
Lamont, Jessie.....	".....	"
Littlefield, Edith.....	Scotstown.....	"
Madoar, Mary.....	Bryson.....	"
Mackenzie, Mabel.....	Grand Cascapedia.....	"
Moore, Mina.....	Windsor Mills.....	"
Percy, Edith.....	Montreal.....	"
Rottenberg, Frume.....	".....	"
Rousseau, Pauline.....	Granby.....	"
Sourkes, Pessie.....	Montreal.....	"
Tipping, Ruth.....	Clarenceville.....	"
Wallace, Mina.....	Kingsbury.....	"
Woodman, Rita.....	Little Cascapedia.....	"
Woolgar, Alice.....	Montreal.....	"

Boys, 47 ; Girls, 33 ; Total, 80.



## Extract from Superintendent's Report for 1890-91.

We desire, for the information of parents of pupils, as well as for those desirous of knowing what "course of study" is usually taken up by the deaf and to what proficiency we expect them to attain before considered ready to graduate, to call attention to our "course of study," the careful perusal of which will indicate the advancement, year by year, which an intelligent, industrious pupil ought to make.

We would specially direct the attention, to the course of study, of those parents who have withdrawn their children before they have made the progress in their education which the School affords, and which is necessary, and to point out that they are doing a life-long injury to their afflicted children, to whom education is the greatest boon that can be given. Much to be pitied as is the wholly uneducated deaf-mute, shut off from almost all intelligent intercourse with his fellow mortals, yet it is doubtful whether he feels his position as keenly as one whose mind has been opened to the consciousness that there is more knowledge (and higher positions attainable), from which he is debarred, because of the limited instruction received.

The ignorant deaf-mute, even if an object of charity, may be comparatively content, from the absence of knowledge and understanding; while the semi-educated, with his awakened and crudely developed reasoning powers, has the ambitions, but is minus the ability of the highly educated, and cannot consequently be particularly happy and contented, in contrast with which the well educated deaf may aspire, attain, and keep himself abreast with the world at large and enjoy the society of his fellow man.

There will be instances where pupils will "not" get through the course in the time specified. Irregularity in attendance, ill health, deficiency of intellect, physical defect or chronic laziness, may all be mentioned as retarding elements, and all of which have to be considered.

## COURSE OF STUDY.

*Preparatory Year.*—Letters of the Alphabet, manual and written; names of familiar objects; names of familiar qualities; count and write numbers to 10.

I. *Primary* (2nd Year).—Write names of familiar objects, qualities and actions; simple sentences using present tense; write numbers to 50; addition—the sum not to exceed 50; denominate and abstract numbers.

II. *Primary* (3rd Year).—Simple sentences; transitive and intransitive verbs; prepositions; personal pronouns; number and gender of nouns. Object Lessons—Describe actions (simple sentences); text-book, "Latham's First Steps." Arithmetic—Write numbers to 1,000; addition and subtraction not involving numbers beyond 1,000; arithmetic language lessons.

I. *Intermediate* (4th Year)—Language—Simple sentences; past, present and future of verbs; adjectives; prepositions; adverbs; nouns, their gender and number; nouns, their corresponding pronouns. Object Lessons—Name qualities. Describe actions (conjunction "and") Letter Writing—Punctuation and capitalization. Text-books, "Latham's First Steps" and "Picture Teaching." Penmanship. Geography—The school districts; describe and recognize mountain, hill, valley, slope, field, orchard, village, city, river, stream, canal, spring, railway, &c.; no text book. Scripture—God, attributes and powers; the Creation; Arithmetic—Write numbers; addition and subtraction, easy problems; mental language lessons.

II. *Intermediate* (5th Year)—Language—Simple sentences, declarative, interrogative, and imperative; compound sentences, using the conjunctions "and," "because," "if," "when." Object lessons, as in I. Intermediate, with history and use of object additional. Description of actions. Composition and Letter-writing. Grammar—Parts of speech. Penmanship. "Latham's Primary Rea-



der" and "Picture Teaching." Geography—Definitions and Province of Quebec; map drawing. Scripture—Creation to Exodus. Arithmetic—To short division (inclusive); mental problems; language lessons.

