

A. S. Cunningham
New Glasgow
N. S.

PICTOU ACADEMY.

PICTOU, N. S.

COURSE OF STUDY

For the Year 1883-4.

CATALOGUE, &c., for the Year 1882-3.

STAFF OF INSTRUCTORS.

Principal.—A. H. MCKAY.
Latin & Nat. Science.—A. H. MCKAY, B. A., B. Sc., Grade A.
Greek & English.—W. R. FRASER, B. A. Grade A.
Math. & Physics.—HECTOR MCINNES, ESQ. Grade A.
Drawing & Painting.—MISS M. J. MCKENZIE. Grade A.



1883.
WILLIAM HARRIS, PRINTER,
PICTOU, N. S.

TERMS.

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ADMISSION.

All candidates from the Town and County of Pictou are admitted free upon passing the required examination. Students from beyond the limits of the county are required to pay a fee of *Six Dollars* per term to the Town Clerk.

ADMISSION EXAMINATIONS.

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Exemptions from admission examinations are made in favor of those holding Certificates of Promotion to any of the Academic classes, and of those who obtain Certificates at the previous Academic Terminal Examination. Also, a Grade D license or diploma from the Provincial Normal School or Council of Public Instruction will be accepted in lieu of the Junior Admission Examination; a Grade C in lieu of the corresponding subjects in the Intermediate Admission Examination; and a Grade B in lieu of the corresponding subjects in Senior Admission.

PICTOU ACADEMY.**TRUSTEES.**

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| RODERICK MCKENZIE, Esq., Pictou. | } | Surviving Trustees of old Academic Board. |
| JOHN CRERAR, Esq., Halifax. | | |
| DAVID MATHESON, Esq., Pictou. | } | School Committee |
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| ADAM MCKEAN, Esq., | | |
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| HUGH HENDERSON, Esq. | | |
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Students may be admitted to take any classes they choose, or a partial course, provided they can be accommodated without encroachment on the accommodation of the Regular Students.

ACADEMIC COURSE OF STUDY,

FOR 1883-4.

FIRST YEAR.—Juniors.

ENGLISH READING.—Reader No. VI. (a) Elocution. (b) Recitation of Selections. (c) Oral Abstracts. (d) Scansion of Metrical Passages. (e) Rendering Poetry into plain Prose. (f) Sketches of Authors read.

ENGLISH COMPOSITION.—(a) Spelling. (b) Dictation involving orthographical difficulties. (c) Memorization of Roots. (d) Word Analysis and Derivation, with Definition. (e) Monthly Essays or Abstracts, with particular attention to good form, as (e) Penmanship, Paragraphing, Punctuation, Capitals, &c.

ENGLISH GRAMMAR.—Grammar and Analysis as in the Common School Text Book, with Advanced Written Exercises twice a week.

*LATIN.—Grammar, Reading and Composition, as in Bryce, Part I.

*FRENCH.—As in French Principia, Part I.

HISTORY.—As in Swinton's Outlines of Modern History.

GEOGRAPHY.—North America and Europe as in Calkin, with Map Drawings.

DRAWING.—Mathematical or Free-hand and Painting.

GEOMETRY.—Euclid, Book I, with easy exercises as in Hamblin Smith.

ALGEBRA.—Fundamental Rules and Fractions, as in Todhunter.

ARITHMETIC.—As in Hamblin Smith (without "Examination Papers)."

BOOK-KEEPING.—Single Entry, as in Eaton and Frazee.

PHYSICS.—As in Balfour Stewart's Primer, (Winter Term).

BOTANY.—As in Gray's "How Plants Grow," with field work, (Summer Term).

*Only one of these imperative.

SECOND YEAR.—Intermediates.

ENGLISH LITERATURE.—Shakespeare's Merchant of Venice. (a) Reading. (b) Recitation. (c) Study of Words, of Prosody, of Style, of Allusions, and of Characters and Plot.

ENGLISH COMPOSITION.—(a) Orthographical difficulties. (b) Memorization of Roots, Analysis and Derivation of Words. (c) Dalglish's Advanced Composition, with Exercises and Monthly Essays.

ENGLISH GRAMMAR.—Review of Common School Grammar and Analysis, with difficult Written Exercises weekly.

*LATIN.—Grammar, Reading and Composition, Bryce completed. *Caesar, De. Bel. Gal.*, one book.

*GREEK.—Grammar, Reading and Composition, *Initia Graeca*.

*FRENCH.—French Principia, Part II, (or Otto)†

*GERMAN.—German Principia, Part I.

HISTORY.—Swinton's, Part I.—Ancient History.

