

ALL the students were glad on returning to the *Hill* to find that Mr. and Mrs. Keddy still held the position which they have in the past so agreeably filled. We feel sure that the good order which characterized the hall last year will continue during the year upon which we have just entered, and that all will try and make it as pleasant as possible for our Steward and Matron.

THE number of students at present in attendance at lectures is as follows: Seniors, 16; Juniors, 10; Sophomores, 23; Freshmen, 29. In addition to these there are expected 1 Senior, 6 Juniors, 1 Sophomore, 5 Freshmen, all of whom will be here on or before Nov. 1st. This will give a total attendance of 91 students, showing an increase of ten over last year.

WE have a Freshie whose capacity for cheek we are willing to back against the efforts of any specimen of that fraternity to be produced on the continent. As a mild sample of what he can do we refer to the following: Undauntedly he made his way into the Sem. and unblushingly he demanded the immediate presence of six of the fair maids. The lady addressed replied, that she would call one and she thought the rest would all follow. Can this be (*o*)-*caten*?

The budding youth of genius
Will never be put down,
When once, good friends and patrons,
It dons the cap and gown.
Though fresh may be his actions,
Or barren be his smile,
It still becomes the Freshie
To stick on extra style.

A CERTAIN Freshie received rather a novel welcome back to the *Hill*. It appears that during the summer he had planted and grown quite a crop of down in the region of his upper lip and in front of his ears, and in stepping from the train some of his class-mates who evidently thought it was time said crop was reaped, crowded around him endeavoring to pluck it out by the roots. It is sufficient to add that it resisted all efforts and still stands waiting for the sophomore scythes.

A LOFTY junior with the first flush of his new dignity fresh upon him, rushing into the room of a Cad who had been making too familiar, is said to have delivered himself of the following: "I wish it emphatically understood that I am a member of the junior class and as such must demand that due deference be paid to my dignity." The focalized cad crept into the adjoining coal closet while the feet of his room-mate darkened the window, leaving "Tom" in possession of the room.

THE Students' Societies have elected the following Officers:

Athenæum.—C. W. Corey, President; L. D. Morse, Vice-Pres.; A. C. Kempton, Rec. Sec.; H. P. DeWolf, Treasurer; C. H. McIntyre, Cor. Sec.; C. H. Miller, L. D. Morse, F. C. Hartley, F. S. Messenger, J. B. Morgan, Ex. Com.

Cricket Club.—H. H. Wickwire, Pres.; A. B. Holly, Sec'y Treas.; C. W. Eaton, Field Capt.; A. W. Foster, L. F. Eaton, T. S. K. Freeman, Ex. Com.

Foot Ball Club.—C. H. Miller, Pres.; C. W. Eaton, Sec'y Treas.; J. T. Prescott, First Capt.; L. J. Lovett, Second Field Capt.; A. W. Foster, L. F. Eaton, D. Duncanson, W. B. Wallace, H. Wickwire, Ex. Com.

Missionary Society.—J. B. Morgan, President; W. E. Boggs, Vice Pres.; E. L. Gates, Treasurer; L. A. Palmer, Secretary; L. D. Morse, G. R. White, Helen M. Buttrick, Ex. Com.

MARRIAGES.

SHAW-DEWIS.—On June 7th, in the Baptist church, Advocate, by Rev. D. McKeene, M. B. Shaw, B. A., and Miss Antoinette Dewis, only daughter of Capt. Robert Dewis, of West Advocate, N. S.

SWEET-MARSHALL.—In the Baptist church at Bridgetown, N. S., on the 29th of June, by Rev. A. T. Dykeman, assisted by Rev. W. H. Warren, Rev. E. H. Sweet, B. A., of Ayer, Mass.; to Alma S., youngest daughter of C. L. Marshall, Esq., of Clarence.

TUPPER-ROBBINS.—On the 5th of August, at the residence of the bride's father, by the Rev. H. F. Adams, C. O. Tupper, B. A., of Amherst, N. S., to Bessie J. Robbins, of Yarmouth, N. S.

HARRINGTON-LOVETT.—In the Baptist church, Kentville, on the 9th of Sept., Mr. C. K. Harrington, B. A., of Sydney, C. B., to Miss Jennie L. Lovett, second daughter of H. Lovett, Esq., of Kentville.

GOUCHER-RETTIE.—At Truro, Sept. 22nd, by Rev. J. E. Goucher, father of the groom, Rev. W. C. Goucher, of Camden, Maine, to Miss Florence J., daughter of the late Samuel Rettie, of Truro, N. S.

DEATHS.

ARMSTRONG.—At Port Hawkesbury on 7th of June, Rev. Geo. Armstrong, D. D., one of our most venerable and respected pastors and a faithful friend to Acadia, from which he graduated in '44. He was at one time editor of the "Christian Visitor," a governor of Acadia, and member of the Senate.

CURRIE.—At Coconada, India, July 31st, Rev. G. F. Currie. He had returned to his mission field but a few months when he fell a victim to disease. He leaves a wife and family of little children, now in these provinces. Bro. Currie was a faithful and successful worker and has gone to his reward. He graduated at this University in '74.

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A. F. Randolph, \$1.00; J. W. Spurden, \$1.00; M. S. Hall, \$2.50; Wm. Allwood, \$3.00; A. A. Wilson, \$2.00; D. E. Berryman, \$2.00; Rev. A. J. Gordon, \$2.00; Rev. Sydney Welton, \$1.00; Rev. D. G. McDonald, \$3.00; Rev. D. A. Steele, \$1.00; Rhodes & Curry, \$1.00; J. F. L. Parsons, \$3.00; L. M. Smith, \$2.00; J. W. Longley, \$3.00; E. D. King, \$4.00; C. L. Eaton, \$2.00; J. Y. Payzant, \$2.00; Geo. H. Fielding, \$5.00; C. D. Rand, \$3.00; J. F. Tufts, \$1.00; Jos. Weston, \$2.00; J. M. Shaw, \$1.00; J. W. Wallace, \$1.00; Sydney Crawley, \$1.00; Acadia Seminary, \$3.00; Horton Academy, \$3.00; Chipman & Shaffner, \$1.00; W. P. Shaffner, 1.00; J. P. Chipman, \$2.00; Dr. Silas Alward, \$2.00; R. G. Haley, \$1.00; F. R. Haley, \$1.00; I. C. Archibald, \$2.00; J. F. Estabrooks, \$1.00; Jas. Titus, \$1.00; J. Chaloner, \$1.75; A. Cohoon, \$1.00; W. N. Wickwire, \$1.00; J. B. North, \$2.00; H. B. Ellis, \$2.00; H. C. Creed, \$2.00; D. M. Welton, \$1.00; Rev. W. B. Hinson, \$1.00; H. H. Ayer, \$1.00; H. Secord, \$1.00; Rev. W. H. Robinson, \$1.00; C. W. Corey, \$1.00; E. A. Corey, \$1.00; T. S. K. Freeman, \$1.00; S. K. Smith, \$1.00; Gilford White, \$1.00; O. T. Daniels, \$5.00; C. H. Miller, \$1.00; R. N. Beckwith, \$4.00; Rockwell & Co., \$3.50; Clifford Locke, \$2.00; R. M. Hunt, \$1.00; I. L. Walker, \$1.00; E. L. Gates, \$1.00; S. R. Sleep, \$2.00; H. Vaughan, \$1.00; F. M. Kelly, \$2.00; E. J. Morse, \$3.00.

J. B. MORGAN, Ex. Sec.-Treas.