

The Y. W. C. A. of Acadia Seminary has assumed the support of two little girls, whose christian names are Mary Acadia Graves and Eliza Acadia Harding, in Miss Gray's school at Bimlipatam.

The Tennyson recital held in Alumnae Hall, on Friday evening, November 30th, was a decided success. The hall was comfortably filled with an appreciative audience, which enjoyed the well-rendered selections. The class showed excellent cultivation and training in this appearance before the public. The piano selections were particularly well rendered.

It is interesting to note that since the foundation of Acadia Seminary in 1879, so large a number of missionaries to foreign lands has been gathered from its ranks of graduates and students. No less than nine young ladies, formerly in the institution, are now upon the foreign field. Miss Abbie C. Gray, Miss Lizzie Gaunce, Miss Mattie Clark, Edith Chipman (Mrs. Higgins), Maud Moir (Mrs. Boggs), Nettie Davis (Mrs. Shaw), Nettie Fitch (Mrs. LaFlamme), Nellie Havey (Mrs. Timpany), and Miss Kate O'Neil. Maud Harrison (Class of '94), is studying in the Chicago Training School of Missions, and will also soon be upon the foreign field.

Many former students of the Seminary are also engaged in the scarcely less important christian work of nursing, and have taken diplomas from various hospitals: Mary Melville, Class of '83, Mass. Gen'l Hospital; Addie Allen, Margaret Pillsbury Hospital, Concord, N. H.; Leonora Bradshaw, Class of '88, and Jessie Brown, MacLean Hospital, Boston; Alice Rich, Class of '91, and Bessie Hatfield, Boston City Hospital.

Academy Notes.

The Second Excelsior List of the term is just posted and excites considerable interest. We find that Cann still holds his lead of the Senior class, but only a point or two in advance of Bezanson and Harper. Stubbart, of the Middle Year class has pulled slightly ahead of Freeze, thus, temporarily at least, taking the place of the latter as the Dux of his class. The leadership thus seems to waver between N. B. and N. S. Nearly all the N. B. men however, are taking high rank,

The health of the students has been remarkably good during the entire term and good work has been done. The final exams of next week evidently cause some to feel a little anxious, when such questions as the following are asked: