

WOODSTOCK COLLEGE.

A SLIGHT VARIATION.

In the spring a young man's fancy lightly turns to thoughts of exams ;
Then beneath his midnight taper, he crams and crams and crams and crams.

(with apologies to Lord Tennyson)—B.

WE are sorry to announce the death of the only brother of our fellow student Mr. J. Atkins. We sincerely sympathize with him in his bereavement, and trust that what now seems so hard to bear, may in the end prove to be for the best.

THE same sympathy is extended to Mr. Hurlburt, who a few days ago lost his father. But a year ago his mother died, which casts a deeper shade over this last bereavement.

ONE of the teachers was enrolling a new boy. "Of what denomination are you?" said the man with the pen. "Well, our folks 'tends meetin' in the smoky hollow school house, three miles an' a half down the Cordroy road."

REV. Mr. Bone made his annual visit to the College on Feb. 13th. His intimate knowledge of men enables him to do a work that few others could perform, and renders his addresses exceedingly interesting. Mr. Bone has a style peculiar to himself but one highly appreciated by the College boys.

PROF. M. S. Clark's lecture on the celebrated French Novelist, Daudet, was both entertaining and edifying. Although most of us were unacquainted with the subject of the lecture we enjoyed this introduction and felt a desire for a better acquaintance with "the Dickens of France."

LA GRIPPE.—The students have had their yearly visitation of "La Grippe," and judging from the prevalence of coughs and colds, and the number of trays sent up to sick rooms its visit was not without effect. However, all have succeeded in weathering the gale, and the fourth year students are back at Latin prose again with their wonted vigor.

THE following officers were elected this month by the Philomathic Society. President, Mr. W. F. Spidell; Vice President, Mr. F. E. Brophy; Secretary, Mr. L. C. Stone; Curator, Mr. F. J. Wellwood; Marshal, Mr. J. P. McLennan; Critic, Mr. A. L. McCrimmon, M.A.

ON Thursday, Feb. 6th, a missionary meeting was held in the chapel room. Addresses were delivered on Foreign Missionary Work by Revs. A. P. McDiarmid and La Flamme. The result was a noticeable strengthening of the missionary vitality at the College.