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seven institutions—the total enrolment being over 1,000 students. At least 75 per cent. of the graduates go into the teaching profession. There are now about thirty-five students from these colleges taking graduate work here in America.

Isabella Thoburn College, Lucknow, India, holds the record for being the oldest college in the Far East. Yenching follows close behind with a record of twenty years of service, while three of the colleges have recently celebrated their tenth anniversary.

The Woman's Christian College of Japan has the largest registration, having almost three hundred students and the faculty consists of forty-five members of whom thirtynine are Japanese.

Ginling has strengthened its Science Department in order to be able to do premedical work for students who are planning to make medicine their profession. The Woman's College of Madras gives premedical training for students planning to attend the University of Madras Medical College. Among the alumnae are thirteen qualified women doctors. However, the majority of the graduates of the Woman's College of Madras are teachers.

Yenching College has done a most interesting piece of work along the line of Home Economics. After a careful and extensive survey of home conditions in many parts of China, Dean Milam of Oregon Agricultural College, Corvallis, Oregon, established a Home Economics Department at Yenching which is not only revolutionizing the ideas of the students along the lines of dietetics and home sanitation, but is also training teachers of Home Economics for the Chinese high schools. A model practice house will be built on the new campus and under the direction of a Chinese specialist trained at Oregon Agricultural College will provide opportunities for actual supervised practice for all students majoring in this department.

The Woman's Medical School at Vellore, India, was opened in 1918 with fifteen students. The number enrolled this year is seventy eight. The graduates number about forty and these doctors are engaged in medical service in hospitals and private practice all over India where the need for them is ex-

ceedingly great, owing to the fact that the vast majority of the women of India are not allowed by custom to receive medical attention from men physicians. Extensive training is given in village dispensaries and wayside clinics in addition to regular studies. A recent British visitor to Vellore after seeing the splendid work done there wrote a check wiping out the deficit in the budget of the current fiscal year.

Ginling College has a splendid Physical Education Department, the result of a strong work built up by the Young Women's Christian Association and now taken over by Ginling College with co-operation and material assistance from the Association. Out of a total of sixty-eight Ginling graduates, forty are teaching in the schools of China and fifteen are taking graduate work either in America or in medical schools in China.

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Readers of the Link are interested in these Colleges and especially in the Woman's Medical School at Vellore, India, where Dr. Elizabeth and Dr. Jessie Findlay are on the staff, and to which our Women's Boards make an annual contribution.

The article quoted above states that the Co-operating Committee for these colleges is undertaking now to raise \$50,000 to complete the budgets of the colleges and enable them to proceed in their work unhampered by debt. —Ed.

PROBLEMS OF A NEW VICEROY IN INDIA.

By Randolph L. Howard

Harold Begbie's description of Baron Irwin has a peculiar interest for us. "He is profoundly convinced of the truth of one form of the Christian religion, but he is as profoundly interested in the good work of men who represent quite different forms of that religion." This man has just become, as the Viceroy of British India, the head of the Government under which more than half of our foreign missionaries live and work. No government faces problems more complex than his. Nowhere, not even in immigrantflooded America, do we find as great a diver-