

give a prayer for those travelling by land or sea.

A resolution was passed, too, placing on record an expression of the Synod's high estimation of the value and efficiency of Compton Ladies' College.

Thus was brought to a close what has been a most important, as well as a most interesting Session of our Diocesan Synod. During all four days the proceedings were most harmonious, and the above report shows that a large amount of solid work was done, and we trust well done.

Our Diocese may certainly be congratulated on having such a painstaking and able body of Clergy and Laymen to control its affairs, and we sincerely hope that this their latest Conference will be productive of much good.

Speech Day at Compton.

Thursday, June 20th was a gala day at Compton Ladies' College. Invitations had been issued some days previously, and a large and representative company assembled to take part in the closing proceedings.

Among the guests of the day were the Bishop of the Diocese and President of the Corporation, the Rev. Principal Adams, D.C.L., Rev. Canons Foster and Thorneloe, Revs. E. A. W. King, A. Stevens and the Rector of the Parish, E. W. Heneker, Esq., D.C.L., R. H. Pope, Esq., M.P., J. J. Fiske, Esq., C. N. Reade, Esq., and many others.

Shortly after three o'clock the proceedings commenced by the pupils' marching into the School-room. They presented an appearance which might well make all connected with, and interested in the Institution, feel justly proud. A programme of well-selected and highly refined music, recitations and dialogue was most creditably executed. The Lady Principal then read a most satisfactory report of the work done during the year; after which followed the prize-giving, and speeches by the Lord Bishop, Principal Adams, Canon Thorneloe and Dr. Heneker.

The work of the School was somewhat interrupted in November by the outbreak of sickness, but the return after Christmas of all the pupils but one, and the results at the closing, show conclusively that Compton Ladies' College is not only doing good solid work on thoroughly satisfactory lines, but is also growing more and more in popular favour, and is deserving of the widest and fullest confidence. By men-

tioning that pupils during the past year have come from such widely separated parts as Hamilton, Ont., Labrador on our North-East, and Boston in the South, it will clearly be seen that Compton School, with its beautiful surrounding country, unsurpassed by any in Canada, is sending its roots far and wide, and making a name and reputation of which no one in any way connected with it need be ashamed, but rather justly proud.

Woman's Auxilliary.

The Annual Meeting of the Quebec Diocesan Branch of the Woman's Auxilliary was held on Tuesday, May 28th.

The members united with the Synod in their Service, which was held in the Cathedral at 9.30 a.m. The Holy Communion was celebrated, the Lord Bishop being the Celebrant.

After Service, the members adjourned to the Church Hall to hear the Lord Bishop's charge, and then to St. Matthew's Parish Room, where luncheon was served, and the meeting was held.

The Session was opened at 2.45.

Present: Mrs. Hunter Dunn, President; Mrs. Fyles, Mrs. Husband, Mrs. Parker, Mrs. Robertson, Mrs. Ed. Sewell, Mrs. Von Iffland, Mrs. Chambers and Miss Taylor, Vice-Presidents; Mrs. E. Joly de Lotbinière and Miss Edith Carter, Secretaries; Mrs. M. B. Irvine, Treasurer; Miss Burstall, Editress of the Leaflet, and members, making in all, between ninety and one hundred present.

The meeting opened with a hymn, and the Missionary Litany.

Before the business was begun, an invitation was extended by the Lord Bishop of Quebec and Mrs. Hunter Dunn, to the Delegates, visitors and their friends, to a reception at Bishopsthorpe, from 8 till 11 p.m.

Minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed, as were also the minutes of the Quarterly and Executive Committee meetings held during the year.

The President then gave her address, at the end of which she, representing the Diocesan Branch, presented Miss Montizambert with a Provincial Life Membership, in token of the affectionate esteem in which she is held by the members. Miss Montizambert in a few suitable words thanked the Auxilliary.