

During the last month a committee of the Senate consisting of the Hon. Attorney General Longley and the Rev. Mr. Chute of Halifax, visited the College and the different lecture rooms in connection therewith. On the whole they were much pleased with the existing condition of things and completed their inspection in a short time. While in the English class the Attorney General was beguiled into making a speech. During the course of his remarks he referred to the growing interest in literature and congratulated Dr. Keirstead on his selection of Sartor Resartus for the present month's study. He was reading the book himself and was thus able to sympathize with all that was said. As the English of the Senior and Junior years is taken up along the lines of higher criticism much power is gained that would otherwise be lost in a mechanical examination of details. So far a comprehensive study of Tennyson, Carlyle and Scott has nearly completed three quarters of a successful course.

The Month

DURING the past month the Gymnasium has presented a busy scene. The severity of the weather limiting to a certain extent the pleasure of outside exercise has had a tendency to call the students to regular work within. Basket-ball seems to be the favorite game and forms a leading part in the exercises. The whistle of the umpire may be heard most any day as he decides between rival participants. In the first match game between the senior and middle year Academy students the seniors won by a score of 17 to 3. The second game was arranged between the Freshman and Academy teams. It was a splendid game, excellent work being done by both teams. The second half proved the Freshmen victors with a score of 6 to 3. The victors celebrated their triumph by testing their Class yell for the first time. A large number of interested spectators witnessed both games. Arrangements have been made for other games which will take place in the near future.

On Wednesday Feb. 10th at a regular meeting of the Y. M. C. A. reports were received from the delegates who attended the Convention at Halifax. Mr. McCurdy gave a miniature sketch of the Convention as a whole. He gave especial emphasis to the kindness which they received from the friends in the city during their stay. He also presented the special features of some of the meetings held. Mr. Martell gave prominence to the meetings in which Bible Study was discussed shewing the importance of this work and the attitude of students toward it generally. He quoted some interesting statistics in reference to Y. M. C. A. work in the Maritime Colleges and urged the necessity of intelligent work and prayer. Mr. Duval the third