GEOGRAPHY.—"Calkin" completed.

DRAWING.—Mathematical or Free-hand and Painting.

GEOMETRY.—Euclid I, with Exercises reviewed, and Euclid, Book II, as in Hamblin Smith.

ALGEBRA.—Involution, Evolution and Simple Equations as in Todhunter.

ARITHMETIC.—Hamblin Smith; reviewed and completed.

*BOOK-KEEPING.—Double Entry as in Eaton and Frazee.

CHEMISTRY.—The Principal Elements and their Combinations, as in *Steele*, to page 178, with Experimental Demonstrations.

PHYSIOGRAPHY.—A course of Popular Lectures with Practical Demonstrations on *Astronomy, Geology, Mineralogy and Zoology*, (Three months each).

*Only two of these imperative.

†Otto will be used until Principia can be introduced.

THIRD YEAR.—Seniors.

ENGLISH CLASSICS.—Shakespeare's *Macbeth*.

ENGLISH COMPOSITION.—Dalglish's *Advanced*, and *Essays*, monthly.

ENGLISH LITERATURE.—Historical Sketch of development of English Language and Literature.

ENGLISH GRAMMAR.—Mason's.

LATIN GRAMMAR.—Smith's.
 * { LATIN CLASSICS.—*Ovid's Metamorphoses*, Books II & III,
Caesar's Gallic War, Book V.
 { LATIN COMPOSITION.—*Principia Latina*, Part IV.

GREEK GRAMMAR.—Hadley's.
 * { GREEK CLASSICS.—*Xenophon's Anabasis*, Books V & VI.
 { GREEK COMPOSITION.—*Initia Graeca*.

*FRENCH CLASSICS.—Fenelon's *Telemaque*, or Voltaire's *Charles XII*, and a Play of Racine.

*GERMAN.—German *Principia*, Part II.

HISTORY.—Swinton's Part II,—*Mediæval History*, and Review of Ancient and Modern History.

GEOGRAPHY.—Ancient and Modern Reviewed.

GEOMETRY.—Euclid, Book II Reviewed, with Exercises, and Books III & IV, with Exercises as in Hamblin Smith.

ALGEBRA.—Surds, Quadratics, Progressions, Permutations and Combinations, Binomial Theorem, Variations, &c., as in Todhunter.

ARITHMETIC.—Problems.

PRACTICAL MATHEMATICS.—Trigonometry, Logarithms, Measurement of Heights, Distances, Surfaces and Solids.

†NAVIGATION.—Norrie's.

CHEMISTRY.—*Steele* completed, Outlines of Qualitative Analysis, Determinative Mineralogy, Soils and Manures.

PHYSIOLOGY.—Huxley's.

*NATURAL PHILOSOPHY.—"Wormell," with Experimental Demonstrations.

*Only two imperative. †Optional.

FOURTH YEAR.—Advanced Seniors.

Lectures and aids are given in the study of subjects required by candidates for Grade A, Preliminary Law Examination, the Royal Military College, the Medical Colleges, &c., which are not in the regular course, such as:

LATIN.—*Caesar*, *De Bello Gallico*, Books I, II, *Horace*, Odes, Book I. *Virgil*, *Aeneid*, Books I, II. *Cicero*, *De Senectute*, *Pro Archia Poeta*, *In Catilinam* I, IV.

GREEK.—*Xenophon*, *Anabasis* Books I, II. *Homer*, *Iliad*, Books I, III, *Aeschylus*, *Prometheus Vincetus*.

FRENCH.—Authors required.

MATHEMATICS.—*Euclid* V, VI, XI, XII. *Algebra*, advanced, *Trigonometry*, Analytical.

PRACTICAL CHEMISTRY.—(Special Class.) Qualitative Analysis, Cases of Quantitative Analysis, Determinative Mineralogy. (In Laboratory.)

In practical Botany, Entomology, and Mineralogy, students can receive assistance by working in one or more of the practical science clubs, as the museum and knowledge of the teaching staff are always freely at their disposal.

The time of session in the regular classes each day is *four* hours, from 9 a. m. to 1 p. m. *Drawing and Painting* is a *special class*. Time of session between 3.30 and 5.30 p. m. daily, in the "Art Room" of the Academy.

MILITARY DRILL.—For this purpose it has been found most convenient and effective for students to join the Pictou Battery Garrison Artillery, Captain, Joseph A. Gordon, Esq. Here, in addition to Infantry Drill and rifle practice, the students go through a course of Artillery Drill with the heavy guns of the Pictou Battery. The efficiency of this drill can be inferred from the fact, that so critical an officer as Major-General Luard, on his two last inspections, pronounced the Battery one of the finest looking in the Dominion.

