

It records neatly and concisely the doings of its Alma Mater, and contains a few stray bits of poetry and a number of pointed editorials. Its Christmas dress is chaste and attractive. What the editors of the *Argosy* attempt to do they do well, and from them in this respect some more pretentious college journalists might learn a practical lesson well worth remembering.

Conciseness characterizes the articles in *St. Viator's College Journal*. Its editors say what they have to say in a simple, natural, pointed manner. "Ernest Renan" and "The Unreasonableness of Evolution" are articles which amply repay the trouble of perusal.

The Red and Blue, from Philadelphia, is before us. In it appears an interesting editorial on a lecture delivered by one Colonel A. K. McClure. The subject of the Lecture was Journalism. In the editorial we read: "Colonel McClure gave voice to the fact that journalism offered to men, properly qualified, opportunities unexcelled in any calling. He pointed out that in journalism, beyond any other vocation, there is abundance of room and good salaries awaiting the proper men. He also emphasized the nobility of a position of trust upon a great paper, and said that, with the facilities a college education afforded, he could predict a bright future for those who entered journalism and were properly qualified for it, as one must be in any calling he decides upon." The editorial finishes up in these words: "The moral of all this: if you feel you have any literary ability, and desire valuable training, try to secure election to one of the boards of your university papers." Every student in the university course should consider it his duty to produce something worthy of being printed in his Alma Mater's journal.

The *Acadia Athenaeum* is a worthy representative of the Maritime Provinces. An engraving of Acadia University is an excellent frontispiece for the number before us. The articles in the *Athenaeum* are timely, and the attractive sparkling style in which they are written reflect great credit on the editors and contributors. In point of style, the article entitled "Distinguished Members of the Canadian Parliament" is simply exquisite.

* SOCIETIES.

Owing to the publication of the OWL this month, so soon after the return of the students, there are no proceedings to report in the different societies. We promise however, that in the future ample space will be devoted to chronicle their doings; and with this end in view, we respectfully ask the secretaries of these societies to aid us. They can do so by giving us every week, a notice of the subjects as well as the names of the participants in the discussion.

ATHLETICS.

The City Hockey League whose formation we spoke of in our November issue, has since been organized and is now in full working order. Six teams compose the league, and a series of home and home matches has been arranged by the committee.

The admission fee has been placed at \$3.00, and a trophy is to be purchased for the team winning the league championship. The members of the Executive are:

Hon President, J. W. McRae.

Hon. Vice-President, P. D. Ross,

President, T. Birkett, Ottawa Juniors.

Vice-President, T. J. Rigney, Ottawa

Varsity.

Sec.-Treas., E. Code, Rideau H. C.

Committee, J. Murphy, Electrics; E.

Forbes, Aberdeens; A. Adamson, Rebels.

The schedule of games drawn up by the Executive is as follows:

Jan'y 9 Ottawa Jr. vs. Electrics.

" 10 Rideaus vs. Aberdeens.

" 14 Rebels vs. College.

" 17 Ottawa Jr vs Rebels.

" 20 Electrics vs. Rebels,

" 24 Aberdeens vs. College.

" 26 Ottawa Jr. vs Aberdeens.

" 26 Rebels vs. Rideau

" 28 College vs. Electrics.

" 31 Rebels vs. Ottawa Jr

" 31 Rideau vs Electrics.

Feb'y 1 College vs. Rideau.

" 6 Electrics vs. Aberdeens.

" 8 Ottawa Jr vs. College.

" 10 Aberdeens vs. Rebels.

" 15 Ottawa Jr vs Electrics.

" 17 Aberdeens vs Rideau.

" 18 College vs Rebels

" 21 Rideau vs. Ottawa Jr.

" 22 Rebels vs Electrics.

" 25 College vs Aberdeens.

" 28 Rideau vs. Rebels.