

GLEE CLUB.

THIS popular Society has had its hands full in the matter of concerts since the holidays. On the 21st of January they gave a concert at Rockwood Asylum by invitation, and received a warm welcome from the authorities of that Institution. A programme consisting of solos, glees, readings and recitations, was rendered to a quiet and apparently appreciative audience. No pains were spared to make the evening a pleasant one to all concerned, and the Club are especially indebted to the Steward, Mr. McLean, for his successful endeavours to minister to their enjoyment. At the close of the entertainment an excellent supper was partaken of by the members of the Club and several officials of the Institution. A hearty invitation was extended for a repetition of the visit of the Glee Club to Rockwood at as early a date as possible, and the boys left for home thoroughly satisfied with the evening's enjoyment.

On the 28th January the Club gave a similar programme in the Town Hall at Portsmouth, for the benefit of St. Andrew's Sabbath School of that village, and were enthusiastically received.

On the 1st of the present month, the Club sang by invitation at the concert held in the Masonic Hall, Wolfe Island, in aid of the English Church. A long programme was rendered by Kingstonians and others, the Island furnishing considerable local talent, and the Glee Club doing its part in the way of choruses and readings by the members. At the close a supper was provided for the Club at Hitchcock's Hotel.

At the recent entertainment of the Alma Mater Society in St. Andrew's Hall, the Glee Club was again in requisition, and sang a couple of pieces in a style which evinces careful practice, and is highly creditable to the instructor, Mr. Heath, as well as to those who compose the Club. We are glad to see so well organized a Club, and we have no doubt, that still greater proficiency is the aim of those who manage it, in which case it will be second to no organization of the kind, and a credit alike to the University and the city.

It is the intention of the Glee Club to give a grand concert on or about the 25th inst., when choruses from the "Pirates of Penzance" will be rendered in costume. A capital programme will be given by a full corps of vocalists, including the best talent in the city, Mr. Wm. Tandy, Miss Bates, Miss Bamford, Mr. and Miss Walkem, Mr. Heath and others will take part in the solos, and a rare musical treat may be looked forward to. We hope to see a full house, and we expect to see a gratified audience.

MEDICAL ASSOCIATION.

THERE has this year been formed in Kingston and vicinity a most vigorous Medical Association. Dr. Dickson, President of the Royal College, is President, and Dr. Henderson, of '79, Secretary. It is called the Cataraqui Medical Association, and monthly meetings are held at the residences of the members. Matters affecting the profession

are discussed, and papers are read and commented upon. We take the report of the last meeting from the *News*. The Association met last evening at the residence of Dr. Sullivan. The members were Dr. Dickson, President, and Drs. McCammon, Lavell, Kennedy, jr., Kennedy, sr., (both of Bath,) Oliver, Metcalf (of the Asylum) Phelan, Sullivan, Fenwick, Sparks (dentist) and Dupuis.

Dr. Henderson, the Secretary, being absent attending the wedding of Dr. Smith, of St. Thomas, Dr. K. N. Fenwick was appointed Secretary *pro tem*.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and adopted. A short discussion ensued on the propriety of conferring with the Government upon certain changes in the laws respecting medical men, which now seem to be unjust and oppressive, and which, it is thought, might be amended with advantage to some surgeons, and without any disadvantage to the public generally. It was decided that a deputation from the Medical Council should wait upon the Attorney-General and ascertain his views on the subject. On the question of ratifying the tariff in a legal manner, after a short discussion it was decided to appoint a committee, consisting of Drs. Sullivan, Henderson and Dupuis, to go to Belleville and confer with the medical men in the western part of the Dominion and secure their co-operation in this desirable matter.

A report of a case of *Locomotor Ataxia*, which has been in the Kingston Hospital since last June, was then given by Dr. Dupuis, and a long and interesting paper on the nature, symptoms, causes, treatment, etc., of that peculiar disease, which was well received, and drew forth many remarks upon the disease treated of, from most of the members present.

Dr. Sullivan expressed himself highly pleased with the paper, as it brought a very difficult subject before them for consideration. After a few more remarks the members were invited by Dr. Sullivan to pass into the dining room, where a sumptuous spread of good things offered itself for their discussion. In the discussion that followed all the members took part, and were unanimous in the conclusion arrived at. The meeting adjourned in harmony, promising to meet again at the residence of Dr. Dickson, on the first Friday in March, at 8 p.m.

CONCERT AT THE ASYLUM.

THE College Glee Club assembled last night almost to a man, and won honour to themselves by their determination to fulfill their engagement, despite the storm. The boys are always in good spirits and they did not allow the weather to interfere with their enjoyment on the way out. Mr. Pomeroy opened the concert with a piano solo. The following selections were then given in order. Glee, "Juvallera;" reading, Mr. Shanks; solo and chorus, "Swanee River," solo by Mr. Rathbun; reading, Mr. Shaw; solo and chorus, with bell accompaniment, "Jingle Bells," solo by Mr. Snook; song, "The Echo," Mr. Heath. This selection closed the first part of the programme. Mr. Heath