The *Terminal Examinations* are conducted in writing during the last week of each term, on all the subjects of the course. *Certificates* are given to each deserving student, embodying the results of this examination and a report on his classwork and deportment for the term.

Under the "School Law" of the Province of Nova Scotia, the Academy is subject in its particular management to the "Rules and Regulations of the Public Schools of Pictou Town," as published and amended from time to time by the Municipal Council.

BOARD for students in private houses in the town ranges from \$2.50 to \$3.00 per week.

CATALOGUE, 1882-3.

Students in attendance at the Pictou Academy,

DURING THE ACADEMIC YEAR 1882-3.

(*Promoted, Summer Term. B. C. & D. refer to grade of License held, so far as known.)

SENIORS.

1. Cassie F. McLean, c. Pictou Town; 2. Elizabeth Stewart, b. do. do.; 3. Edith Rogers, c. do. do.; 4. Maggie Creighton, c. West River, Pictou Co.; 5. Janie Sutherland, b. River John, do. do.; 6. Kate Muirhead, c. Saw Mill Bridge, do. do.; 7. Tissie Copeland, c. Pictou Town. 8. Ada Silver, b. Lunenburg, Lun. Co. 9. Sarah McKinnon, b. Cow Bay, Cape Breton. 10. Homer Putnam, b. Onslow, Col. Co. 11. J. T. McLean, d. Sydney, Cape Breton. 12. William McDonald, Pictou Town. 13. John J. Power, do. do. 14. J. W. McKenzie, b. Green Hill, Pictou Co. 15. Jas. E. Creighton, b. West River, do. do.; 16. Wm. S. Young, b. Mt. Dalhousie, do. do. 17. Alex. F. Stewart, Pictou Town. 18. Alfred Fraser, d. do. do.; 19. Donald Fraser, do. do. 20. Alex. Laird, c. Little Harbor, Pictou Co. 21. David K. Grant; Riverton, do. do. 22. John H. McMillan, Pictou Town. 23. Minard S. Dickson, do. do.; 24. Alexander McKay, Haliburton Stream, Pictou Co.; 25. William Brown, Merigomish, Pictou Co. 26. Graham Putnam, Maitland, Hants Co. 27. Thomas Semple, b. Tatamagouche, Col. Co.; 28. Daniel McD. Clark, b. West River, Pictou do.; 29. James Kennedy, d. Pugwash, Cumb'd. do.; 30. Joshua J. Edgecombe, d. Pictou Town. 31. A. H. Fraser, b. Bridgeville, Pictou do.; 23. D. C. McIntosh, b. do. do. do.; 33. Charles E. McMillan, d. Whyccomagh, Cumb'd. do. 34. Ormond O. Lyons, b. Watervale, Kings do.; 35. Frank Starratt, Stewiacke, Col. do.; 36. Finlay McDonald, c. Sherbrooke, Guys. do.; 37. Clarence Hamilton, c. Truro, Col. do.; 38. Neil McLean; Strathlorne, Inv. do.; 39. John Underwood, New Glasgow; Pictou do.; 40. W. Anderson, Pictou Town. 41. Harold M. Thurlow, Stellarton, Pictou Co. 42. George Brenton Laurie, Oakfield, Hx. do.; 43. Robert Gordon, b. Mt. Dalhousie, Pictou do.; 44. W. R. Campbell, c. East River, do. do.; 45. Andrew Love, b. Linacey Glen, do. do.; 46. Alfred Fitzpatrick, d. Millville, do. do.; 47. Ellie Dwyer, Pictou Town.; 48. Alfred Shaw, Hantsport, Hants Co.; 49. Daniel McPherson, Georgeville, Antig. do.; 50. Edward Fulton, b. Lower Stewiacke, Col. do.; 51. George M. Johnson, b. Upper Stewiacke, Col. do.; 52. Charles E. Elliott, b. Stillwater, Guys. do.; 54. James J. Buchanan, Sydney, C. B. Co.; 55. Sannel J. McLennan, do. do.; do.; 56. George A. Leck, d. Gays' River, Hx. Co.; 57. Harvey McLeod, b. Newport, Hants do.; 58. K. A. McNaughton, c. Union Centre, Pictou Co.; 59. R. P. Stewart, c. Argyle, Guys. Co.; Nettie Forbes, Little Harbor, Pictou Co.

INTERMEDIATES.

