

The Rhodes' Scholarships will not inaugurate the millenium, either in education, society, or politics. It may be doubted whether to the individual holder they will bring greater happiness than if he had never seen the banks of Isis, or heard the bell swing slowly from Tom Tower. But they will enrich our best minds with the best that England has to offer; they will train leaders in education, in politics, and in economics, whose influence will broaden downwards till even mediocrity itself is touched to some faint zeal for higher things; for in education, says Plato, we must begin our building at the top. They will increase our knowledge of the great Mother-land, and if some seem lost to Canada, we will take comfort, knowing that they are not lost, but given by us to play their part, on a wider stage. in the development of those ideals of freedom, peace, and justice upon earth. for the advancement of which the British Empire is, under God, the greatest modern instrument.

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REPORT OF THE ANNUAL MEETING OF QUEEN'S COLLEGE LADIES' RESIDENCE.

THE annual meeting of the Woman's Residence Association was held at the Residence on April 23rd, the President Mrs. J. Macgillivray in the chair. After the reading of the minutes, the secretary and treasurer presented their reports, which were most encouraging. In spite of a decrease in the number of resident girls, owing to sickness during the epidemic

in February, the house has been self-supporting and there is a considerable balance in the bank from the general fund, which includes subscriptions, fees and taxes remitted. This is not sufficient, however, to buy some necessary furniture and to pay for the rent of the house through the summer months. To do the latter an effort is being made to rent the house furnished.

The board of Management have accepted with regret the resignation of Miss Drummond as head of the house, and they are now looking for some one to take her place.

All the girls at present in the residence who intend returning to College have already taken rooms, leaving accommodation for nine.

After some routine business and the election of a new Board of Management, Principal Gordon was kind enough to give a short address. The two points which he emphasized were (1st) that any special efforts which were made for the Residence girls, should be extended to all the women students; (2nd) that the principle of individual liberty should not be interfered with in the Residence. The great aim should be to impress on the students the responsibility which comes with this liberty, and to make them self-governing.

On Monday the Board of Management met and elected the following officers:—President, Mrs. J. Macgillivray; 1st vice-president, Miss A. Fowler; 2nd vice-president, Mrs. J. Marshall; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Goodwin; recording secretary, Miss Mowat; treasurer, Miss Brown.