

WE are in hopes that on our return after the holidays we shall have the pleasure of spending some pleasant afternoons on our rink. Its size has one thing in its favor, namely, that those who practice on it have a very fair chance of becoming experts in the art of turning the corners gracefully.

MOST of us have enjoyed the privilege of attending sociables held in our respective churches during the past month. On December 3rd the Baptist girls attended the reception to the Rev. Mr. Eaton, held in Bloor Street church. On the 5th the Presbyterians were present at a sociable given in their church, and those who attend the Methodist church, in their turn, enjoyed a social evening there on the 11th. Such evenings are always welcome, and afford us pleasant recreation.

THE following is the programme rendered at the open meeting of the Heliconian Society, which took place on the 19th of December:—

PIANO DUET,	“Radiense,”	Gottschalk.
	Misses Tilson and Kirk.	
RECITATION,	“The Student’s Story.”	Longfellow.
	Miss Edith Taylor.	
“THE HELICONIAN,”		
	Editors, Misses Wallace and Brophy.	
PIANO SOLO,	“Mazurka, No. 4.”	Godard.
	Miss Violet Kirk.	
RECITATION,	“The Starless Crown.”	
	Miss Edith Carmichael.	
VOCAL SOLO,	“Good-bye, Sweet Day.”	Varmah.
	Miss Boehmer.	
Recitation,		Selected.
	Miss Mabel Wallace.	
DEBATE.—Resolved:	“That written examinations should be abolished.”	
	Miss Jessie Dryden.	Miss Jennie Cutler.
RECITATION,	“The Knight and the Page.”	M. C. Howe.
	Miss Orma Tait.	
PIANO SOLO,		Arabesque Lack.
	Miss Nina Tilson.	

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DIGESTION V. INDIGESTION.—*First Student*—(in dining-room after a story)—“Gentlemen, I read in Physiology that stories and jokes aid digestion.” *Second Student*—(combatively)—“I don’t think so, for Tommy Jimmie told a story and it stuck in my throat for a week, and even then I didn’t swallow it.”

A POST-CARD from Paris, France, addressed to Woodstock College, Woodstock, Md., reached our college a few days ago, after having received the following amusing endorsement: “Not for Woodstock, Eng., Try Canada, U.S.A.”