

learning much through the association and companionship of their fellow students individually and in societies, such as the Literary, the football, and the Y.M.C.A. of the College. Selfishness, boorishness and disregard for the feelings of others, irreverence and the like, if brought by the student into the College, may be by the practice of their opposites, for which there will be ample opportunity, ground out or sloughed off so that the student when graduated may have all those qualities which go to make up a true gentleman or lady and be possessors of a cultured head, a kindly heart, a courtly manner and a Christian character.

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#### AN INTERESTING LETTER.

C. C. Michener, Secretary of the International Committee of Y.M.C.A., in a letter to Profesor Riddell, gives the following inspiring and hopeful statements respecting work in the Colleges. There never has been a year in the histories of Colleges in this country, or possibly any other, when there were so many students studying the missionary problems of the Church. These students are doing this work in the study classes of the Student Volunteer Movement, which is the Missionary Department of the College Associations. The Bible Study work was never in as good condition. The having a man like Sharman, whose people live in Winnipeg, to supervise the whole system of Bible Study in the Colleges on the continent is meaning much, not only in the increase of class attendance, but in the quality of the work done. The Summer Schools, with their thousand or more students each year, are greatly intensifying and bettering the condition of Christian life among College men.

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Faults in the life breed errors in the brain,  
And these reciprocally these again.  
The mind and conduct mutually imprint,  
And stamps their image on each other's mint.  
—Cowper.