

The Rockwood Review.

Miss Bella Convery and Miss Goodearle were among the sufferers from Grippe.

The Rinkman's Carnival came off on the 18th Feb., and was largely attended. One of the finest costumes on the ice was that of Geo. Kennedy, of football fame, who appeared as a German Prince.

Berlin's win will do one good thing if it encourages hockey in the west—"so it is an ill wind, &c." Queen's Victory in the senior series still shows the difference between the east and the west in true hockey.

Mr. W. Porter, of Portsmouth, met with a very serious accident about ten days ago—falling into the hold of a barge and injuring his head and spine. For a time his life was despaired of, but now he is steadily improving.

The defeat of the Frontenacs in Toronto was not only unexpected, but considered impossible on ice, but when hockey contests are waged in slush, the game ceases to be of any interest as an exhibition of skill. The Union must insist on matches being played on hard ice, and a rule to that effect must be introduced at once.

Grippe has laid low its thousands. German measles its tens of thousands. Among those who have suffered severely from the former complaint lately, have been Miss Mabel Orser, Miss Mitchell, Jas. Dennison, W. Marsh, W. Madill. Every child who wishes to stay away from school has German measles.

Rockwood didn't win the Trophy from the City this year, although one of its Rinkers came out six points ahead in both competitions. We are loyal to the core, and careful of the feelings of the enthusiast who wanted to go to Arnprior, so the question as to which rink it was, is like that of the Lady and the Tiger—which?

Mr. W. Carr is launching out boldly this season and going in for a career of wild excitement. He is skipping a Curling Rink, has been Chairman at a Church Bazaar and Social, and has now gone in for the leadership of an Orchestra. He is quite safe as long as he keeps a drum out of the organization.

The Rockwood Curling Club could not go to Arnprior this year, Grippe, German measles and a dozen other things contributing to the disappointment. In spite of the default the next Bonspiel will be at Rockwood, and our visitors will be handsomely entertained.

Dr. Clarke has been appointed President of the Eastern Association, and Mr. W. Cochrane Secretary.

Rockwood Officials and Patients came to the front on the Indian Famine Fund question, and decided to give an entertainment in aid of the sufferers in India. This function took place in the Amusement Hall on Feb. 24th, and some five hundred people turned up for the occasion, and the result is that about \$150 will be handed to the Secretary of the Fund. The following was the

PROGRAMME.

Overture,.... Rockwood Orchestra.
Song, True to the Ship, G. Pierce.
Gobble Duet, Miss Orser & J. Shea.
Song—"Hoolihan,"..... W. Shea.
Clarinet Solo..... W. Madill.
"Hush Baby" and "Good Night Chorus," Rockwood Juveniles.
Topical Song..... W. Cochrane.
Schlummerlied, Review Quartette.
Song, Tune of Zanibar, W. Mallory.
Violin Solo..... Mons. Andrieux.
Milk Can Chorus, Rockwood Club.
Concluding with the Laughable Farce, "THE SLIPPERY DAY."

Boy, W. Shea; Shoemaker, T. W. McCammon; Lawyer Sharpe, J. Davidson; Insurance, E. Gilmour; Old Man, W. Jones; Old Woman, J. Lawless; Policeman, J. Shea.