

Leaves from our Journal.

SEPTEMBER.—An extra week's holiday in honor of the King's Coronation having been granted in the summer to all schools in the Dominion, our re-opening for the winter term did not take place until the 12th and 13th of September.

Then the noisy vigorous young "family" arrived, forty-two in number, and filled the house once more with fresh young life.

Miss Shibley and Miss Kelley were coming from Toronto by the Lake route; unfortunately they met with very adverse winds, lost connection with the "Imperial Limited," on which their sleepers were taken from Port Arthur, and altogether encountered so many mishaps on the way that they did not arrive in Yale until the 16th.

Miss Hart came a week later, and then every one settled down to steady work for the term.

We notice several new faces at the table and in the school-room whom we welcome with gladness, but we sadly miss a few dear, long-familiar faces. Separated as such members of our All Hallows' children are through circumstances from the old School, we trust that they will always remember that they are never separated from our love, and the Saturday evening memorial "for those who have gone out from our schools" is a prayer faithfully offered in the School Chapel every week all the year round.

OCTOBER.—The weather was so warm and sunny in October that tennis players were tempted to get up a tournament. To practice for this certain "stay-a-beds" were ruthlessly routed up at 6 o'clock in the morning by their more energetic companions.

A paper-chase was also organized, the rules of which, however, were not clearly understood by certain little "hounds," who thought short cuts permissible when the "hares" appeared on the hill slopes above them, and the trail was very round about!

Two Saturday afternoons in October were thus pleasantly occupied; on the third, as the weather still continued fine, a mountain climbing expedition was undertaken by some of the staff, who privately advertised for a light porter to help them with the lunch baskets!

Many eager, if not very strong or capable applicants appeared in answer to this advertisement. The sturdy little maid whose services were eventually accepted, proved herself an ideal climber. With Miss Shibley she actually reached Jews' Nose, "O place of renown!" The rest of the party contented themselves with a view from the bluff just below it, and it was whispered that one laggard did not get even so far, but sat down half way to sketch, her artistic quality being stronger and more subtle than her athletic ability.

Towards the end of the month, a birthday gave the President and Vice-President of the Amusement Club a favorable opportunity for getting up a little entertainment, to which both schools were invited.