

The Rockwood Review.

Courtice, Jaquith; Diana after the Chase, Miss E. Bamford; Crowning of Victory, Misses Stoness Shields, Reilly and Sears; the Inconvenience of Single Life, Jas. Shannahan; the Convenience of Married Life, Jas. Shannahan and Miss I. Sears; Florence Nightingale, Miss D. Nugent and Ed. Gilmour; Hands Across the Sea, G. Stephenson, A. Carey and Miss W. Nicholson; Rock of Ages, Miss E. Pooler. Mr. Malcolm sang, Soldiers of the Queen, during the last lines of which a group called Britannia appeared. Those taking the parts in this picture were Misses M. Donaldson, Shields and Reilly, Messrs. Woods, Gilmour and Legault. The Orchestra then played several selections, which were followed by a song entitled Miss Clancy, by Wm. Woods. Mr. John Shea sang Ave Maria, with violin obligato by Dr. C. K. Clarke. Mr. Wm. Shea gave his latest song, "I happened to be there." After a short wait the entertainment was closed by a series of Biograph pictures, shown by Mr. J. Halliday.

Mrs. Ed. Cowan, of Gananoque, has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Nicholson, of Portsmouth, and has renewed many old acquaintances at Rockwood.

Several Pheasants have been set at liberty in Rockwood grounds. If they should wander further abroad, it is hoped that local sportsmen will not molest them, as it is desired to give the birds a chance to increase in numbers next year. Up to the present some of them have returned to the coops nearly every day to be fed. Two have been injured by thoughtless small boys, and it is feared that the others will receive little mercy.

Popular enthusiasm ran high over the winning of the senior Football Championship by the Granites. This team has been cleverly managed all year, and has given ample proof of the fact, that the highest development of football can only be expected in players trained in

the intricacies of the game from childhood. In Kingston every boy plays Rugby from the time he can toddle, and the result is that the game is understood as it is nowhere else in Canada. Under ordinary circumstances, the skill of the Granites would win from the brute strength of the Rough Riders nineteen times out of twenty. Almost all of the players on the Granite team were born and brought up in Kingston, the Rough Riders have been gathered from far and near.

An exciting billiard tournament for a fine cue is in progress at Rockwood. As it is a handicap some gammon finishes are looked for.

Mrs Peirce although still very ill is slowly improving.

Bursar Cochrane called on Nov. 25, and received a warm welcome from his many friends.

Miss Jaquith has resigned from the staff of Nurses and been succeeded by Miss Marian Taylor.

M. A. Powell and Mr. W. Jones took in the Granite excursion to Toronto on Nov. 24th.

Mr. R. Painter severed his connection with Rockwood at the beginning of November.

Several Screech Owls have taken up their residence in the Rockwood grounds.

The Viola and Iris have gone into winter quarters but the Gerda is still in the water.

The ice boat enthusiasts are already making arrangements for the coming season. The mosquito fleet is likely to receive several additions. Mr. Bush McCormack will have to look to his laurels even if he has been studying naval architecture during the summer and building torpedo boats on the back road.

The Rockwood Library is about to receive an addition of two or three hundred books.