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AT the special meeting of the Missionary Association held on Saturday, Nov. 10th, the students were quite enthusiastic about forming a Canadian Intercollegiate Missionary Alliance similar to the American Alliance which met a few weeks ago at Hartford, Conn. It is to be hoped that the Alliance will become a reality, and we should heartily welcome any movement that has for its object the infusion of a more earnest missionary spirit among the college students.

THE new regulations for the Reading Room are about as strict as such things are usually made. Every student should assist in carrying out the reforms at which they aim. Just here and in a whisper we would like to point out to the curators a change that ought to be made in distributing the daily papers. By the present management we get the first glimpse of them

when they are about a day old. Quite recently we overheard some very cruel remarks on the matter, and they were to the effect that "the curators have constituted themselves 'censors of the press,' and that before papers are put on file they are carefully examined, and any matter which it would be dangerous for students to assimilate is expunged." All this takes time, hence the delays. We hope this is not so, and would suggest that the practice which gave ground for the above stricture be discontinued.

THE changes recommended in the constitution of the A.M.S. by the Committee appointed to consider this question were adopted *in toto* at the regular meeting on Saturday night.

Some of the changes are sweeping and consequently met with considerable opposition, while others are less important.

The opening of the new office of Honorary President instead of that of non-resident, vice-President which heretofore existed seems to us a most desirable change. Perhaps the most important reform is in the mode of conducting the annual elections. Instead of the open vote we have now voting by ballot, the poll to be opened between the hours of 2 and 9 P.M., and the state of the poll to be announced every hour must intensify the interest of an election and rid it of much of the confusion and dissatisfaction which were a necessary attendants of these proceedings in former years. The only other change worthy of note is the opening of a new office of Assistant Secretary which the increasing duties of the Secretary render necessary.