

Points on which students err. College societies as a means of education. Tendencies of the church in our age. Advantages of residence in college.

Men rose to speak, each making choice of a subject from this list. Mr. H. T. Murray undertook to indicate some tendencies of the modern church. These were: to respect the preacher for his manhood rather than for his coat; to assume a more aggressive attitude in regard to temperance and other moral reforms; to become more evangelical in teaching. Mr. A. Graham, speaking on the topic "Methods of Study," pointed out the necessity of application, recreation, and review. There was now a call for experiences, and Mr. Simon L. Fraser arose to review some "points on which students err." He strongly advised freshmen to be chary of their judgments of their fellowmen, to say their prayers, and to go to church. Mr. Scott spoke briefly of the advantages he had derived from two weeks residence in College, after which the critic for the evening Mr. J. M. Wallace declared his opinions of men and things.

The first meeting of the Philosophical and Literary Society came to a close.

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STUDENT'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

This Society held its first meeting on Friday evening, October 18th. In the absence of the president, Mr.

D. J. Graham presided. After the usual devotional exercises, reports of the work in their several fields were received from those students, who had been labouring during the summer under the Society's auspices.

For several years the Students' Missionary Society supported a French Mission in Montreal. Last winter this mission (St. Jean Baptiste) was taken over by the Montreal Presbytery, and the students, hoping thus to widen the circle of their influence, and also to foster an interest in a broader field, undertook to support a number of summer missions in various parts of Canada.

Last spring seven mission fields were placed under the care of the Society, and to these the following students were sent as missionaries:

Mr. J. R. Douglas to Mills, Manitoulin Island.

Mr. F. W. Gilmour to Tarbolton, Manitoba.

Mr. S. D. Jamieson to Lochaber, Quebec.

Mr. S. MacLean to West Carlyle, Assinaboia, N. W. T.

Mr. A. Graham to North Ekford, Ontario.

Mr. J. B. Sincennes to Monto Bello, Quebec, (French Mission.)

Mr. L. Abram to South Indian, Ontario, (French Mission.)

The reports received from these fields will appear along with others in another department. Mr. MacLean's report evoked considerable