

Seniors have among them taken out 18 books, 10 Juniors, 11 books; 12 Sophomores, 21 books; 4 Freshmen, 8 books.

From what has been given above it will be noted that 29 Seniors took out 231 books; 20 Juniors, 80 books; 16 Sophomores, 45 books; 6 Freshmen, 16 books; and one Academician, 6 books.

It will be seen also that the Seniors individually make the most extensive use of the Library. Only one Junior made so many as 13 applications for books. No Sophomore made over 8 applications, while one Academician made freer use of the Library than did any member of the Freshman class.

Out of 30 Seniors 29 have had books; of 37 Juniors, 20; of 30 Sophomores, 15; of 28 Freshmen 6; of 86 members of the Academy only one.

Of the 378 books taken out as above, 61 per cent stand to the credit of Seniors, 21 per cent to the Juniors; 12 per cent to the Sophomores; $4\frac{1}{2}$ per cent to the Freshmen; and $1\frac{1}{2}$ per cent to the Academy.

Of course the above facts do not represent all the work of the Library. It is used extensively as a reading room, and many who rarely take out a book avail themselves of the advantages offered in this direction. Further many of the students make use of the excellent reading-room under the management of the Athenæum Society. But, in spite of this, the foregoing figures pretty accurately represent the relations existing between the Library and the students of the various classes. There is matter here for serious consideration on the part both of students and instructors.

The Alumni Banquet.

THE New England Alumni met on Tuesday the 6th of April at the United States Hotel, Boston, where a banquet was partaken of.

Mr. Trotter in his address on Acadia said that Acadia always did and always would stand for general scholarship, there being not enough endowment to enable her to specialize. The ideals of the future were to be shaped to that end. The physical and social life of the student would be developed in the Gymnasium, Campus, and the various social privileges. The aim would be to make the young man easy and natural in his social rela-