I. *Senior* (6th Year)—Language—Simple, compound and complex sentences. Composition and Letter-writing. Penmanship. Scripture History—Exodus to Kings. Canadian History—Chief events in French period. English History—B.C. 55 to Norman Conquest. Geography—Definitions; Dominion of Canada; map drawing. Arithmetic—To long division (inclusive); easy problems; language lessons; mental lessons.

II. *Senior* (7th Year)—Language—Parsing and Analysis. Composition and Letter-writing. Third Reader and Swinton's Language Lessons. Newspapers. Scripture History—New Testament. Canadian History—French period and chief events of English rule. English History—To Tudor period. Geography—North America; map drawing. Arithmetic—Reduction and compound rules; mental; language lessons. Natural Philosophy—Swift's Questions and Answers.

III. *Senior* (8th Year)—Language—Parsing and Analysis. Composition and letter-writing; Fourth Reader and Swinton's Language Lessons; Newspapers. Scripture History—New Testament (Maclear's). Canadian History—English rule. English History—Tudor period to present time. English Literature (History of)—Writers to Elizabeth's time (inclusive). Geography—North America and Europe; map drawing. Arithmetic—Fractions; analysis and proportion. Natural Philosophy—Swift's Questions and Answers. French—Essay Lesson.

*Advanced Class* (9th Year)—Language—Parsing and analysis; essays; Fifth Reader. Scripture History—Old and New Testament (Maclear's). Canadian History—Review. English History—Review. English Literature—To present time. Geography—General and Physical. Arithmetic—Review; Accounts. Natural Philosophy. Domestic Economy. French. Current events. Elementary Algebra.

*Blind Class*.—Reading—Raised type. Writing—Braille and ordinary systems. Arithmetic—Mental and ciphering board. History—English and Canadian. English Literature. Grammar. Geography—Exercise on raised, sectional, putty and clay maps. Music—Instrumental and vocal. Trades—Piano tuning and chaircaning.

*Trades Taught*.—Carpentering; cabinet-making; joinery; wood-carving; printing; shoemaking.

*Drawing Class*.—Pencil; crayon; charcoal; painting.

*Sewing Class*.—Plain sewing; dressmaking; fancy work.

## BY-LAWS OF THE MACKAY INSTITUTION FOR PROTESTANT DEAF-MUTES AND THE BLIND.

I. For the supervision of the affairs of the Corporation there shall be a Board of Governors, which shall be composed of not more than twenty-five Life-Governors, being those persons of either sex who shall have subscribed the sum of five hundred dollars or upwards to the Institution, and who shall not be in arrear on any call made on such subscribed sum, and of the Governors ex-officio as called for by the amendment to the charter consequent upon the donation of Joseph Mackay, Esq., and of a like number of Elective Governors of either sex, to be chosen and elected at the Annual General Meeting of the Corporation, for one year only, from those who shall have subscribed in one sum not less than one hundred dollars to the Institution, or who shall subscribe a sum of not less than twenty-five dollars as an annual subscription for not less than five years; provided always that no person shall be a Governor who shall not be of the Protestant faith; and that if there be more than twenty-five persons qualified to be Life-Governors of the Corporation, the twenty-five persons, who being otherwise qualified have priority in the order of their subscription, shall be such Life-Governors.



II. The immediate management and conduct of the Institution shall be vested in a Board of Managers, of not less than twelve in number, who shall act for three years, one third retiring annually, as fixed by By-Law No. 10; and such Board shall cause minutes of their proceedings and acts to be duly kept, and shall from time to time report the same to the Board of Governors, as may be provided by any by-law, rule or regulation to that effect, and the Board of Managers may be in whole or in part of either sex, and shall be elected at a meeting of the Board of Governors to be held on the first Saturday of November of each year. The Board of Governors shall also then elect a President, three Vice-Presidents, three Lady Directresses, Secretary-Treasurer and Physician, who shall be members of the Board of Managers and be elected annually.

