

## Fourth Annual Report of the Board of Directors.

### *To the Shareholders of the Church School for Girls:*

The satisfactory increase in the numbers of new boarders who have presented themselves at the beginning of the Michaelmas Term, testifies to the growing appreciation of the "Church School for Girls" by the public.

Twenty-eight new boarders this year is a larger number than the entries at the first opening of the School in 1891; while the total number of boarders now in residence, namely, 73, is ten more than at the same period last year.

This increase, coupled with the accessions of which notice has been given, and further probable additions after the Christmas holidays, compels the Board of Directors to present the question of accommodation in a special manner.

At a recent meeting of the Board the Lady Principal presented a list of pupils desirous of taking music and solo singing, numbering 80 in the aggregate. Also, a list of pupils taking Drawing, Painting, and China Painting, numbering 36 in all.

Compared with the beginning of the Michaelmas Term of 1893, the numbers stand as given below:

	<i>Michaelmas Term, 1894, Number of Pupils.</i>	<i>Michaelmas Term, 1893, Number of Pupils.</i>
Pianoforte.....	62	52
Solo Singing.....	18	15
Drawing and Painting ....	36	32
Total.....	116	99

Showing an increase of 17 pupils desirous of taking Music, Drawing and Painting.

In the Trustees' Report for 1893-94, reference was made to the probable need for additional accommodation. The telling figures above quoted now compel the Directors to call the particular attention of the Shareholders to the necessity for Practice Rooms, an Art Room and an Assembly Hall.