

The Sunday School Anniversary service was held in the afternoon, and was addressed by Rev. D. O. Crossley and Mr. E. C. S. Huycke, of Cobourg.

The sermon in the evening was preached by the Rev. C. E. McIntyre, from 1 Corinthians i. 23, after which the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered, conducted by the ex-Secretary, Rev. W. J. Young.

REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS OF THE ONTARIO LADIES' COLLEGE AND CONSERVATORY OF MUSIC.

To the Methodist Conference :

We, the directors of the Ontario Ladies' College, Whitby, take pleasure, in presenting to this Conference our twenty-third annual report.

Notwithstanding the continued commercial depression, the attendance has been very gratifying, there having been 110 boarders and fifteen day pupils. This success is the legitimate outcome of faithful and well-directed effort. For many years it has been our aim as Directors to provide the highest educational facilities, and the most comfortable and culturing surroundings.

The financial aid recently furnished by the friends of the College has enabled us to realize our ideal in buildings and equipment, and has given a wonderful stimulus to all departments of our college work. The Lieutenant-Governor of Ontario, when visiting our College at commencement, was delighted with what he saw, and said that the most effective way of advertising, so far as our College was concerned, was to have the people of this country come and see it for themselves, and go forth intelligent as well as enthusiastic advocates of its real merit. Stronger language than we would like to use in this report is being used almost every day by visitors, to express their appreciation of the beautiful and extensive buildings, the chaste and elegant appointments, and the magnificent equipment for first-class educational work. It should be, and undoubtedly is, a source of pride and pleasure to the Methodist Church to have under its control such a grand college property with its ever-increasing possibilities for good.

We are deeply grateful to the friends of higher education who have aided in our scheme of extension and improvement; and we sincerely hope that others in the near future may be disposed to give us still more extended aid.

Respecting the literary status of our College, and class of work being done by our students, we take pleasure in quoting from letters recently received from Chancellor Burwash, of Victoria University, and President Loudon, of Toronto University.

Dr. Burwash says :

"I have pleasure in stating that no less than nine students have entered Victoria and Toronto universities from the Ontario Ladies' College, Whitby. The majority of these, have taken the first two years of their university work at Whitby, coming up for their examinations to Toronto, and passing with credit. Three of these have already graduated with

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