61. Jennie Copeland, Pictou Town; 62. Annie C. Crerar, do. do.; 63. Mary Walker, do. do.; 64. Sara M. Gunn, do. do.; 65. Cassie G. McDonald, do. do.; 66. Mattie B. Robley, do. do.; 67. Kate F. Robley, 68. Alice C. Brownrigg, do. do.; 69. Minnie Harris, do. do.; 70. Christina A. Murray, do. do.; 72. Maggie Edmunds, do. do.; 72. Lizzie McKay, do. do.; 73. Jennie L. Brown, do. do.; 74. Mary E. Campbell,

do. do.; 75. Annie Ferguson, do. do.; 76. Sarah J. Lowden, do. do.; 77. Agnes E. McKenzie, do. do.; 78. Millie H. Lane, do. do.; 79. Isolina Herritt, do. do.; 80. Leah L. Hockin, do. do.; 81. Edith Ives, do. do.; 82. Isabell Dunn, c. Merigomish, Pictou Co.; 83. Lillie McDonald, Lyons Brook do. do.; 84. Barbara McLean, d. Scotsburn, do. do.; 85. Marion McDonald, Saltspring, do. do.; 86. *Chas. B. Robinson, Pictou Town; 87. Frank Hockin, do. do.; 88. *Martin J. Lane, do. do.; *89. Hugh McL. Fraser, do. do.; 90. Edgar Cooke, do. do.; *91. Willie Munro, do. do.; 92. Joseph McGregor, do. do.; 93. Frank Hutchings, Bermuda; 94. Lowrey P. McLennan, Pictou Town; 95. Robert McG. McDonald, do. do.; 96. William H. Davies, do. do.; 97. John B. Brown, do. do.; 98. Lewis McKenna, do. do.; 99. Ewan C. Crerar, do. do.; 100. Wm. A. Hamblin, do. do.; 101. William Thomson, do. do.; 102. David Brown, Merigomish, Pictou Co.; 103. Thos. Mitchel, Linden, Cumb. Co.; 104. Duncan O. McKay, Scotsburn, Pictou Co.; 105. W. L. Blair, Truro, Col. Co.; 106. John Hawley, St. John, New Brunswick; 107. John McKinnon, b. Cow Bay, C. B. Co.; 108. James Clarke, Tatamagouche, Col. Co.; 109. Maggie Simpson, c. Merigomish, Pictou Co.; 110. Waldo E. Murray, c. Avondale, do. do.; 111. Eliza Rae, d. Roger's Hill, do.; George Wilson Pictou Town, 113. Mary A. Munro, do. do.; 114. Robert W. Simpson, Westville, Pictou Co.; 115. Donald McIntosh, Wallace, Cumb. Co.; 116. Colin Ringer, Lockeport, Shelburne Co.; 117. Catherine H. McKenzie, d. Dalhousie, Pictou Co.; 118. Bessie Sutherland, c. River John, do. do.; 119. Christina Sutherland, c. Scotsburn, do. do.; 120. Marion E. McDonald, c. Scotsburn, do. do.; 121. Ada Sargeant, Pictou Town; 122. Mary H. McLean, New Lairg, Pictou Co.; 123. Mary Sutherland, West River Station, do. do.; 124. Frank Fraser, West River, do. do.; 125. Everet Crowe, c. Debert, Col. Co.; 126. Frank Campbell, d. E. R. St. Mary's, Pictou Co.; 127. A. W. McDonald, Hopewell, do. do.

JUNIORS.

*128. Maggie A. Grant, Spring Hill, Cumb. Co.; 129. Mabel Kitchin, Pictou Town; 130. Mary E. Anderson, do. do.; 131. Jessie Murray, do. do.; 132. Eva L. Fraser, do. do.; 133. Ovetta A. Little, do. do.; 134. Maggie Foote, do. do.; 135. Charlotte Smith, do. do.; *136. Kate Ella Reid, Little Harbor, Pictou Co.; 137. Jane McKenzie, Pictou Town; 138. Sadie Munro, do. do.; 139. Georgie McDonald, do. do.; 140. Eliza McDonald, do. do.; 141. Ada McDonald, do. do.; 142. Maggie McLennan, do. do.; 143. Hattie Rogers, do. do.; 144. Alice Campbell, do. do.; 145. Elsie M. Donald, do. do.; 146. Minnie Murray, do. do.; 147. Mabel Young, Roger's Hill, Pictou Co.; 148. Anna Rae, Roger's Hill, do. do.; 149. Kate McIsaac, Pictou Town; 150. Roderick McLean, Scotsburn, Pictou Co.; 151. Felix Johnson, Pictou Town; 152. Ross Murray, do. do.; 153. Clarence Primrose, do.; 154. Alex. Ferguson, do. do.; 155. Kenneth S. McKenzie, do. do.; 156. James McFarlan, do. do.; 157. Robert McFarlan, do. do.; 158. Angus McLean, do. do.; 159. James Henry McKenzie, do. do.; 160. Thomas West, do. do.; *171. James McLaren, do. do.; 162. John Curry, do. do.; 163. Alexr. McPhail, do. do.; 164. John Meagher, do. do.; 165. Lauchy Fraser, Goldenville, Guys. Co.; 166. John Logan, Pictou Town; 167. Geo. A. Campbell, do. do.; *168. Aubrey Fullerton, St. Pierre, Miquelon; *169. Charles Bissett, d. St. Peters, Rich. Co.; *170. Waldren Edgecumbe, Pictou Town; *171. Robert Fletcher, Mass-town, Col. Co.; 172. Jessie McQuarrie, d. Toney River, Pictou Co.; 173. Catherine Sutherland, Cape John, do. do.; 174. John W. McKenzie, Pictou Town; 175. Thomas Bonnar, do. do.; 176. James Hudson, Stellarton, Pictou Co.; *177. Alex. Fraser West River Station, do. do.; 178. James

