

The Rockwood Review.

DR. WEBSTER who was absent in New York for several weeks, studying Modern Surgical Developments, returned to Rockwood on April 18th.

EARLY in April, Leo the Royal Cadet was put in the stage at Rockwood by Mr. Telgmann and sixty performers. Every one was delighted with it, and the patients were particularly interested in the performances of the Zulus.

IN A RECENT edition of the WHIG it was stated that two men dressed in the uniform of one of the local institutions, in company with three boys, were seen carrying off lumber from the Athletic grounds. It may be said that these remarks did not apply to Rockwood officials, although the statement in regard to uniformed men was true. There is an old saying that it is sometimes necessary to set a thief to catch a thief, and on this principle no doubt these men were appointed to their present positions. It is a sad commentary on the morals of the community to discover that some public property such as that of the Athletic Association is regarded as fair plunder by men who would be deeply insulted if they were called dishonest.

MASTER OMAR WOOD GILMOUR is recovering from a serious illness.

MR. W. CARR is preparing for an active campaign against the Portsmouth cows, and woe betide any wandering bovines. Unless the owners of these animals are more careful than in the past the Pound Keeper will have a busy and remunerative reason.

THE possibility of getting up a good orchestra was demonstrated at the recent entertainment. Add to the instrumentalists of that evening, the others in the City who are competent to play good music and the result would be most satisfactory. The experiment is likely to be tried at an early date.

THE VIOLA is rapidly being put in commission for the season of 1900 and challenges to the Iris are already in order.

THE going out of the ice lacked all sensational elements and proved a tame affair.

WE are assured that the New Golf Links will be established in our vicinity. Mr. W. S. Shea is already anticipating the golf fever and is overhauling the property room in anticipation of a steady demand for red coats. Your true West Ender is well aware of the possibilities of this room and when anything from a Fancy Carnival to a Church Bun Fight is one never hesitates to make a visit to 'Billy'—sometimes a demand on the same gentleman insisting that as a taxpayer he has a right to the use of Government property. Mr. Shea is a stern defender of the rights of the Government though, and has now arrived at the stage when he can refuse even a Ladies' Aid Society—so, perhaps, golf coats will be at a premium.

A SEEKER after truth asked our compositor if among other accomplishments he had that of being able to speak French. He replied that he could not, but one of the family was able to perform on the German flute. We have known the possessor of such ability to be regarded in anything but an enthusiastic light by his neighbors.

THE EMPLOYEES gave their last dance on the evening of April 18. The downpour of rain prevented a large attendance, but the hundred who were able to accept the invitation had a pleasant evening.

The Pierrepont made her first trip to the Island with difficulty on April 9th.

Mrs. Terrill, of D. and D. Institute, Belleville, spent Easter with Mrs. Forster.