

Term. A large accession of boarders is expected at the re-opening of the School, and it is hoped that under the careful management which may be looked for from the Reverend Principal and Mrs. Blackman, a prosperous future is opening up for this important adjunct of our Collegiate Establishment.

The Academy Buildings have been put in good repair at considerable expense, and several alterations have been made for the greater comfort of the inmates. For particulars respecting the Collegiate School, reference may be had to its place in the Appendix.

The Encænïa of 1863 was particularly gratifying to the friends of the College, and was celebrated in the new and costly building which has been erected by the munificence of the Alumni, to their lasting honor.

The attendance was unusually large, including the Earl and Countess of Mulgrave, and Vice Admiral Sir A. Milne. Three of the oldest Alumni, the youngest of fifty-four years standing, were also present, to renew their old and hallowed associations, and note the favorable contrast between their day of small things, and the present prosperous condition of the Institution.

Mr. Justice Bliss, upon whom the degree of D. C. L. was deservedly bestowed, an ornament as he is to the College and the Bench, was one of those three; and in the course of a touching address he feelingly alluded to his Academical life, and to his venerated Instructors, the late Rev. Dr. Cochran, who has passed away thirty years ago, and the Rev. Dr. Porter, who still enjoys a green old age, in his native land, and was able to enrich the Commemorative Oration of the President with a classic effusion from his polished pen, in reference to the late lamented Major-General Inglis, once an inmate of the College, who has been numbered with departed Alumni during the past year.

During the year, two of the oldest Alumni have passed away, the Ven. Archdeacon Stuart, D. C. L., of Kingston, C. E., who was a student before the Charter, about the year 1792, and the Rev. Charles Ingles, formerly Rector of Sydney, C. B., who gra-