

WOODSTOCK COLLEGE.

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MRS. MCCRIMMON was at home on the evening of January 11th, to the fourth year. The guests were royally entertained and spent a most enjoyable evening.

THE death of Mr. Frank Karn, a former student, and only son of one of the college's staunchest friends, Mr. D. W. Karn, threw a degree of gloom over the closing days of the past term. The sincerest sympathy is extended by teachers and students to the family so sadly bereaved by the removal of one whose life promised so much.

A RINK Committee has been formed to carry on the business of our open air rink. If the weather is favorable we shall have good skating this season, as preparations are being made for giving more attention to flooding, sweeping, etc. The ice is now in good condition. Every day the clattering of hockey-sticks is heard in that direction. We occasionally invite friends up from the town to share our pleasure, and spend in that way some very enjoyable Saturday afternoons. The Hockey Club has been organized with Mr. E. Howell as Captain. The College team will be a good one, as usual.

CHRISTMAS vacation is now a thing of the past, recalled only by sweet remembrances of its scenes, and of the fond greetings with which all were received by friends at home. The two weeks seemed to fly, so quickly did they pass, and the opening day of the winter term arrived before anyone realized it. But whatever may be the attractions which tempt them to remain, the boys of Woodstock College are always too loyal to the old school to desert it, so it was not long before the majority of the old boys had gathered back again, and their trunks and valises, fragrant with suggestive odors, lined the corridors. Everyone had some delightful tales to relate concerning the adventures and exploits of the holidays. But there were others assembled who were not so merry, upon whose countenances dwelt a sad, longing expression, which betokened that they were victims of that dread and insidious disease, home sickness. However, when they grew accustomed to the different phases of college life, they soon recovered, and are now quite as happy as anyone. The term promises to be a very prosperous one in every way, and both old boys and new will endeavor to uphold the good reputation of the College.

THE Philomathic Society has organized for the coming term. The officers were elected on Friday evening, January 8th. A very exciting meeting was held, many stump speeches being made concerning the merits of the candidates, so that all the elections were well contested. The officers elected are :—President, Mr. V. Ray ; Vice-President, Mr. H. Guyatt ; Critic, Mr. J. J. McNeil, B.A. ; Marshall, Mr. A. Mann ; Cura-