III. The Annual General Meeting of the Corporation for the election of Governors and the transaction of business shall be held on the last Saturday in October of each year, at which meeting the scale of voting shall be as follows: For annual subscribers of not less than five dollars, and all persons paying for the maintenance or education of any inmate of the asylum, one vote; for contributors of larger sums, one vote in addition for each five dollars subscribed. But no subscriber or contributor shall have more than twenty votes.

IV. At all meetings of the Corporation, or the Board of Governors, or the Board of Managers, the voting shall be open unless a ballot is demanded by a subscriber then present.

V. The Board of Managers shall meet on the first Thursday of each month, at which meeting, as well as at those of the Board of Governors, three shall constitute a quorum. They shall have full control over the collection, investment and expenditure of all monies belonging to the Corporation, with the exception of the purchase, mortgage or sale of real estate, any of which will require the concurrence of a majority of the Board of Governors at a meeting called for the purpose, by written notice to its members, specifying the time, place and object of the meeting, a week before the date thereof.

It shall be the duty of the Board of Managers to audit, inspect and approve all accounts, and to order or refuse payment of the same, to engage and to discharge all servants of the Corporation and to fix their wages. They shall have the general charge and care of the property of the Corporation, and they shall have power and it shall be their duty to carry out and maintain those objects for which the Corporation has been established, and to oversee and control—subject to the By-Laws—everything in connection with the management thereof.

The Board of Managers shall submit to the Board of Governors, at the annual meeting of the Corporation, a general report of their operations and a full statement of the accounts for the year ending the 30th June last past, and these accounts and statements shall be audited before each annual meeting, by an accountant who shall be appointed for that purpose annually by the Board of Managers.

VI. All warrants for payment shall be signed by the President, or in his absence by the Vice-President and by the Secretary-Treasurer.

VII. It shall be the duty of the Secretary-Treasurer to keep regular minutes of the proceedings at the meetings of the Board of Managers, as well as of Sub-Committees, and to lay the minute book containing the same before the Board of Governors at each of their meetings. He shall also give a written notice to each member of the Board of Managers of all meetings. All accounts of expenditure shall pass through his hands; and shall be laid by him once a month before the Board of Managers for their examination and approval, preparatory to their being discharged; he shall also sign all warrants for the payment of such accounts, and he shall keep a correct account in the books of the Corporation of receipts and expenditures, and produce the bank-book of the Institution for the inspection of the Managers.

VIII. All and every the funds and property of the Corporation shall be appropriated and applied solely for the purpose of the Corporation, and the payment of all such outlays and expenditures as may legitimately be incurred in connection



therewith, and for carrying into effect the objects contemplated by the Act of Incorporation, subject, however, to the special provisions contained in that Act; provided always that any surplus amount shall be from time to time invested in public securities or in security of mortgages within the city of Montreal, or in bonds of Public Institutions, or such other securities as a resolution of the Managers may direct and no other, and the said Corporation shall have power to mortgage on its immovable property all or any part of purchase money thereof, or for the purpose only of obtaining funds for the erection and maintenance of the building or buildings necessary for the Institution.

IX. The Board of Managers shall, at their monthly meeting, appoint two members as a Visiting Committee, whose duty it shall be to visit the Institution and supervise its management during the ensuing month.

X. The one-third of the Managers who shall retire annually subject to reelection shall be the first names on the roll of the Managers for the past year.

XI. Any vacancy caused by the death, resignation or permanent disability of any Elective Governor shall be filled by the election, by the remaining Governors, of a duly qualified person to supply his place. Any vacancy in the Board of Managers occurring by the death, resignation or permanent disability of any member thereof, shall be filled by the election, by the Board of Managers, of a qualified member to supply such vacancy, and the term of office of such person so elected shall be the same as that of the person whom he replaced.

XII. Any of these By-Laws may be altered, repealed or suspended by consent of two-thirds of the members present at the annual meeting, or at a meeting of the Board of Governors specially convened for that purpose, provided that such alteration, repeal, or suspension, shall have been specified in the notice summoning the meeting. A month's notice shall be given of such a meeting, and it shall be convened on the written request of the subscribers.

