## Ladies.

WE are glad to see that the girls are becoming more enthusiastic in the matter of athletics this year. Already practices have begun in basketball and plans are on foot for the formation of a college team and also year teams. It seems a pity that the girls do not take as much advantage of the splendid opportunities for exercise and recreation afforded in the gym, and it is to be scarcely hoped that the enthusiasm started this fall will continue and bear fruit in the form of intercollegiate matches and also inter-year matches among the girls. Queen's has plenty of material for a good girls' team and intercollegiate matches in basketball would not only prove very interesting, but would bring us into closer touch with the girls of other colleges. So ,if you have any talent at all for this sport, make a point of turning out at the practices.

Prairie Fashions.—Those who have just returned from the ever-interesting West report that the plaited flounce skirt, trimmed with prairie chicken medallions and shock buttons, is the proper thing.

The meetings of the Y.W.C.A. seem to be particularly interesting this year and that of last week proved no exception. Prof. Jordan gave a very helpful address, taking as his text "Knowing in Whom Ye Have Believed," which could not fail to appeal to all who were fortunate enough to hear him. The idea of having nearly all of the meetings addressed by some of our professors seems to be a splendid idea and the increased attendance shows that it is meeting with the success it deserves.

This week preparations have been busily going on for the annual Freshman's Reception, to be held on Wednesday evening, November 2nd. We hope that this, the opening function of social life at Queen's will be a huge success and that after it every freshie will feel one of us.

Prof. M-r-s-n (explaining to class his preference for the terms men and women to ladies and gentlemen)—"I hope I won't hurt any one's feelings."

Immediate exit of Miss B---y.

Scene—A meeting of the Aesculean Society at which nominations for officers are being received.

Mr. C---l--d, chairman, to Miss M., who wishes to withdraw her name,—"Oh, don't be in such a hurry, it is not at all likely that you will be elected."