

The work of the Debating Society was very commendable this month. Mr. H. J. MacDonald read a most carefully prepared paper on "The English Education Bill," which was afterwards discussed by the houses and many availed themselves of the opportunity to speak or to ask questions, which were cheerfully answered by the lecturer in a very clear and comprehensive manner.

The paper as read may be found on another page of this issue.

The MacDonalds played a fast game of hockey with 'Scholastics' this month, which resulted in a victory for the Clan from Drumtochty.

The Scotchmen have a strong aggregation and are ready to meet all "comers"

The traditional hockey match between the Lay Profs. and Philosophers was played on the 17th inst. and the heretofore 'invincibles' went down to defeat at the hands of the best company of hockey players, the Philosophers have ever had together. The stake, being a banquet, all feasted on the following Thursday night. Keen appetites, caused by a fast of eight hours and good, jovial fellowship were the orders of the evening. Mr. Nolan, as Captain of the losing team presided and the speeches of the different members of the teams were gems of oratory and raillery. After the "feed", all adjourned to the recreation hall, and although we had no "Ricky" with a 'pick' nor 'Bob' and Jimmy with the gloves, yet Cox and Carey, took the cake, and speeches and songs—Rip Van Winkle—were the orders of the *Day*. Someone re-Marked that the lights were going out, but *Day* being still with us, all joined hands, sang "Auld Lang Syne" and the third annual banquet was put down as one of the pleasantest events of the year.

Mac. says he played "Point" before *day* and consequently could'nt see the puck.

Robert Emmet 'the best play since Richelieu' was the verdict of all.

Sergt. Topfall was very natural in every scene.

Jack and Joe are two clever comedians.

"Cap." was right at home as Norbury.