Social Life

R. C. S. HOCKEY BANQUET

On the evening of Jan. 31, the students of the Night School were astonished by the disquieting sounds of girls rushing to and fro in the High School, laden with bundles, long and short, and mysterious parcels breathing forth the most delicious odors. The dining-room was raided by them, then swept and a sufficient number of pins collected from the floor to suffice all needs for decorating. The tables, which were procured from all parts of the building, were arranged and decorated, and the yellow and black, and the blue and white hockey sticks, which served the double purpose of place-cards and favours, were put in their proper places. The room was beginning to look quite gay and gladsome by the time Miss Thompson and Mrs. Bailey arrived and assisted the girls with their final preparations, so that by the time the Rothesay boys began to stream in then the F. H. S. boys—the victors of an 8-0 game—everything was completed.

Mr. Miller having said grace, the boys attacked their well laden plates, and everything disappeared so swiftly that the girls were hardly able to perform their duties as waitresses quickly enough.

Toasts to the King and the two teams followed the "eats," with speeches by the captains of the teams, Miss Thompson, Mr. Miller and Mr. MacLean. A few minutes later the hall was resounding with the strains of "For They are Jolly Good Fellows," sung in sweet sopranos, and then the R. C. S. and F. H. S. yells.

The girls would like to thank all those who assisted them in any way in preparing for the banquet, especially Miss Thompson, Mrs. Bailey, Mr. Hanson, Mr. Barnes and the ladies of the Parish Church.

Our gallant F. H. S. boys allowed the girls to journey home at 12.30 in sweet solitude.

ST. JOHN BASKETBALL BANQUET

"Another banquet, girls!" These cheerful (?) words would be heard as one arrived at school, during the week preceding the basketball game. It was decided to have the banquet in the Domestic Science Room (that is if we could get it). Not much could be done until Friday, as the other girls were having a banquet for R. C. S. Hockey Team Thursday evening. Some of us left school at 3.30 and carried the dishes up from the A. O. H. hall. We could not get any High School boys to do it, but a man splitting wood on the street, very kindly offered to carry them for us. After the game there was a rush to the High School to get the food ready. If it had not been for Miss Thompson, who helped us splendidly, I'm afraid the boys would have had some rather poor coffee, or perhaps none at all. When our boys had eaten an amazing amount of food, and the St. John H. S. and Normal boys