

seeing several of his congregation give themselves to this work. Dr. Higgins is a good citizen and a faithful pastor and retires from the active duties of life at an old age with well earned honors.

Rev. A. J. Kempton, '89, has returned to his home in Wolfville. During the past winter he has been pastor of a Baptist church in Madison, Wis., where his labors have been much blessed. A severe illness compels him to rest during the summer.

## Personals.

Rev. D. G. McDonald has resigned the pastorate of the North Baptist church in Halifax and is now engaged in evangelistic work.

Howard Shaw and E. H. Saunders each of whom took the freshman year with the class of '94 have been graduated from the McGill Medical College with good standing.

Professor Keirstead lectured before the Quintilian Society of Kings College Windsor, on the 26th ult. His subject was: The University as the Custodian of the Higher Life of the People. This eloquent and forcibly delivered lecture was highly appreciated by all who heard it.

Since our last number was issued we have lost our exchange editor, Mr. Nickerson, who with Mr. N. J. Lockhart and Miss Roop of the senior class, and Mr. Haycock of the junior class have gone to attend the Normal School at Truro. We wish them every success.

Mr. H. T. Peck a former member of class '95 made his classmates a call a few days ago. He has been pursuing a medical course at the College of Physicians and Surgeons, New York. He will graduate next year. While at Acadia, Mr. Peck made an excellent record as a student and has continued to sustain the reputation made here. His old friends were pleased to see him.

Mr. Walter V. Jones, son of Dr. Jones, has just completed his course in Veterinary Surgery at McGill University, standing second in his class, and receiving the degree of D. V. S. He intends to practice his profession in the United States. That there is room for men of this profession at home is well illustrated by the number of professional calls Dr. Jones has received during his visit in Wolfville. Before going to McGill he took the first two years of the arts course here, and speaks highly of the assistance he received in Latin and Chemistry, by which he was almost entirely relieved from devoting any time to these subjects at McGill. He with four others of his class were the only ones who passed successfully the examinations in Chemistry last year. The Athenæum extends its best wishes.

## Seminary and Academy Notes.

The 31st of March being the day for prayer for missionaries, Mrs. Boggs addressed the school on "Girl Life in India."