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## A NOTABLE GIFT

MR. CYRUS S. EATON, of Cleveland, a native of Pugwash, N. S., has given \$10,000 to build a model two department rural school at Pugwash Junction, and a sufficient endowment in addition to

provide \$2,500 per year for the conduct of the institution. The only stipulation is that the school district contribute as much as it is able to do on the ground that "an institution that is provided free of charge is never highly regarded by the community it seeks to serve."

It is always a pleasure to record the fact when a native of the Maritimes who has gone abroad and attained wealth remembers the home of his child-hood. We have had similar illustrations in New Brunswick, and would have many more if every son of the province who has gone abroad and gained wealth would give thought to his early home and manifest a desire to make a contribution to its permanent welfare. ST. JOHN TELEGRAPH

Those who have remained at home and prospered are not absolved from a similar responsibility and service. Happily we are not without illustrations in this direction also. There are great opportunities for such beneficence, the results of which would be far reaching and of long duration.