

magazines have taken notice of the disgraceful occurrences which have of late been reported in the newspapers, and most of them acknowledge that there must be a weak spot somewhere in the discipline and government of the institutions which have been the scene of such examples of lawlessness on the part of the students. Since the last appearance of the RECORD, the news comes that "the students of the Ohio Wesleyan University went on a strike recently at chapel time. One thousand students gathered at the chapel entrance and then deliberately marched away. Some preparatory students who allowed their zeal to run beyond the bounds of reason, battered down the signs of merchants as they passed along the streets in the line of march. The cause of the strike is said to be that the faculty have disappointed the college glee club, which has arranged a long western tour under the approval of the faculty, and now just on the eve of making the tour such conditions are put upon them as to make it barely possible for the tour to be made." Comment scarcely seems to be necessary.

Current Events.

THE annual closing exercises of the McGill Normal School took place on the 29th of May. Dr. S. P. Robins, the principal of the Normal School, in reading his annual report, stated that at the beginning of the session there were received into the several classes 21 men and 16½ women. Of this number 6 men and 6 women had passed the examination entitling them to academy diplomas, 5 men and 56 women had gained model school diplomas, and 3 men and 60 women had secured elementary diplomas, making a total of 137 diplomas granted. He also drew attention to the great need which existed for a house of residence for the female students, where they could all live under one roof, be supervised by a competent head, and instructed in household economy and domestic hygiene, and at the same time merely pay the net cost of living in a well conducted boarding-house. He sincerely hoped that the day would come when some of the merchant princes of Montreal would see their way to erecting such a building. He knew that it was difficult for men of means wisely to aid by their contributions any establishment over which the Government had control, but he thought that such a