

ing the vacation. Their time was made quite enjoyable on different occasions by the Matron, Mrs. Craig, and the Misses Mills.

We welcome to our halls quite a number of new students, who, although entering late, may receive considerable instruction ere spring, and be able to take away with them not only the substance of their lectures, but many other valuable lessons learned by contact with their fellow students.

#### Opening of the Dairy School.

The Dairy School opened January 4th with about forty pupils present; since then many more have arrived, but the attendance is lower than was expected. This year we notice that the class consists of younger men than attended previously.

The number of ladies in the home dairy under the instruction of Miss Rose, is larger than ever before.

Two very fine Shorthorn heifers were purchased lately by Prof. Day from Mr. A. W. Smith, Maple Lodge. They are highly pedigreed animals, being bred from imported Scotch stock and are a valuable addition to the college herd. Prof. Day is determined to so strengthen the stock of the college that young men can receive training on stock judging second to none on this continent.

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### Locals.

An estate inherited from the father is called a patrimonial estate. What is one inherited from the mother? According to Klugh it is the matrimonial state. Possibly he is nearer right than might at first be supposed.

Efty has found out why the college meat is not always as good as it might be. "They get it all by contraction."

Dr. Shuttleworth—"In an egg properly cooked the albumen is just coagulated. How do you get them here? Are they coagulated or——"

Cowan—"We get them incubated."

It is impossible to account for all the peculiarities of taste. Who but bell would think of using coal oil to perfume a handkerchief?