

Acadia College Second Forward Movement.

ACADIA SEMINARY.

Principal—REV. H. T. DEWOLFE, B. A.

Vice-Principal—MISS ADELINÉ PUTNAM, M. A.

As an Educational Institution Acadia Seminary discharges an important function in the denominational life of the Maritime Province Baptists. Under Christian auspices it seeks not only to provide a broad and thorough scholastic education, but also, with this to meet the demand of the time for high grade instruction in the realm of the artistic and the practical. The scope therefore of the aim and work of the Seminary will be suggested by a consideration of the following points:

The Building.

THE BUILDING, a handsome, commodious structure, provided with all modern equipment and conveniences, furnishes accommodation for 700 pupils, and affords adequate facilities for all the social, public and educational needs of the school. In architectural style, completeness, and adaptability, it easily takes a first place among similar educational institutions in the Dominion.

Courses of Instruction.

1. COLLEGIATE COURSES. These are TWO: The regular Collegiate Course, which lays a broad educational foundation for those who do not contemplate a College Course; the Sophomore Matriculation, which admits the graduate to the Sophomore year of Acadia University.
2. FINE ARTS COURSES. These are FIVE courses leading to a DIPLOMA in Pianoforte, Voice, Violin, Elocution, Art. These courses are of recognized artistic worth, rendered more valuable by reason of certain prescribed literary studies.
3. PRACTICAL COURSES. These are THREE: courses in Domestic Science, Stenography and Typewriting, and Business, the latter taken in connection with the classes of Horton Collegiate Academy.
4. BIBLICAL COURSES and NORMAL TRAINING.

Staff of Instructors.

REV. H. T. DEWOLFE, B. A., Principal,
Bible, Ethics, Psychology, Logic.

MISS ADELINÉ PUTNAM, M. A., Vice-principal,
English, History.

MISS ADELLA G. JACKSON, M. A.,
Mathematics, Science.

MISS M. BLANCHE BISHOP, M. A.,
French, German.

MISS BESSIE McMILLAN, B. A.,
Preparatory Studies, Latin.

MR. GEORGE PRATT MAXIM,
Pianoforte, Harmony.

MISS MURIEL IREDALE,
Pianoforte, Theory, History of Music.

MISS URSULA ARCHER,
Voice, Sight Singing, Glee Club.

MISS LILLIAN MORSE,
Pianoforte, Voice.

MISS EYALENA WARREN,
Violin, Ear Training, Mandolin.

MISS MARGARET LYNDS,
Elocution.

MRS. GEORGE PRATT MAXIM,
General Elocution, Gymnasium.

MISS MINNE E. CHIPMAN,
Drawing and Painting, History of Art.

MISS JANET S. PRIDE,
Drawing and Designing.

MISS ANNIE E. BOOL,
Domestic Science.

MR. C. M. BAIRD, M. A.,
Stenography and Typewriting.

MRS. MARY E. PUTNAM,
Librarian.



VIEW LOOKING NORTHWARD FROM COLLEGE FRONT.

Widening Influence.

With courses so varied, and so large a staff to meet present day demands, it will be interesting to note the gradually widening field of influence exerted by the Seminary, revealed by the following table:

RECORD OF RESIDENT PUPILS IN ACADIA SEMINARY DURING THE YEARS 1899-1904.

	Fall Term.	Winter Term.
1899	53	61
1900	50	56
1901	64	80
1902	68	81
1903	71	76
1904	93	105

Copy of Mr. Rockefeller's Pledge.

26 BROADWAY, NEW YORK, February 18th, 1903.

THOMAS TROTTER, D. D.,

President Acadia University, Wolfville, N. S.

Dear Sir:

To the future contributions of others to Acadia University, Wolfville, Nova Scotia, pledged not later than January 1, 1906, and paid in cash not later than January 1, 1908, I will add a sum equal to One Dollar for each dollar so contributed, until my contributions so made shall aggregate One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$100,000).

I will pay this pledge on the quarterly statements of the Treasurer of Acadia University, approved by the President thereof, certifying, subject to verification, the amounts due hereunder.

The future is full of promise. Acadia Seminary freed of debt can double its usefulness, not only by introducing new courses which shall bring its work more closely into relation with the denominational life, but by enlarging its attendance and increasing the efficiency of its work in every way. Our motto is Excelsior. We thank God and take courage.

This pledge is made with the understanding, which is a condition hereof that all moneys contributed by others and by myself shall be used as follows:

FIRST: From \$10,000 to \$15,000 to be employed in necessary improvements and repairs on existing buildings.

SECOND: The sum of \$65,000, or so much as may be found necessary, shall be employed in the complete payment of all debts of the institutions.

THIRD: The remaining moneys contributed to be invested and preserved inviolable as endowment for the College, income only to be used for the current purposes of the College,

Yours very truly,

JOHN D. ROCKEFELLER,

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