

ABOUT COLLEGE.

Father Episcopon still flourishes, and his eagle eye is ever looking for faults to rebuke, and habits to amend.

The last number, read on March 16th, was much appreciated. Its reading was made more interesting by the accompanying interruptions.

Now is the time to talk about the cricket prospects for the coming season. Trinity should strive to retain all the laurels that she won last year. The freshmen should turn out in force and roll the crease as soon as the ground has partially dried up.

To wipe of the debt of \$5,000 on the Diocesan Mission Fund, Professor Boys has generously agreed to give \$500 on condition that nine other persons consent to do likewise. If all were as liberal, there would never be a deficit in the Church's finances.

The entertainment at Trinity Medical School, on Friday March 11th, was an unqualified success. The large lecture-room was crowded to its utmost capacity. It was a farewell to study for those attending the Winter Session, and also a prelude to examinations. Messrs. Brennan, Féré, and others, by their exertions contributed materially to the carrying out of the programme.

Already the spring poet has begun his annual labours and an editor's life again become a burden. But we are prepared; our fighting editor has been appointed manager of our "poets' page," and has been seen, for several mornings past, issuing forth from the abode of clubs in the wilderness, panting from his exertions to get into proper trim for his duties. Take notice, then, ye melodious warblers of the vernal months, and be prepared for instant flight if ye should see e'en but the glimmer of a smile.

The meetings of the Theological and Missionary Society have been well attended this term and have proved very interesting.

At the first of February 8th, Mr. J. G. Lewis read a paper entitled "The Chief Sources of Ministerial Power," in which he made some very valuable suggestions, but owing to time being limited was unable to enter into much detail. Mr. G. H. Broughall, B. A., thought one factor had been overlooked, viz., the advantages arising from the joint residence of clergy in the Mission Field. Further remarks, chiefly with reference to this subject, were made by Rev. Messrs. Squire, Symonds, Haslam, and the Provost, after which the meeting was brought to a close.

The Society met again March 1st, when the members of the Clerical Association were present. The Rev., the Provost presided. Rev. G. E. Haslam, M. A., read a paper on "The Early British Church," entering into particulars of the planting of Christianity in Britain, and tracing the after history to the Council of Whitby, (664 A. D.) After the conclusion of the paper, Rev. J. P. Lewis spoke of the stability of the work done in England at the Reformation so that the present Church of England is a continuation

of the British Church of Saxon times, whereas the work done on the continent by Melancthon, &c., has to a great extent been rooted up. Rev. Mr. Owen gave some interesting particulars concerning the Welsh Church and its traditions. After some further discussion in which Rev. Messrs. McCollum, J. Langtry, T. W. Patterson, and Prof. Roper took part, the Chairman brought the meeting to a close.

A devotional meeting is to be held on March 18th and the next regular meeting will be on March 29th, when Rev. A. J. Broughall will read a paper on the late "Mission in New York City."

When the men are supposed to insult the Steward, a fine and gating ensue, but when the Steward insults the men it is difficult to say what is done, if any action at all is taken. It is simply scandalous that a man should be gated merely for attendance at the reading of Episcopon. Nothing was proved against him in which the whole College was not implicated. If there were any necessity for gating anyone, which we utterly deny, why were we not all gated? Why were we not allowed to spend the evening in the orderly manner in which we had commenced it? This system of exasperation is unbearable.

Two of the many dogs that infest the College grounds have succumbed to an untimely fate at the hands of the gyps. In our opinion some more expeditious and less cruel way of killing them than by clubbing them to death might be found. With some poisons, for instance, death is almost instantaneous. This is a hint for future executions, and while we are on the subject we might suggest that they be removed to a distance before they are tortured as their yelps grate on our civilized ears.

TRINITY COLLEGE SCHOOL.

Term ends on April 14th, and the boys have already begun to count the days.

Mrs. Read, who is well known to all old Trinity College School boys, succeeds Mr. Brent as Organist.

It is about the usual time for holding the Annual Cricket Meeting. Prospects for the coming season are bright, all last year's team being still at school except four.

The Musical and Dramatic Entertainment given in the Dining Hall of the school on Wednesday, March 3rd, was a great success. The Hall was completely filled by the boys and guests from the Town. The programme consisted of instrumental music by the "Accidentals" of Port Hope, and the two farces "Box and Cox," and "One too many for him," by the boys. The acting was very good, especially that of Mr. Perry as "Mr. Cox," and Mr. E. C. Cattanaach as "Miss Euphemia de Walker." After the Concert invitations were given for an impromptu dance; willing hands soon cleared the room, and for an hour or two the followers of Terpsichore had things all their own way.

The Committee are to be congratulated on the success of the entertainment. Thanks are, however, especially due to Mr. Perry, who laboured untiringly to make it a success.