

year meeting he must absent himself from the lecture room, a course of action which he finds very unprofitable in the end.

Visitors to the "Upper Flat," better known as the Q.C. gymnasium, are requested to make less noise. So far as we know there is no horse racing allowed in the building, and if any more occurs we propose to stop it. All take due warning that if a repetition of the noise takes place we propose to give the "Upper Flat" a different atmosphere to breathe, and in that way clear the building.

Wonders will never cease! Did you ever hear of a Winter warbler? Well, we've got her. She may be heard every morning from ten to eleven, or every afternoon from two to four, in Laboratory No. 2. Visitors always welcome. Call early. The janitor will be most happy to do the honors of the Hall.

Let us not forget to mention the interesting address our traveller gave at the last Alma Mater meeting relating to his recent adventures in Northern Quebec. It was rich, and those absent missed a treat. Why, the fish or bear stories told were something fine and true, every one of them, please remember! But what killed us was to hear that there were many more where those came from, and true, also, no doubt.

### READING ROOM.

Every student has noticed with pleasure the miraculous change in the Reading Room. Last session we left it rather dingy and anything but fair to look upon, but we return to find the room so entirely changed that it would be impossible to recognize it were it not that you look from the windows upon the same old scenes, you recognize the same old faces in the pictures, and now the same stamping upstairs as the Freshmen attempt to break through the floor, and again the same old blood-thirsty yell from Divinity Hall, tell you "Tis the place and all around it as of old." Therefore, since we have such a beautiful room, we are glad that the curators have thoughtfully framed and placed in conspicuous places some excellent rules and regulations, and that so many students have read and acted upon these; but we are sorry that some either have eyes and see not or are too self-important to remove their hats, &c., while in

in it. We are grateful to all who helped to make the room what it is, and especially to Mr. Pense, who gives the Reading Room several magazines and two pictures, one of the supporters of the Government, and the other of the Opposition members of the House of Commons, which will be hung up in a few days.

### W. M. C. NOTES.

On Friday, Nov. 11th, at 1.15 p.m., the first monthly meeting of the Missionary Society of our College was held in the College parlor. It would have taken place earlier in the session but for the absence of the Secretary.

The majority of the students were present, and under the able leadership of the President, Miss E. A. A. Bent, it proved to be a very pleasant and entertaining meeting.

After all business was attended to, an article on the "Opium Trade" in India was read by the Vice-President, and also a letter from Dr. Margaret O'Hara, of Indore, by the Secretary. Those of the students who know Dr. O'Hara were delighted to hear from her once more, and to know that she is standing the climate so well. She expects Dr. Agnes M. Turnbull on the 15th of November.

On Sunday afternoon the Y.W.C.A. held its meeting in the College parlor. The attendance was large and showed that a great interest is taken in the work. Miss Annie McCallum, the Vice-President, was the leader, and the subject, "Christ in the Home," was treated in an interesting manner.

Miss Minnie Leavitt, of East Hatley, Que., has returned to resume her medical studies.

Where is our piano? It is greatly missed.

A cute animal.—A leech, when applied to a black eye, takes the good and leaves the bad. What about the other kind of "leeches."

### ROYAL NOTES.

At a late meeting of the Æsculapian Society the following were elected officers for the ensuing year:

President—George McGrath.

Vice-President—J. E. Seager.

Secretary—J. W. Caldwell.

Treasurer—G. D. FitzGerald.

Assistant Secretary—Marselis.

Committee—J. J. Gibson, P. J. Kinsley, A. McEwan, T. Gaskin.