No. 6 thinks that if any means could be adopted whereby Institutes "could be brought to act in concert in any matter affecting their welfare, much good and improvement might be effected."

No. 8 recommends "the publication of a periodical devoted to the interests of me-

chanics."

AMALGAMATION WITH YOUNG MEN'S CHRIST TIAN ASSOCIATIONS.

No. 7 recommends the amalgamation of Mechanics' Institutes with Young Men's Christian Associations, " making one library answer the purposes of the two bodies, and permitting the separate organizations to exercise their different functions without collisions of sentiment."

## VISITATION MEETINGS.

No. 10 thinks that "much practical information and assistance could be afforded to the Institutes throughout the Province, by the Mechanics' Institutes Association holding visitation meetings three or four times in the year. The meetings should be held at the various Institutes in rotation. One of the officers and the Secretary of each Institute should be delegates to the meetings, whose expenses should be paid by the Association," the additional expenditure to be met by abolishing class prizes. These visitation meetings, he thinks, "would, without doubt, be productive of abundant fruit in the practicable suggestions which would be given and received."

## CORRIGENDA.

Page 11, 1st column, line 9. There should be a full stop after the word "tastes," and the word weak" should begin with a capital letter. Page 13, 2nd column, line 18 from bottom. Change the word "boring" into "living."