

example, has been so developed as to form a sure groundwork for the courses in mechanics given in the second and third years. Other subjects, such as algebra, trigonometry, geometry and calculus have been similarly handled to the satisfaction of all departments in the Faculty. Quite apart from the important consideration of the economy of this arrangement, distinct benefits have resulted from the scholastic standpoint, and long experience has demonstrated its value and efficiency. It is important that these advantages be retained.

Geodesy and Surveying.

Attention is directed to the problem of providing adequately for the course in fieldwork. For many years past the work has been done at Ste Anne de Bellevue during the month of May, dormitory and dining-room facilities being provided at Macdonald College. The annual influx of a new body of students unaccustomed to this form of college life has given rise at times to some opposition on the part of the college authorities. But apart from such domestic matters, which ought to be capable of adjustment, the facilities for teaching work are becoming less satisfactory year by year. The resident community is growing in numbers, and the restrictions on the use of land formerly available are increasing. The country is too flat for satisfactory contour work, and the question of providing a permanent camp elsewhere must be faced.

Preliminary inquiries have been made regarding the possibility of utilizing the accommodation provided at the Y.M.C.A. camp, Boy Scouts' camp, or elsewhere in the Laurentians. Many