## RULES AND REGULATIONS.

I. The male and female pupils while in the Institution are to be kept separate, and to remain in their respective departments, meeting together only in the school-room for instruction and worship, and in the dining-room for meals, and then they are to be in charge of a teacher, or of some other responsible person.

II. The girls, when out of school hours, to be in charge of the housekeeper or an assistant teacher, and when out of doors to be in charge of some responsible person appointed by the Superintendent. Non-paying pupils are to be made useful about the Institution out of school hours.

III. The boys, out of school hours, and in the workshops, to be in charge of a teacher or the supervisor.

IV. The boys and girls under 12 years of age, to retire at 8 p.m. punctually, and all the rest of the pupils at 9 p.m.

V. The pupils are not to leave the Institution without the permission of the Superintendent.

VI. None of the pupils are to leave, or to be kept from their regular studies, without the permission of their teachers. Hours of study to be fixed by the Superintendent. The pupils are to be in school from 9 to 12 and 1.30 to 3.30.

VII. No person, not connected with the Institution, is allowed to stay or take any meal, or sleep in it without the special permission of the Superintendent. Parents of pupils cannot be accommodated with a night's lodging.

VIII. Service to be held Sunday afternoon at 3 p.m., at which deaf-mutes from the city may attend, but they are not to be allowed to go through the building without the permission of the Superintendent.

IX. The caretaker is to see that the lights are extinguished at 10 p.m., and the premises properly secured. He is also forbidden to keep more than 20



(twenty) gallons of coal oil in the building, and he must use the greatest care with the lamps. He is also to take entire charge of the furnaces, and to see that the water tanks are kept well filled. The lighting of the range, removal of ashes and the cleaning of the water closets are to be the caretaker's duties; also to see that two pails of water are kept standing in each bath-room for use in case of fire, and to perform all other duties assigned to him by the Superintendent.

X. The junior pupils are not to have access to their bed-rooms from the morning until the time of retiring, unless with permission.

XI. The children are to proceed to and from their meals in line.

XII. At the end of each table some one nominated by the Superintendent shall be placed to superintend the pupils at their meals.

XIII. The bed-rooms of the girls are to be visited by the housekeeper, and those of the boys by the male teacher on duty, before 9.30 o'clock every night, to see that the lights are extinguished, and all things in order.

XIV. It is imperative for each pupil of suitable age to devote the allotted time to whichever of the three trades, taught in the Institution, for which he exhibits the most talent.

XV. Each parent or guardian should deposit with the Superintendent a sum of not less than five dollars, to defray incidental expenses, repair of boots, etc., any part of which remaining unexpended at the close of the session will be returned.

## TERMS OF ADMISSION.

The Mackay Institution for Protestant Deaf-Mutes and the Blind is a BOARDING SCHOOL for the education and moral and industrial training of Protestant Deaf-Mutes and the Blind. It is not an asylum.

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I. Any deaf and dumb child who is not deficient in intellect, not subject to fits, not labouring under any infectious disorder, has been vaccinated or has had smallpox, and is of good moral character.

II. Any partially deaf child, whose hearing is too defective to admit of his acquiring an education in the public schools.

III. Any child whose defective speech may be improved or cured by a course in the articulation classes of the Institution.

IV. The fees to be charged to paying pupils will be learned on application to the Secretary or Superintendent. These fees are to be paid quarterly in ADVANCE. In poor or special cases the Managers, on presentation of the facts, may reduce their regular rates for tuition and board, and are prepared to receive indigent pupils free on a recommendation to that effect from reliable parties.

V. Pupils will be admitted into the Institution between the ages of FIVE and EIGHTEEN; special cases being older will be taken into consideration.