McKenzie, Pictou Town; 179, Eliza J. Anderson, do. do.; 180, Elizabeth Grace Herritt, do. do.; 181, Annie L. Davy, do. do.; 182, James A. Arbuckles, do. do.; 183, John D. Ferguson, do. do.; 184, Walter P. Hamblin, do. do.; 185, Fredrick Yorston, do. do.; 186, John Carson, do. do.; 187, Elizabeth Murray, Scotsburn, Pictou Co.; 188, Maggie Campbell, Sydney, C. B., 189, Hugh H. Hutchings, Paget, Bermuda; 190, Bessie Kirkwood, Pictou Town; 191, Fred. Dumaresq, Gaspe, Quebec.

DRAWING AND PAINTING ONLY.

192, Janie Green, Prince Edward Island; 193, Maggie Garvin, Lyon's Brook, Pictou Co.; 194, Bessie Dickson, Pictou Town.



P. A. SCIENCE ASSOCIATION.

This Association, of which the Principal is President, is subdivided into sections or clubs, of which the following have already been organized and done good work:

BOTANICAL CLUB.

President,—Hector McInnes. *Vice-President*,—E. H. Stewart.
Secretary,—C. Copeland.

Regular meeting, weekly, in Library.

ENTOMOLOGICAL CLUB.

President,—Lowrey P. McLennan. *Vice-President*,—Hector McInnes.
Secretary,—J. Copeland.

Regular meeting, weekly, in Library.

MINERALOGICAL AND GEOLOGICAL CLUB.

President,—A. McArthur. *Vice-President*,—E. L. Armstrong.
Secretary,—E. M. Johnson.

Regular meetings, weekly, in Museum.

ACADEMY MEMBERS OF P. B. GARRISON ARTILLERY.

A. H. McKay, W. R. Fraser, H. McInnes, J. McKenzie, James E. Creighton, Alex. Laird, Minard S. Dickson, Thos. Semple, D. C. McIntosh, George Brenton Laurie, Edward Fulton, Charles S. Elliott, Geo. A. Leck, McLeod Harvey, K. A. McNaughton, R. P. Stewart, J. Frank Hutchings, Jas. Clarke, Waldren Edgecombe, David McD. Clarke, Homer Putman, Alex. F. Stewart, A. H. Fraser, Frank Starratt, Clarence Hamilton, Neil McLean, J. B. Brown, W. L. Blair, Everet Crowe, Charles Bissett.

P. A. KRITOSOPHIAN SOCIETY.

President,—J. W. McKenzie. *Vice-President*,—W. R. Campbell.
Secretary,—Jas. McLean. *Treasurer*,—Jas. E. Creighton.
Guard,—L. P. McLennan.

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| Standing Committee | { Pres. and Sec'y ex. off. E. Fulton, H. Putnam, Jas. E. Creighton. | O. Com. | { V. Pres. and G. ex. off. A. Laird, R. P. Stewart, Chas. Elliott. |
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Regular meeting, Friday night, Y. M. C. A. building.

P. A. DEBATING SOCIETY.

President,—D. C. McIntosh. *Vice-President*,—E. M. McDonald. *Secretary*,—A. A. Fraser. *Committee*. { F. W. Fraser,
D. Fraser,
Wm, McDonald.

Friday night, in Lecture Room No. 1.

P. A. CRICKET CLUBS.

Senior Club.—Captain, Donald Fraser.
Junior Club.—Captain, J. C. H. Primrose.

P. A. FOOT-BALL CLUB.



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