

THE members of the matriculating class recently gave a supper in honor of their class-mate, Mr. E. Borden, who having successfully passed his examinations has gone to Yarmouth County to teach.

A number of students have left their classes with a view to teaching through the coming vacation. They are expected, however, to be present at the terminal examinations and during the anniversary exercises of the institutions.

THE Cads. have set up an opposition gymnasium in Room, No. 28. A luncheon free to all who can sound the Indian war-whoop or imitate the rattling thunder. The chief cook of this society is probably unaware that a storm is brewing.

WE were lately made cognisant of the fact that the United States possessed a North, East, South, and West. This statement being made by a certain Junior while naming the differences existing between the United States and Canada, it must necessarily follow that Canada is a point.

RULES for a collegian:—

Don't make a fool of thyself oftener than necessary.
Extinguish all regard for other people's business.
Wait till thou art asked a question before answering it.
In talking try to give thy brains a little chance.
Sing when alone and in the wilderness.

RUMOUR has it that the frequency with which two of the students *march* through the Seminary *gates* is calculated to excite the envy of local as well as the jealousy of distant parties. Boys don't allow the dust to gather too thickly on the covers of your text-books: for in the future you will find the memory of the smiles of the teachers of Acadia Seminary a poor substitute for well-earned knowledge.

A marked innovation upon one of the time-honored customs of the English nation has been made by our Freshmen. At a class-supper lately held by the members of that particular part of the College fraternity, the toasts before being drunk were put to vote. The change may be for the best, boys, but it would be rather a difficult matter to describe the feelings of that person whose name was proposed, should the vote prove a negative one.

WHILE PROF. C. G. D. ROBERTS of King's College, was delivering his lecture in Academy Hall, the members of the Athenæum as well as the lecturer himself were forced to undergo considerable annoyance caused by the members of the Lyceum stamping on the floor during their exercises, and by some persons rapping on the windows from the outside. The former can be excused on the ground of thoughtlessness; but such conduct as the latter reflects no favorable light upon the good order maintained at these institutions and deserves censure of the severest nature.

It is rumored that a vote of thanks is about to be presented by the residents of Wolfville to those students who so kindly assisted them at a recent Sabbath-evening service, in rendering the popular Barking Chorus. With respect to the matter we feel it our duty to say to that part of our number, that we, too, are rejoiced that now their talents, so long reclining in obscurity, are beginning to shine; and that their success has forced us to conclude that, in some instances, there is not such a wide difference between the *genus homo* and the *genus canis* as might at first sight be supposed to exist.

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