VI. The duties of the school will commence on the second Wednesday in September annually.

VII. The annual vacation will commence on the third Wednesday in June, when all the pupils go home for the holidays.



\* The following questions must be answered and attested by the minister of the church to which the child or its parents belong and by a medical practitioner :—

1. State name of child in full.
2. When and where was—born ?
3. Was—born deaf or blind or at what age did—become deaf or blind ?
4. By what disease or accident did—become so ?
5. Is the above the physician's opinion ?
6. Is the deafness or blindness total or partial ?
7. Have any attempts been made to remove the deafness or blindness, and if so, by whom and with what result ?
8. Has—attended any school or had any instruction ?
9. Is there any ability to articulate or read the lips ?
10. If deaf, does—make any intelligible signs or give proofs of memory ?
11. Has—ever had any acute disease or received any bodily injury ?
12. Has—had epilepsy, or paralysis ?
13. Has—been vaccinated or had smallpox ?
14. Has—had scarlet fever ?
15. Has—had measles ?
16. Has—had mumps ?
17. Has—had whooping cough ?
18. Is—generally healthy ?
19. Can—dress and wait on — — ?
20. Are—personal habits cleanly ?
21. What is the name, also occupation of father ?
22. Where was he born ?
23. What is the name of mother ?
24. Where was she born ?
25. Of what religion are parents ?
26. What is the present address of the father ?
27. Were the parents cousins or in any way related ?
28. Are there any other cases of deafness or blindness in the family, either in relatives or ancestors ?
29. What are the parents able to pay per year, for board and tuition ?
30. Do you know of any other deaf or blind child in your district ?

#### THE BLIND.

- I. Any child totally blind, not subject to fits.
- II. Any child partially blind whose sight is too defective to permit of his receiving instruction in the public schools.

\* For Application Forms for children DEAF, BLIND, or of DEFECTIVE SPEECH, apply to the Superintendent.



# THE MACKAY INSTITUTION

For Protestant Deaf-Mutes and Blind

## PUPILS' BILL OF FARE

### SUNDAY

#### Breakfast

SAUSAGE OR STEAK  
POTATOES  
BREAD AND BUTTER  
COFFEE OR MILK

#### Dinner

HOT ROAST JOINT  
CANNED VEGETABLES  
POTATOES  
PIE OR PUDDING

#### Tea

BREAD AND BUTTER  
CANNED FRUIT  
CAKE  
TEA OR MILK

### MONDAY

#### Breakfast

PORRIDGE  
BREAD AND BUTTER  
COFFEE OR MILK

#### Dinner

SOUP  
COLD MEAT  
PICKLES POTATOES

#### Tea

BREAD AND BUTTER  
APPLE SAUCE  
TEA OR MILK

### TUESDAY

#### Breakfast

BREAD AND BUTTER  
FRIED POTATOES  
EGGS  
COFFEE OR MILK

#### Dinner

MEAT PIE  
POTATOES  
PUDDING

#### Tea

HOT BISCUITS  
SYRUP OR HONEY  
BREAD AND BUTTER  
TEA OR MILK

### WEDNESDAY

#### Breakfast

EGGS PORRIDGE  
BREAD AND BUTTER  
COFFEE OR MILK

#### Dinner

ROAST JOINT  
TWO VEGETABLES

#### Tea

PORK AND BEANS  
BREAD AND BUTTER  
TEA OR MILK

### THURSDAY

#### Breakfast

HASH  
BREAD AND BUTTER  
COFFEE OR MILK

#### Dinner

MEAT  
POTATOES  
PUDDING

#### Tea

CORN CAKE  
SYRUP OR HONEY  
BREAD AND BUTTER  
TEA OR MILK

### FRIDAY

#### Breakfast

PORRIDGE  
BREAD AND BUTTER  
COFFEE OR MILK

#### Dinner

SOUP  
TWO VEGETABLES  
FRESH FISH

#### Tea

CODFISH BALL  
CANNED FRUIT  
BREAD AND BUTTER  
TEA OR MILK

### SATURDAY

#### Breakfast

FRIED POTATOES  
HERRING  
BREAD AND BUTTER  
COFFEE OR MILK

#### Dinner

STEW POTATOES  
FRUIT IN SEASON  
BREAD AND BUTTER  
BISCUITS COCOA

#### Tea

CRACKED WHEAT  
PRUNES  
BREAD AND BUTTER  
TEA OR MILK

FRUIT IN SEASON







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